



## George Franklin Lemley

December 7, 1945 - April 6, 2022

George Franklin “Frank” Lemley, age 76, went home to his Lord and Savior on April 6, 2022 peacefully in his home surrounded by family. George or “Frank” as he was known to friends and family was born in Detroit, MI on December 7, 1945 (Pearl Harbor Day). He was the second son of George Harding Lemley and Violet Vern Cox.

He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, James Lemley.

Frank graduated from Redford High School in Detroit, MI. He joined the U.S. Navy in 1965 and served aboard the U.S.S. Johnston DD-821 during the Vietnam War.

On April 17, 1966 in Detroit, MI he married the love of his life, Polly Ann Hutchinson-Hall. Frank passed 11 days shy of celebrating their 56 years of marriage.

After being honorably discharged from the Navy, Frank worked as a maintenance engineer. He worked his way up to Manufacturing Manager with Alpha Steel Heat Treat in Livonia, MI for numerous years until his retirement. Frank and Polly Ann then decided to move up to their property in Cadillac and retire here in this beautiful area.

Frank was a funny and caring person. He was a loving husband and father and very supportive of his family. He loved history, especially steam locomotives and lighthouses. He enjoyed working on various projects,

especially electrical. Frank loved to camp with his family in the Upper Peninsula and also to hunt and fish. He also taught his daughters and grandson at a young age to also learn the fun of fishing. He did volunteer work and was involved in the early AWANAS program at First Baptist Church of Cadillac mentoring kids. He was a man of God and very open about his faith. He will be dearly missed by so many.

Frank is survived by his wife, Polly Ann along with his children, Tina Lemley of Cadillac and Ann Marie Lemley of Sterling Heights; grandson, Justin Franklin (Trisha Wright) Lemley of Sterling Heights; great-grandchildren: Jaden, Silas and Lilliana Lemley; sister-in-law Jocelyn Lemley; nephew, Rodger Anthony Hutchinson Jr.; niece, Kimberly Hutchinson, many loving nieces and nephews, extended family and friends.

The family would especially like to thank Janet Hicks and Denny Hicks, along with the caring staffs of Hospice of Michigan and Missaukee Commission on Aging for their help and compassionate care for Frank during his last years. In accordance with Frank's wishes, cremation has taken place. An online guestbook is available at [www.petersonfh.com](http://www.petersonfh.com).

# Tribute Wall

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*George Franklin Lemley's obituary , Passed away on April 6, 2022  
in Cadillac, Michigan*

*George Franklin Lemley*

*December 7, 1945 - April 6, 2022*

*(76 years old)*

*Cadillac, Michigan*

*George Franklin Lemley Obituary*

*It is always difficult saying goodbye to someone we love and cherish. Family and friends must say goodbye to their beloved George Franklin Lemley (Cadillac, Michigan), born in Detroit, Michigan, who passed away at the age of 76, on April 6, 2022. Leave a sympathy message to the family in the guestbook on this memorial page of George Franklin Lemley to show support.*

*He was predeceased by : his parents, George Harding Lemley and Violet Vern Cox; and his brother James Lemley. He is survived by : his wife Polly Ann; his daughters, Tina Lemley of Cadillac and Ann Marie Lemley of Sterling Heights; his grandson Justin Franklin Lemley (Trisha Wright) of Sterling Heights; his great grandchildren, Jaden, Silas and Lilliana Lemley; his sister-in-law Jocelyn Lemley; his nephew Rodger Anthony Hutchinson Jr.; and his niece Kimberly Hutchinson. He is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews, extended family and friends.*

*Funeral arrangement under the care of  
Peterson's Funeral Services*

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*There is no photo or video of George Franklin Lemley.  
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Plant a tree*

*Family tree  
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*Sympathy messages  
Would you like to offer George Franklin Lemley's loved ones a  
condolence message? Write your message of sympathy today.*

*Leave your free sympathy message here.*

*Words of sympathy  
September 9, 2022*

*Larry J. Dudzic wrote a sympathy message*

*"My sympathy's to the Lemley family. I was George's supervisor at  
Commercial Steel but met him when we worked together at  
Commowearth Industries in Detroit. George was a very skilled and  
knowledgeable machine repairman. He was not only a good  
employee but a great friend. He will be surely missed my prayers go  
out to him and his family*

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**Lawrence J Dudzic** - September 09, 2022 at 02:33 PM

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“ Enjoyed our Times together bob me you and frank. Had some great times celebrating birthdays Christmas. Camping together. Memories are forever. Miss them though. Praying for you and Tina as you face each day without frank. Love in Christ.

Regina Erickson - April 20, 2022 at 01:12 PM

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“ Uncle Frank was sweet and kind and had the patience of Job. Now him and his brother Jim can run free and play like boys without pain.

Carol Huseby - April 19, 2022 at 09:54 AM

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“ Beloved father truly blessed so many happy memories he will missed I'm grateful for such a wonderful dad

Ann Marie - April 14, 2022 at 04:40 PM

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Uncle Frank was sweet and kind and had the patience of job. I am thankful we were able to get my Dad and him together one last time before m Dad passed. They truly lived each other.

Carol Huseby - April 19, 2022 at 09:49 AM