



Roger House

January 28, 1937 - January 6, 2008

Roger House

70, of Yale, died Sunday January 6, 2008 at his home following a brief illness. His marriage to Joanne R. Davio was October 4, 1958 in Detroit. Joanne passed away September 16, 2002.

Roger was a parishioner of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Yale.

He was employed as a tool designer for Efficient Engineering for 33 years until his retirement in 2002. He was a member of the Brockway Township Zoning Administration for several years, National Association of Wood Turners of America, and enjoyed golfing and spending time with his grandchildren and family.

Surviving are four sons and their spouses Joe and Rita of Kimball, Jim and Holly of Oakland Township, Jeff and Jonathan of Durand and Jerry and Susan of Dryden; his grandchildren, Kyle, Brian, Alyssa, Jacklyn, Jake and Andrew; his loving companion, Fay Kuenzli; two sisters, Shirley Paape and Pat Brehmer; his sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Mary Lou and Richard Losiewicz of Yale and several nieces, nephews and friends.

His family honors the memory of Roger and invite you to visit and share Tuesday 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Wednesday 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. and Thursday at 9:30 a.m. at Kaatz Funeral Directors, Yale. Rite of Christian Burial will be 11:00 a.m. Thursday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Yale. Fr. Joseph Czarnota, pastor will officiate. Rosary devotion will be 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

Burial will be in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Yale.

Memorials are suggested to Heartland Hospice Memorial Fund.

For information and Guest Book kaatzfunerals.com

Previous Events

Service

JAN **10**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Yale
N. Main Street
Yale, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *limo.cne.cn - limo.cne.cn*
limo.cne.cn##imported-begin##Jeneyam##imported-end##

December 07, 2008 at 09:31 PM



“ *Hello.*
:) The natural photo of the new arrival, taken by Emma Tallulah's
dad,
Bye.##imported-begin##Bleskshen##imported-end##

October 16, 2008 at 01:21 AM



“ *Hi!*
My name is Jessika!##imported-begin##Tosyneesden##imported-
end##

October 12, 2008 at 10:38 AM



“ *Dear friend since 1953 and person responsible for meeting Larry*
Ozga. Rest in Peace...With the Lord...no more pain...love always.
Larry and Margaret##imported-begin##Larry & Margaret
Ozga##imported-end##

January 13, 2008 at 04:41 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Your parents were wonderful people and will be truly missed by all. Know they are in a better place, but are always with you. God Bless you all.##imported-begin##Robin Budry (Morgan)##imported-end##

January 11, 2008 at 09:11 AM



“ Joe,

My deepest sympathies to you and your family. I am so very sorry to hear about your loss.

Sincerely,

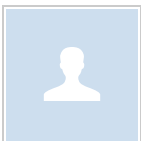
Kelli##imported-begin##Kelli Vida##imported-end##

January 10, 2008 at 03:27 PM



“ As a co-worker and friend my thoughts and prayers are with Joe, Jerry and the rest of Rogers's family. I truly enjoyed the years that we worked together and the many laughs that we shared. God Bless##imported-begin##Brandon Allen##imported-end##

January 10, 2008 at 10:33 AM



“ May God bless his soul!##imported-begin##Gaurav Chalana##imported-end##

January 09, 2008 at 04:44 PM



“ Dear House family,

I am saddened to hear the news of Mr. House passing. I worked with Mr. House at Efficient Engineering for 5 years until his retirement. I am grateful of the time I had working with him. He taught me many things as he did with all of us younger guys. He never hesitated to stop and not only show us how to do things the right way, also added a great sense of humor to brighten the day. Roger was one in a million I'd have to say. He will be dearly missed by all of us. My thoughts and prayers go out to the family.

I will always be grateful of the things you taught me Mr. House! May God Bless You!!!!!!!!!!

Robert M. Harris##imported-begin##Robert M. Harris##imported-end##

January 09, 2008 at 03:36 PM

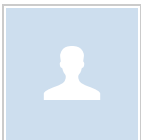


“ For Jim, Joe and the entire House family,

My thoughts and prayers are with you during these sad times.

Barb##imported-begin##Barb Hall##imported-end##

January 09, 2008 at 02:53 PM



“ After working with Roger at Efficient Engineering for 10 years, I would be suspicious of anyone who had anything bad to say about him. Anyone who met Roger, walked away a better person one way or another because of the man he was.##imported-begin##Ken Piche##imported-end##

January 09, 2008 at 12:24 PM



“ My sincerest condolences to the House family and Fay. I had the pleasure of working for Roger for a number of years at Efficient Engineering. Roger was an exceptional supervisor, leader, mentor and human being. He was a kindhearted individual who always took time out of his day to stop and talk to you. He truly cared about the well-being of his peers and employees and was always prepared to put a smile on your face with his quick wit and humor. His leadership and human qualities were those that are to be emulated. Roger will be extremely missed by all of us who had the pleasure and privilege of knowing him. God Bless.##imported-begin##Bryan Yoakum##imported-end##

January 09, 2008 at 11:29 AM



“ My condolences and prayers go out to the Family of Mr. House. As a co-worker and friend of his son Jim House, I am saddened by your loss.
Blessings,
Chris Fowler##imported-begin##Chris Fowler##imported-end##

January 09, 2008 at 10:21 AM



“ To The House Family: My sincere sympathy goes out to all of your family. My late husband Bob worked with your father for many years. He thought very highly of him and enjoyed the many good times that they spent on the golf course. I feel very privileged to have had the opportunity to have known and to have shared many fun times with both of your parents.##imported-begin##Kay Forton##imported-end##

January 09, 2008 at 10:14 AM



“ I, like so many others fortunate enough to cross paths in life with Roger, am saddened to hear of his passing. The loss to his survivors is truly great, but their lives have been enriched immeasurably by knowing him.

I worked with Roger for many years at Efficient Eng. and although we never worked closely together much, he always had a kind word, a warm smile, a comforting presence to those around him. The sincerity of his goodness was unmistakable.

Deepest sympathy to all who loved him.

Sincerely,

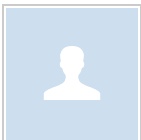
Andy "the Greek"##imported-begin##Andy Hatzilias##imported-end##

January 08, 2008 at 11:18 PM



“ I know I moved away from Yale, but I have never forgotten the memories of the time I had there with my friends. I still laugh when I remember the time that Roger got his tractor stuck in the mud and I was lucky enough to help him get it out. I am very sorry to hear of another one of my friends going on to their just rewards.
Bud Reppert##imported-begin##R.J. Reppert "Bud"##imported-end##

January 08, 2008 at 08:30 PM



“ Roger taught me more than almost anyone in my life and still to this day I use and pass on the small piece of his life he gave to me. Thank you Roger I will miss you.##imported-begin##ed van slambrouck##imported-end##

January 08, 2008 at 07:38 PM



“ To the family of Roger House
I would like to say how very sadden I was when I heard about
Roger's
passing. I know how it feels for I lost my father last year. I only met
Mr.House in the hospital and I could
tell he was a very warm and kind man.
He had a wonderful smile! I will always
remember his smile. I just wish I could
of done something more for him and his
family. If I can do anything for your
family please let me know. My thoughts
and prayers are with all of you.
Just remember the special times and hopefully it will bring a smile to
you.
That is what I have to do,may God be with you and your family God
Bless!
Sherry###imported-begin##Sherry Truscott/House Tech Mercy
Hospital###imported-end##

January 08, 2008 at 06:53 PM



“ Joe, Jim, Jeff & Jerry

You boys are lucky to have had parents like yours. They loved you boys and their grandchildren were so special to them.

Roger was a "one of a kind" guy who was usually cheerful and joking. I will certainly miss him as I do your Mom.

Always remember their love and kindness and follow their example of living and you will certainly be happy in life.

My sympathy goes out to all of you.

Love and Happiness Always

Lory Jean & Ed###imported-begin##Lory Jean Roberts##imported-end##

January 08, 2008 at 06:01 PM



“ Fay and Family, We are saddened to hear about the passing of Roger, Old Squatting Dog! It is a rare privilege to cross paths with someone as genuine as Roger in your lifetime and I am proud to say I have enjoyed that privilege since 1972. Roger will be missed but, I know he was a man of strong Christian Faith and he is with our lord. I'm sure Jesus said to Roger, "Well done my good and faithful servant, well done!" Please know you are in our prayers!###imported-begin##Levi and Joy Switzer##imported-end##

January 08, 2008 at 04:19 PM



“ To The House Family:
(Jeff & Jon)

Sending our love, prayers and sympathy for your loss.

We are sorry we can't be there in person but are thinking about you!

Please let us know if there is anything we can do for you.

*Michele & Kyle (Kosinski) Showers##imported-begin##Michele &
Kyle Showers##imported-end##*

January 08, 2008 at 04:19 PM

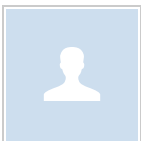


“ My condolences to Roger's family and to Fay. I worked with Roger at Efficient for many years and am so glad I had the opportunity to know and learn from him. Roger always made me feel like the nickname he gave me: "Special K". He is a man who will definitely be missed by many.

You are all in my thoughts and prayers. Kathy Zakalowski

PS - Fay, I am so glad you came into his life. You filled an emptiness in his heart. Thank you for that.##imported-begin##Kathy Zakalowski##imported-end##

January 08, 2008 at 02:33 PM



“ Jeff and Family,

I am so sorry to hear of your fathers passing. I am keeping you all in my thoughts and in my prayers.

Nancy (Gorski) Williams##imported-begin##Nancy Williams##imported-end##

January 08, 2008 at 11:38 AM



“ Thanks Roger for for everything you taught me. You will be missed.
God Bless.##imported-begin##David Renner##imported-end##

January 08, 2008 at 10:52 AM



“ My sincerest condolences to the House family & Fay in this time of
sorrow. I had the pleasure to work with Roger for many years.
Roger was my friend and mentor and I will miss him. Your family is
in our thoughts and prayers. Mike & Julie Hennessey##imported-
begin##Mike Hennessey##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 10:32 PM



“ To Jeff, John and all the House family. Your father must have been
a wonderful man and parent to have raised such wonderful men. Be
proud of him and his love for all of you. The Henderson family will
be thinking of you all this week and as you try to understand why
our loved ones have to leave us just when they are so appreciated
and loved.##imported-begin##Nancy Henderson##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 07:29 PM



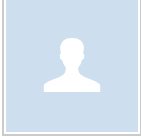
“ To the House family. Your dad had a great sense of humor and a kind heart and obviously passed those traits down to all of you. I still tell many funny stories that come from the "House" household. I told the guys at the golf course last week about taking our dads golfing for Fathers Day. My dad shanked one into the concrete restroom and your dad laughed for the rest of the round! Every one of you has had a positive influence on my life in one way or another and I'm proud to have you as friends. Jerry, you are the true meaning of a best friend! My thoughts and prayers are with you. God bless!##imported-begin##Rob Roy##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 07:26 PM



“ Joe, Jim, Jeff, Jerry and families, I was saddened to hear of your fathers sudden illness and death. How traumatic for all of you. I just wanted you all to know how kindly I have always thought of your dad. Growing up he always used to call me adorable, silly huh, but just the kind of guy he was. I have many fond thoughts of your mom and dad and all of you. Good memories I can recall and laugh and cry over. As we age we realize those were some really great days. All our parents still here and the fun and carefree times we enjoyed. May you find comfort in knowing that others are grieving with you and saying a prayer that love and kindness guide you in the days ahead. Much sympathy to the House Family and may God Bless you all.##imported-begin##Dora Superczynski-Osborne##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 06:54 PM



“ I worked at Efficient from 1958 to 1968 and met Roger some time during that period. I am very sad to hear of his passing, however I am sure he is in a better place.##imported-begin##Ronald Frischman##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 03:45 PM



“ Our condolences to Rogers Family and his companion Fay. I worked with Rog at Efficient for many years. He was always fun to be around. Seeing him a few times after we both retired showed that he hadn't changed a bit. He will be sorely missed.
Roger & Phyllis Mink##imported-begin##Roger Mink##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 03:17 PM



“ Joe & Rita,

I didn't really know your father, but I do know how important family and friends are to you. That's a pretty great gift you received.

Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

Ed & Sue Crimmins##imported-begin##Ed & Sue Crimmins##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 01:32 PM



“ Our condolences to Fay and Rogers families.
Roger was a genuinely good person that I enjoyed working with for many years.
I will miss him and his Emails greatly.
Love David & Ann##imported-begin##David Heilbrun##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 01:25 PM



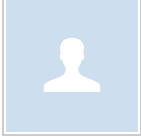
“ To the House Family, I may not have known your father, but I have had the pleasure of meeting his son Jim. A true example of one self is the man he raises. Jim your father must have been a wonderful human being. My prayers are with you and your family in this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##ARTIE HOOKS##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 01:15 PM



“ Jim,
My condolences to you and your family##imported-begin##mike kaid##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 12:51 PM



“ To Jim and the other family members of Roger House,

I send my sincere condolences to you and your family during this time of grief. I've been there many times before (husband, mother, father, twin sister, grandparents.....

However, know this.....your father has only changed "clothes". He will ALWAYS be with you. If you need him, just call on him. You've been fortunate to have had him with you for even 70 years. My heart and prayers go out to you.

With warm regards,

Pam Grady

Co-Worker of Jim House##imported-begin##Pamela S. Becker-Grady##imported-end##

January 07, 2008 at 12:36 PM