



Rowland Aaron Short Sr.

June 12, 1939 - March 29, 2025

Rowland Aaron Short, Sr., age 85, passed away peacefully on March 29, 2025, surrounded by family. He was born on June 12, 1939, to Archie and Alberta Short (Britton). He was married to Lynne Short (Jalosky) for 48 years until her passing in 2023. He was a supportive and loving father to Rowland Short Jr. (Pamela), a grandfather to Alyssa Lewis (Jordan), and a great-grandfather to Avery Lynne. He was preceded in death by his siblings Archie Jr., Lorenzo, Richard, and Ruby. He was also a beloved uncle to many nieces and nephews who will miss him dearly.

Rowland's devotion to his family was unmatched, and he was always willing to help and support them in any way he could. He was a proud U.S. Army veteran.

Rowland was known for his love of motorcycles, playing cards, smooth jazz, and his many pet dogs. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends, who will continue to honor his memory and celebrate his life.

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

4200 Belford Road
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Family and Friends Hour

APR 3. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services
24585 Evergreen Rd
Southfield, MI 48075
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info@kempfh.com
<https://www.kempfuneralhome.com>

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Livestreamed Funeral Service in memory of Rowland Aaron Short Sr.*



Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services - April 03, 2025 at 10:06 AM

PA

“ *Always calm cool collected, driving his truck just enough to keep the motor engaged.
I am missing Rowland In our community.
Pauline*

Pauline - April 21, 2025 at 06:08 PM

LR

“ *He was such an amazing man with a beautiful spirit. My heart goes out to all his family. He will forever be in our hearts. I just want to personally thank him and his son Roland for everything they have done for our family. We appreciate and love you guys. Please let me know if you need anything. Love La'Tifah Rainer*

Latifah Rainer - April 03, 2025 at 10:44 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Rowland Aaron Short Sr..*



April 02, 2025 at 08:17 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Rowland Aaron Short Sr..

April 02, 2025 at 08:17 AM



“ *A true gentleman, neighbor and American soldier. David Van Gelder*

David Van Gelder - April 02, 2025 at 08:06 AM



“ *Rowland will be missed in our community. He and I often shared stories of mutual friends we knew from High School. He would stop by with his beloved dogs to chat. May his soul rest in peace. 🙏*

Mitzi Mitsunaga

Mitzi Mitsunaga - April 01, 2025 at 08:47 PM



“ *We will miss our friend and next door neighbor, Rowland. Love, Tom and Mary Miller*

Mary K. Miller - April 01, 2025 at 04:46 PM

LT

“ Love, Mom, Dad, and Timmie purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Rowland Aaron Short Sr..



Love, Mom, Dad, and Timmie - April 01, 2025 at 04:00 PM

ST

“ Rowland (and Lynne) will be truly missed. We had been neighbors and friends for many years. We spent a lot of time talking. I will miss not seeing Rowland, many times standing at his front door waving, when I would be coming home.

Steve Trzesniowski - March 31, 2025 at 09:31 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rowland Aaron Short Sr..



March 31, 2025 at 09:00 PM

SM

“ Rowland will be greatly missed. He was my favorite customer when I was with Grainger! I love it when he'd come and see me in South Lyon on his Harley! Your friend, Shawn Mackley

Shawn Mackley - March 31, 2025 at 05:39 PM