



Glen Harold Meyers

June 1, 1935 - September 16, 2020

ADRIAN- Glen Harold Meyers, age 85, of Adrian, died on Wednesday, September 16, 2020.

He was born on June 1, 1935, to Dwight and Bessie (Willnow) Meyers. Glen graduated from Adrian High School with the Class of 1953, and served his country in the U.S. Army. On November 23, 1956, Glen married the love of his life, Ruth Marie Cruickshank and they would have celebrated 64 wonderful years together this November.

From early on in life, Glen was mechanically inclined and could fix anything. He was licensed and worked in heating & refrigeration, and major appliances, retiring from Sears. Glen's workmanship left an impression on all of his customers, and they would often ask for him personally when they were in need of repairs. Glen's eye for detail was evident in the way he could see a vintage motorcycle, bicycle or car and restore it into "mint condition". Customers would come from all over the United States to inquire about his finished projects. Glen enjoyed collecting antique signs and gas pumps, and spending time outdoors on his lawn and beautiful landscaping.

Glen loved spending time with his family and friends. His quick wit was enjoyed by all who knew him. He attended Jasper Bible Church.

He is survived by his loving wife, Ruth; daughter, Penny (Pat) Frederick, and special grandson, Craig Frederick; son, Scott Meyers and two granddaughters, Jenna and Emma; sister, Delores Richards; close sister-in-law, Kathleen Vroman; and lifelong childhood friend, Keith Perkins. Glen was preceded in death by his parents, a granddaughter, Lisa Marie Frederick and brother, Rodney Meyers.

A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, September 23, 2020, at 12 p.m. at Wagley Funeral Home, Adrian, with Rev. Bruce Jewett officiating and full military rites conducted by the Annis-Fint Post #1584 and the American Legion Post #97 of Adrian. Visitation will take place from 10 a.m. until the time of the service. Burial will be private at Oakwood Cemetery. Following the Governor's executive order, all attendees are required to wear a proper face covering, with the exception of those under the age of five years old or those who cannot medically tolerate.

For those unable to be present, a live streaming of the service will be accessible from Glen's tribute wall on www.WagleyFuneralHome.com, where a link to view the recording will be available for 90 days.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made Jasper Bible Church or the First Presbyterian Church of Adrian. Online condolences and memories may be shared at www.wagleyfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

East Siena Heights Drive
Adrian, MI 49221

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **23**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Wagley Funeral Home (Adrian)
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Adrian, MI 49221
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<https://www.WagleyFuneralHome.com>

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wagley Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Webcast in memory of Glen Harold Meyers*



Wagley Funeral Home - September 22, 2020 at 06:32 PM



“ *Glen Harold Meyers*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *I'm so sorry to have just learned of Glens passing. Normally I would be stopping to visit with him on our return to Arizona from Northern mi., but this year we didn't return to Mi. and we would do some arm chair repair on one of his latest projects. I ment Glen many years ago at the Ann Arbor bicycle swap meet where I loaned him money to buy a Harley Hummer and we have been friends ever since. My only regret was that I didn't see the Hummer first. I miss our visits, with Rush Limbaugh on the radio in the back ground. Truly an incredible, knowledgeable, one of a kind man. I miss him and love him. I will cherish the video of him demonstrating how to start his cut-away airplane motor. God speed Glen. Flip Halstead forever your friend.*

Flip Halstead - September 30, 2020 at 11:18 AM

BS

“ Our condolences to you and your family during this most tragic and horrendous time. We knew Glen many, many years ago. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

*Bud and Jan Stevenson
Presbyterian friends*

Bud and Jan Stevenson - September 29, 2020 at 08:43 PM

MV

“ Keeping you close in thoughts and prayers❤️

Mary Vallad - September 26, 2020 at 05:24 PM

MV

“ *Mary Vallad lit a candle in memory of Glen
Harold Meyers*



Mary Vallad - September 26, 2020 at 05:23 PM

MB

“ *I am sorry to have never met the man, but I grew up with his nephews, Brad and James. My deepest sympathies during this very troubling time. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Matt Basham and family

Matt Basham - September 25, 2020 at 07:23 PM

EH

“ Evelyn & Ron H. lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers



Evelyn & Ron H. - September 23, 2020 at 05:56 PM

JC

“ James and Elisa Carothers purchased the Ghirar delli Galore for the family of Glen Harold Meyers.



James and Elisa Carothers - September 23, 2020 at 03:21 PM

JC

“ James E Carothers sent a virtual gift in memory of Glen Harold Meyers



James E Carothers - September 23, 2020 at 03:14 PM

JC

“ James E Carothers lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers



James E Carothers - September 23, 2020 at 03:13 PM

JM

“ So sorry to hear about your loss. We are praying for the family. We always enjoyed when Glen would stop by our shop (Continental Service) and talk old race cars! And We had a good time when we would stop by his home to see his collection. If you guys need anything please feel free to call us. We have so many customers that come in that knew Glen -- he definitely will be missed.

Jeff Morton and Family : John Morton and family : Ray Stickler and family

Jeff Morton - September 23, 2020 at 02:01 PM

MH

“ *Martha Hall lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers*



Martha Hall - September 23, 2020 at 12:40 PM

AC

“ *Angie Carlton lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers*



Angie Carlton - September 23, 2020 at 12:23 PM

AC

“ Angie Carlton lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers



Angie Carlton - September 23, 2020 at 11:58 AM

SD

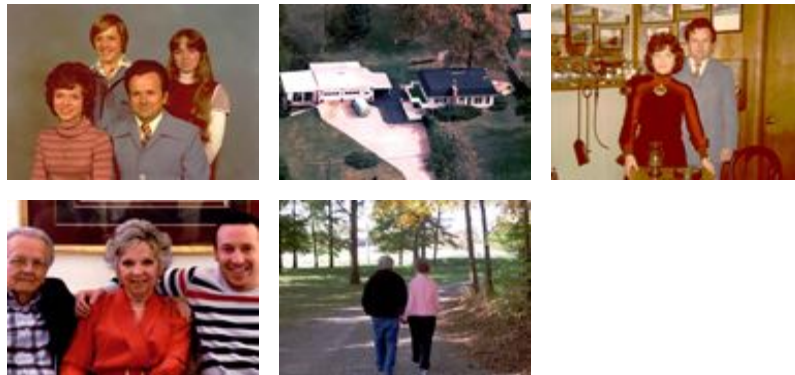
“ Susie Dice lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers



Susie Dice - September 23, 2020 at 07:55 AM



“ 5 files added to the album LifeTributes



Wagley Funeral Home - September 22, 2020 at 06:21 PM

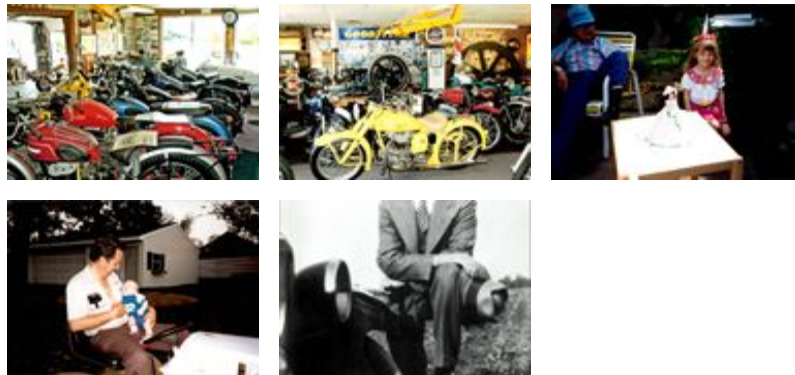
JB

“ Glen wasn't my grandpa but for the time I got to know him he felt like one. This song reminded me of him awhile back during this pandemic. I thought it would be nice to share it. <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=RDK2O8iEkh5vw&feature=share&playnext=1>

Joshua Baker - September 22, 2020 at 06:01 PM



“ 75 files added to the album Life Tributes



Wagley Funeral Home - September 22, 2020 at 05:01 PM

“ Lifelong Lessons a Tribute to Glen H. Meyers (part 2)

The night before the Adrian Sesquicentennial celebration, we planned to decorate our bikes to ride in the town parade. On our way to grab supplies to decorate the bikes, a car door opened unexpectedly, and my cousin drove into it with his bike. He took a tumble but managed to remain scrape free. His 10 speed's front forks took the true punishment. They looked like irreparable twisted metal. We called his dad who came in his truck to retrieve the bike and repair it in time for the parade.

I called later in the day and was told things were good and to come on over with the bike decorations – the typical streamers, red, white and blue crepe paper, colored straws for the spokes, etc. I grabbed my supplies and headed to my cousin's house. About 30 seconds into the journey, my right brake handle parted company with the handlebars. The braking handle and brake cable quickly wound deep into the spinning front wheel, sending me tumbling over the handlebars and into the adjacent ditch.

I got up, gathered up the supplies and proceeded to push my now very janky bike a mile or so down the road and up to my Uncle Glen's garage. He now had a second bike to help remedy. I can still hear him say as I approached the open garage door, "What are we ever going to do with you two clowns? Get in here and let me see what's wrong!" No hesitation, no questions, he just made sure we could get our bikes mechanically sound and good to go.

Crisis averted; we made the parade. This illustrates just one of the many ways Uncle Glen was someone you could depend on, always. I moved away from Adrian once grown. Those formative years and the lessons learned are now simply images one sees looking into life's rearview mirror. What remains is my work ethic and ambition formed up from a few special role models, with Uncle Glen's name found at the top of the list. I passed that same work ethic down to my own children and take pride in the people they have become and their accomplishments.

For the brief amount of time my own young children had come to know their Great Uncle Glen, it filled me with happiness to see him

tease and challenge them as he had always done with me. Uncle Glen will forever be part of this legacy of lessons learned and passed down through family.

Glen Harold Meyers made his presence in this world. His life was meaningful and those of us lucky enough to have known him are all the better because of it. He was a loving husband to his wife, a devoted father to his children and benevolent grandfather to his grandchildren.

Loved and respected by us all, he will be remembered for a life well led and making a difference in all our lives.

My respects,

David Cruickshank

September 2020

david cruickshank - September 22, 2020 at 02:59 PM

“ Lifelong Lessons (Part 1)

A tribute to Glen Harold Meyers

There comes a time in your life when you first get introduced to the concept of being able to laugh at yourself. To not take yourself too seriously. Perhaps it's easier said than done and we don't always know when someone laughs at us or with us. I believe that my Uncle, in whatever teasing or joking he would offer, was all about laughing with you and pointing out the humor or the upside of a situation.

My earliest recollection of Uncle Glen and his influence on my view of things came from one early summer's eve when my dad and Glen took us kids over to the high school parking lot to drive my mini bike and my cousin's go-kart. I'd never driven a go-kart. It was apparent, too, as I made my first big turn only to smash into a No Parking sign. Hard, with some blood. Just enough to upset a grade school aged Midwestern boy, super embarrassed for not yet having mastered car driving skills. It was also just enough impact to bend the go-kart, preventing future runs that night. For some added humiliation, my cousin drove my mini bike, flawlessly.

I walked away from the crash, and aside from a busted lip and bruised ego, I was fine. Once we properly wrecked my dad's shirt cleaning me up, it was Uncle Glen who got my mind off of the moment by suggesting that next time I should try driving with my eyes open. The message was clear, that while this was not a checkered flag driving experience, it was far from the end of go-karts and mini bikes; it was, in fact, only just the beginning of many more rides. The message in that moment was that it was okay to laugh at the unforced error and to learn from it. And I did. Plus, I think we still got to go to Frosty Boy.

The lessons of life come to us frequently and repeatedly as children. A good one is the general understanding that work should come before play. Both my Aunt and Uncle modeled this with aplomb. I would ride my bike down Carson Highway to see what my cousin was up to for the day and to see if he wanted to go fishing or biking somewhere. Remember, in the seventies there was no Internet, no

cell phone, no texting. In other words, no early warning system for my cousin to alert me that a work and hard labor scenario was in progress.

I would roll up into the yard seeing all the work taking place, knowing immediately that the fishing or biking idea was about to become delayed. When you are a kid, you might think of this as bad luck depending upon the chores to be done. Mowing lawns, raking leaves, shoveling dirt was something to whine about, but getting to cut firewood with a chainsaw or use a wood splitter was, on the other hand, more compelling to a 10-year old. I could have just kept on pedaling and waving as I rode by and yet I never did. Something inside me said this is good; you need to be here.

Uncle Glen may have been motivated just to get some work or a project done, but I appreciated his view that even two little punk kids like my cousin and I could be taught how to use power tools, how to paint a bedroom wall or how to back up a trailer with a tractor.

Plenty of time to watch over his shoulder too, because he could repair and restore anything. So many of these lessons included understanding why we do the work and recognizing its value.

We did the work. All kinds and all the time, yet it was never just a means to an end. He valued play too. I suppose his passion restoring old engines and other antiques was a cornerstone of his fun in life; his passion was evident. Yet despite the chores first approach, he included good down time. He would take us fishing after a long day or take us on a day trip down to a swap meet in Wauseon, or to Delta for Friday Night flat track motorcycle races. I think he liked taking us over to Dewey Lake just so he could crack a dad joke saying that it was named because we asked the question, "Do we like it for fishing?"

david cruickshank - September 22, 2020 at 02:57 PM

TF

“ *The Xerox Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Glen Harold Meyers.*



The Xerox Family - September 22, 2020 at 01:17 PM

LK

“ *Liz Kaehn lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers*



Liz Kaehn - September 22, 2020 at 11:21 AM

NK

“ *Negron Ben, Connie, Michael, Reid, Lilly and Kevin purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Glen Harold Meyers.*



Negron Ben, Connie, Michael, Reid, Lilly and Kevin -
September 22, 2020 at 09:48 AM

RF

“ *Retan Family lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers*



Retan family - September 22, 2020 at 07:05 AM

KW

“ Dear Ruth,

There are simply no words. Just know that my entire family is hugging you and yours with our hearts. Glen was a friend of our family for many years. My late father, George Barrows, thought the world of Glen. Perhaps they are talking "engines" as I write this. I like the thought. With our Deepest Sympathy,

Karen Barrows Wilson

Karen Barrows Wilson - September 21, 2020 at 04:12 PM

TE

“ Theresa Enriquez lit a candle in memory of
Glen Harold Meyers



Theresa Enriquez - September 21, 2020 at 02:42 PM

DB

“ Im so sorry for your tragic loss your family is in my prayers my God
bring u comfort an justice

Debbie bogart - September 20, 2020 at 09:51 PM

AA

“ Dear Ruth and family,
I know that words are inadequate at a time like this, but I wanted you to know how very sorry I am for the loss of your husband and father, Glen. Ruth, I count myself truly fortunate to have met the two of you almost forty years ago. I hope that you and your family can find some comfort in your many special memories and in the happy years you shared.
Fondly, April (Nystrom) Amo

April Amo - September 20, 2020 at 06:39 PM

DC

“ David, Julie, Chelsea and Jaclyn Cruickshank purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Glen Harold Meyers.



David, Julie, Chelsea and Jaclyn Cruickshank - September 20, 2020 at 06:11 PM

PF

“ Dear Ruth and family sending you my condolences for your tragic and lost of your husband Glen. Prayers and hugs. Use to see both of you on taco night at A L. Pat Fuller May God give you comfort.

Pat Fuller - September 20, 2020 at 05:25 PM

TF

“ The Evelyn & Harold Gregg Family lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers



The Evelyn & Harold Gregg family - September 20, 2020 at 12:40 PM

ST

“ Dear Ruth and family, we are so very sorry for your loss . Glen was a very wonderful person and will be missed. He was always by your side and cared a lot for you. May he Rest In Peace in the arms of Our Lord.

Bob and Sandy Trevino

sandy Trevino - September 20, 2020 at 12:06 PM

DF

“ I am sorry for you and your family I have lots of memories of your family and mine in the 60 and 70 going to the races lots of dinners and cedar point I always get smile on my face of the fun times we all had I will be thinking and praying for you Del

Delbert Felkey - September 20, 2020 at 11:10 AM

JB

“ My heart is crushed and I am sending love and hugs to you, Ruthie, my dear friend and all the family. I will miss my bantering with Glen on the phone. Everytime we talked, I would always say, sooooo Gleny,how are you doing on a scale of 1 to 10, and as usual he would usually pick one of the lowest numbers. So, about a month ago, I called Ruth and Glen picked up(which usually ment Ruth was not at home. Sooooo, I said, Gleny, how are you doing on a scale of 1 to 2..We both burst out laughing and I told him I was saving him the trouble of having to pick a low number... I will miss you dear friend. 🌴😭❤️ thanks for all the laughter, letting me take Ruthie shopping, and one time giving her extra money to buy me a pair of earrings.



Jean Brown - September 19, 2020 at 11:39 PM

CB

“ So very sorry for your family's loss. This is such a terrible tragedy. Rest in heaven sir and thanks for your service.

Random stranger from Tecumseh



Chris Blair - September 19, 2020 at 11:01 PM

VI

“ Our deepest sympathy in ur loss of husband ,father ,grandfather n brother. Vic n I met him at Adrian McDonalds when him n his wife came in n hang out with pastor Jewwett. Very pleasant n friendly. So sorry in the loss of a great man. Surely will be missed. .you all are in our THOUGHTS and prayers,God give u all the strenght at this difficult time. May u all feel gods presence around u. N he will comfort u all. 🙏🙏

Vic n Isabel Inclan

Vic n Isabel Inclan - September 19, 2020 at 08:02 PM



“ Our sincere sympathy for your tragic loss. Know you are in our prayers - The Pellowe's

Nancy Pellowe - September 19, 2020 at 07:33 PM

CW

“ Dear Ruth, Penny and Craig,
I am sending sincere condolences to your family. My heart weeps for you. Your family is precious and loved.



Cindy Williams - September 19, 2020 at 07:03 PM

KT

“ Penny and family--again we are so sorry about your father. But having known and worked with you, he must have been a wonderful person to have such a wonderful daughter. I know that no words will take away the grief you must be feeling, but know that we are thinking of you and your family and keeping you in our prayers.
Kathy and Randy Tripp

Kathleen Tripp - September 19, 2020 at 03:15 PM

KT

“ Penny and family--I'm so sorry to hear about your father.



Kathleen Tripp - September 19, 2020 at 03:12 PM

MB

“ Very sorry to hear of the Sudden and tragic death of a person who has been such a delight in the heart of many people. May your faith be a consolation to you as you pray for his eternal peace and joy.
Maria G. Browne

Maria G. Browne - September 19, 2020 at 02:35 PM

JZ

“ Ruthie, my heart goes out to you and your family. Glen was such a good man, I always enjoyed his sense of humor and his quick wit, he always called me kid when he talked to me, I don't understand this world any more, please know that our whole family is thinking of all of you and praying for you, I love you Ruthie. Love, Jennie and Family

Jennie Zubke - September 19, 2020 at 01:08 PM

GF

“ I am so very sorry for your loss. I find rest, and hope you can too, in the fact that one day we all will be able to see Glen again through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Hallelujah! I won't be able to give each of you, his family, a hug, but know that you are in our prayers and that we send you our love. Again, I am so very sorry.



G. Freese - September 19, 2020 at 11:35 AM

TG

“ so sorry for your loss



theresa griewahn - September 19, 2020 at 11:33 AM

LC

“ Glen and I were part of the Three Musketeers on Ormsby St. when he was staying with his Aunt and Uncle Erhart. We were the terrors of the street but we enjoyed playing outside in the neighborhood where everybody watched out for everybody else. In later years we met up again in junior high and high school as part of the Class of 1953. He will always be a part of my memories!

Lois Nearhood Curtis

Lois N. Curtis - September 19, 2020 at 10:05 AM

JB

“ I’m so very sorry for your loss. My Sympathy goes out to Ruth Meyers and Family. I am saddened and hurt by this I’m angry . I know this hard and going to with forever I can only imagine. Besides this guy getting what he deserves that did this horrible thing. If this helps any we have to remember who he was and the good times. I don’t know his family I met Ruth and heard a lot about her. You are a very sweet lady I was a blessing to met you as well. I hope we can met a talk sometime soon. God Bless you and your family.



Joshua Baker - September 18, 2020 at 11:22 PM

JB

“ I had the honor to get to know this man a little over a year ago and we had a connection right away. We shared the same passion of Antquies gas and oil and local history. He became one of my friends and felt like a grandfather. I cling to a lot old timers because of my Antquie passion and probably because I never had a grandfather myself and not much of a father growing neither. There was something about Glen that wasn’t like some of my other friends or men his age I have met. And the more I talked him we would find out we other things in common like not having a father in our lives as young boy and man. He was one of the nicest guys i have met. We had plans to go for coffee and to the antique tractor show this year but due to Covid 19 that didn’t and sadly I didn’t get to visit him at all this year because of Covid 19. I was blessed with the time I got with him. He was a good man he will be missed. RIP Glen



Joshua Baker - September 18, 2020 at 11:12 PM

DE

“ So sorry about your tragic loss! I did not know Glen or you, his family, but wanted to let you know all of you are in my prayers & thoughts. May the Lord bring you comfort & peace at this time.

Dawn Edwards - September 18, 2020 at 10:14 PM

RC

“ Rebecca Clark lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers



rebecca clark - September 18, 2020 at 09:59 PM

SG

“ So sorry for your loss, your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

Saralee Groulx - September 18, 2020 at 09:38 PM

JK

“ So very sorry for your tragic, terrible loss. My thoughts are with your family.

Jennifer K.

Jennifer K - September 18, 2020 at 09:10 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Glen Harold Meyers.



September 18, 2020 at 09:02 PM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Glen Harold Meyers.*



September 18, 2020 at 08:39 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Glen Harold Meyers.*



September 18, 2020 at 07:53 PM



“ *Penny and family, keeping you all close to our hearts in prayer. May God send His peace.
Christian Love, Ric and Alice Stiekes*

alice stiekes - September 18, 2020 at 07:07 PM



“ *Ruth and Family: We are so so sorry to hear about Glen. What a sweet soul ! We have so many memories and had so many fun times with Glen in the past several years at the events. He loved you so very much and made that known. May God wrap His arms around you now and in the days ahead. If there is anything that Bob and I can do for you, please let us know. Love to you and your family He will be missed so much !!*

Bob/Gail Beals - September 18, 2020 at 06:58 PM

CM

“ So very sad to see this today. Glen and Ruth have been exceptional neighbors for thirty years, we couldn't have asked for better people to live by. My heart goes out to Ruth, Penny and Scott and we will keep you in our prayers.

Cynthia and Jason Morley and Family

Cynthia Morley - September 18, 2020 at 06:58 PM

CC

“ Cheryl Chaney lit a candle in memory of Glen Harold Meyers



Cheryl Chaney - September 18, 2020 at 06:26 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Glen Harold Meyers.



September 18, 2020 at 06:10 PM

CS

“ So very sorry for your loss, may God bless each one of you! From the Blaker family!

Coral Sackett - September 18, 2020 at 05:29 PM



“ Prayers going up!



Janis L Whitehead - September 18, 2020 at 05:09 PM



“ So so sorry for your tragic loss! We will miss Glen riding his motorcycles through our subdivision across the street. He was such a kind person. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. God speed to all his family!

Laurie Williams - September 18, 2020 at 04:57 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Glen Harold Meyers.



September 18, 2020 at 04:45 PM



“ Penny,my ❤️ heart is breaking, for you and your family,,,your Dad was such a sweet man, keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers 🙏,,, sending you and your Mom a big huge hug,and lots of love,may God give you strength and peace,,,, Wilma and Jeff,,,

Wilma and Jeff Westgate - September 18, 2020 at 04:12 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Glen Harold Meyers.*



September 18, 2020 at 03:16 PM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. May the Lord watch over you and your family.*
Jesse and Sylvia Burciaga

Sylvia burciaga - September 18, 2020 at 02:55 PM



“ *My heart breaks for Glenn's wife and family*



mary martin - September 18, 2020 at 02:53 PM



“ *Sending prayers and thoughts to his family and friends during this difficult time. My heart breaks for his family.*

Patty Allison - September 18, 2020 at 02:52 PM



“ *So very sorry for this tragic loss. Your dad / husband was such a gentle, kind hearted man. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.*

Mary Ball - September 18, 2020 at 01:33 PM

LS

“ *My sympathies to Mrs. Meyers, Penny and family. I'm raising you all in prayer that you may find comfort and peace at this time. Mr Meyers was always such a nice man as I remember him from our childhood, Penny. I hope you feel the love and support of family and friends. Laura (Lowery) Scheich*

Laura Scheich - September 18, 2020 at 01:05 PM