



Gary Pohyba

January 1, 1946 - January 13, 2026

Gary Pohyba, 80, of Eau Claire, died Tuesday, January 13, 2026, at Corewell Health Lakeland Hospital in St. Joseph.

Celebration of Life Service will be held at 2:00 PM on Friday, January 16, 2026, at the Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral and Cremation Service in Benton Township with Rev. James Dunn of the Yore Avenue Community Church officiating. Burial will follow the service at Mount Pleasant Cemetery in Sodus Township. Visitation will be from 1 to 2 pm on Friday at the Fairplain Chapel. Please share messages or memories at www.florn.net.

Gary was born on January 1, 1946 in Germany to John and Donna Pohyba. He married his wife, Inna, and together enjoyed many years of happiness. Gary was a truck driver for Long Distribution for close to 20 years and retired from there. He was very proud of his Ukranian heritage and very interested in current politics. He was a big sports fan, especially for the Lions and Cubs. Gary and Inna enjoyed taking scenic drives through the Midwest, cooki8ng, and watching movies. He also enjoyed stamp collecting, playing board games with family, and gardening.

Gary's family includes his wife, Inna; his 2 sons, Justin Pohyba of Eau Claire and Mark Pohyba of Sarasota, Florida; his 2 daughters, Katerina Dyachenko of Dallas, Texas, and Kristen Marshall of Gainesville, Florida; his 4 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. He was preceded in death by his son, Daniel, and his brother, William.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Pleasant Cemetery

5508 S. Pipestone Road
Sodus, MI 49126

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service
1053 East Napier Avenue
Benton Harbor, MI 49022
(269) 926-7222
staff@florin.net

Celebration of life

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Burial

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Rieth-Riley Construction purchased the Fiery Lily and Rose for the family of Gary Pohyba.* ”



Rieth-Riley Construction - January 16 at 08:33 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gary Pohyba.* ”



January 15 at 06:06 PM