



## Reverend James Lloyd Ackerman

September 27, 1928 - August 15, 2020

Beloved husband of the late Justine A. Ackerman.

Loving father of Janyce (Peter) Hoffman, Julie Clark (Mark Talbot), Joleen Ackerman, Jeri (Jerrald) Ogle, and Jenifer (Matthew) Briggs.

Dear grandfather of Stacy, Danielle, Rachel, Joel, Alisha, Kyle, Jerrald, Jacob, Justine, Ian and Emily.

Great grandfather of 13.

Survived by his sisters Marlys Hoover and Mary Jane Luniewski.

Predeceased by his granddaughter, Nicole and his grandson, Nathan.

If you would like to make a donation in James' name, the family request donation be made to East Bethlehem Lutheran Church (3510 Outer Drive East, Detroit, MI 48234).

Once details are finalized, the service will be broadcasted on:

<https://bloomfieldcross.online.church/>

# Cemetery Details

## Glen Eden East

19810 26 Mile Rd.  
Macomb, MI 48042

# Previous Events

## Instate

AUG 18. 10:00 AM (ET)

Cross of Christ Lutheran Church  
1100 Lone Pine Rd  
Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302

## Funeral Service

AUG 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

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1100 Lone Pine Rd  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Reverend James Lloyd Ackerman*

October 23, 2023 at 04:00 AM



“ *Reverend James Lloyd Ackerman*

January 06, 2023 at 05:24 AM



“ *Pastor Ackerman brought Mark into the Lutheran faith at East Bethlehem 1968 then later married us in 1984, . His words at our wedding rang true after 36 years. Prayer and condolences to his family. Mark and Lorna Raukar.*

**Lorna Raukar** - August 21, 2020 at 08:38 PM



“ *Pastor Jim Ackerman was a very kind and loving minister. He buried my Father, officiated our sons wedding, and then buried our younger son. He was there for me at a very traumatic period in my life. My father loved him , and I was told they had many long conversations about God and life. Pastor Ackerman was a truly spiritual man. We are honored to know he and Justine . We will miss him very much, but know he will be welcomed and greatly honored by his Savior.*

*Gail & Jim Preston*

**Gail Preston** - August 18, 2020 at 03:16 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Reverend James Lloyd Ackerman.*



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August 17, 2020 at 02:06 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Reverend James Lloyd Ackerman.*



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August 17, 2020 at 08:18 AM



“ *Pastor was a gentle inspiring man.....was always comfortable talkn to him.....my mother looked fwd to his house calls since she was bed ridden n he made the effort to bring a church service n pray with her.....now they can pray again in heaven.*

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**Martin Fedyna** - August 17, 2020 at 08:05 AM



“ *Rolland, Sharon, Libby, Ethan and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Reverend James Lloyd Ackerman.*



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**Rolland, Sharon, Libby, Ethan and family** - August 16, 2020 at 10:06 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Reverend James Lloyd Ackerman.*



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August 16, 2020 at 06:30 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Reverend James Lloyd Ackerman.*



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August 16, 2020 at 05:54 PM



“ *Gosh!! One that comes to mind for me..out of many is when we had a picnic at Clinton River Park I think that's what it's called out on Van Dyke. Well anyway several of us kids were playing in the water ( which back then was terrible polluted I'm sure) I cut my knee wide open on something but never felt a thing cuz the water was so cold. But all the other kids saw it and starting screaming that I had gotten bit by a Shark!! Lol!! Pastor was my life saver he came all the way down to where all of us kids were and carried me back up to where all the parents were (which by the way was a long long way) and again very graciously carried me all the while delicately telling me how his back was breaking!! Next time I have carry him!! God I loved that man!! Always trying to keep me in the straight and narrow answering all my questions !! RIP!!*

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**Janet Maynard** - August 16, 2020 at 12:37 PM