



James Rohling

July 23, 1938 - December 31, 2025

James Rohling, age 87, passed away peacefully on December 31, 2025.

Beloved husband of the late Loretta, married for 48 wonderful years.

Devoted father of Grace (Michael) Upleger and Paul (Erin).

Loving grandfather of Robert (Emilee) Upleger, Bret, Amanda (Frank) Russell, Elizabeth, Joseph, and Abigail.

Treasured great grandfather of Wynnefred Upleger, Byron Upleger, and Audrey Russell.

Dearest brother of Marianne (Ed) Learman and brother-in-law of Ed Mroz, and Rita Rohling.

Cherished uncle of Lisa, Scott, Cindy, and Michael.

Preceded in death by his parents, Charles and Sylvia, his sister, Charlene Mroz, and his brother Richard.

James retired from GM and had a very successful tax practice for 50 years.

He loved watching wrestling and westerns. James was also an avid Detroit Lions fan.

James will be missed dearly by his adoring family and dear friends.

Visitation Wednesday from 3-8pm with a rosary at 7pm at the Sterling Heights Chapel of Mandziuk & Son Funeral Directors (NW corner of 18 Mile and Ryan). Instate 9:30am Thursday at St. Jane Frances de Chantel followed by Mass at 10am. Please share memories at mandziukfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

White Chapel Cemetery

621 West Long Lake Road
Troy, MI 48098

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 7. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Mandziuk & Son Funeral Directors, Inc. - Sterling Heights
3801 18 Mile Road
Sterling Heights, MI 48314
(586) 997-3838

Eulogy

JAN 7. 6:30 PM (ET)

Mandziuk & Son Funeral Directors, Inc. - Sterling Heights
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Rosary

JAN 7. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Instate

JAN 8. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St Jane Frances De Chantal
38750 Ryan Rd
Sterling Heights, MI 48310-2985
(586) 977-8080

Funeral Service

JAN 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

AW

“ Adam and Kayla Wood purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of James Rohling.



Adam and Kayla Wood - January 07 at 02:48 PM

FF

“ From your Hope Church Family purchased the *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses* for the family of James Rohling.



From your Hope Church Family - January 07 at 11:26 AM

RM

“ Robert M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Rohling.

Robert M. - January 06 at 12:16 PM

VL

“ VUMC Revenue Cycle Executive Leadership purchased the *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* for the family of James Rohling.



VUMC Revenue Cycle Executive Leadership - January 06 at 11:48 AM

VL

“ VUMC Revenue Cycle Executive Leadership planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Rohling.

VUMC Revenue Cycle Executive Leadership - January 06 at 11:48 AM

ML

“ Mark and Liz Lefler purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of James Rohling.



Mark and Liz Lefler - January 06 at 09:05 AM

ML

“ Mark and Liz Lefler planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Rohling.

Mark and Liz Lefler - January 06 at 09:05 AM



“ Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of James Rohling.



January 06 at 12:36 AM

LM

“ Love, Scott & Kris Mroz and Morgan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Rohling.

Love, Scott & Kris Mroz and Morgan - January 06 at 12:36 AM

AQ

“ Amanda & Christian Quinn purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of James Rohling.



Amanda & Christian Quinn - January 06 at 12:33 AM

AQ

“ Amanda & Christian Quinn planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Rohling.

Amanda & Christian Quinn - January 06 at 12:33 AM

T:

“ The Gollhofer and the Wood families :) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Rohling.

The Gollhofer and the Wood families :)) - January 05 at 10:08 PM

T:

“ The Gollhofer and the Wood families :) purchased the "God Has You" 21" Sonnet Chime for the family of James Rohling.



The Gollhofer and the Wood families :)) - January 05 at 10:08 PM

PP

“ Grace, Mike and all your family.... We are so sorry about your Dad's passing. He was a sweet man and I'm glad I had the opportunity to meet him years ago. I know you will miss him terribly. Grace, you were the best daughter a father could have.

He's in a better place now.

We love you guys and will be lifting you up in prayer in the days and weeks to come.

—Shawn and Pam Phillips and Family

Pamela Phillips - January 05 at 04:43 PM

KE

“ Grace and Paul,

Please accept my sincere condolences. It was my privilege to spend time with your dad during the last years of his life. We talked at length about many things when I brought him Communion at Stonegate, but the Lions and the many aspects of faith were constant threads in our conversations. I really enjoyed both topics....rehashing games and getting insights into the complete trust he had in God. He was a role model for me. May he rest in peace.

Please know that I am praying for you and your family.

Kathy Eager, Holy Family Parish, St. Joseph Church

Kathy Eager - January 05 at 04:11 PM

JA

“ JR Automation planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Rohling.

JR Automation - January 05 at 01:24 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of James Rohling.



January 05 at 01:24 PM



“ Tania T. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Rohling.

Tania T. - January 04 at 06:04 PM



“ In Christ, Troy and Christina Upleger purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of James Rohling.



In Christ, Troy and Christina Upleger - January 04 at 03:23 PM



“ Debbie, Dave, and Cole Cloonan purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James Rohling.



Debbie, Dave, and Cole Cloonan - January 04 at 02:49 PM

ML

“ *Marianne Learman lit a candle in memory of James Rohling*



Marianne Learman - January 04 at 02:45 PM

RH

“ *Although I only met your Father once I knew your Mother very well as my typing teacher when she was Miss Cona and after she married your father.
May they both rest in peace.
Firmer student Mac Dowell School Detroit*

Richard William Hutchings - January 04 at 02:21 PM

TB

“ *The Browns and The Boyles purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of James Rohling.*



The Browns and The Boyles - January 04 at 01:40 PM

MD

“ *Deepest condolences to the family. May you find peace and comfort at this difficult time.
Sincerely, Mandy
(Marlette wound clinic)*

mandy Deering - January 04 at 11:43 AM

ML

“ I will always love my Big Brother. I am the traveler and even if I wasn't physically around he was always in my thoughts, prayers and heart. Miss you Jimmie. I know you are at peace.



Marianne Learman - January 04 at 08:17 AM

TG

“ Tom and Bonnie Gerasimowicz purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James Rohling.



Tom and Bonnie Gerasimowicz - January 03 at 10:15 PM

GU

“ Gary, Debbie and Ray Upleger planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Rohling.

Gary, Debbie and Ray Upleger - January 03 at 04:41 PM

GU

“ Gary, Debbie and Ray Upleger purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of James Rohling.



Gary, Debbie and Ray Upleger - January 03 at 04:41 PM