



Carl Bruce Gehrman

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Carl Bruce Gehrman, age 83, passed away on February 24, 2025. He was born on April 11, 1941 in Cleveland, Ohio to the late Carl and Nellie Gehrman.

In July of 1963, Carl married his beloved wife, Ruth Gehrman, and they built a beautiful life together. He is also survived by his brother, Richard (Lois) Gehrman, and many wonderful nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Carl was preceded in death by his brother, William Gehrman.

Carl was an active and devoted member of the Abram Creek Baptist Church and its predecessor Madison Avenue Baptist Church for over 60 years, as well as a proud graduate of Lutheran High School West. He worked for the former Deaconess Hospital, Revco Drug stores, and Babies 'R Us. He was also a regular sight for many years at baseball and hockey games at the old Municipal Stadium and Cleveland Arena, where he worked as a vendor to supplement his income. Carl was a great fan of local sports teams, particularly the Cleveland Guardians.

People who met Carl didn't forget him. He had an encyclopedic memory. He cared for every generation of his relatives. He welcomed everyone. He was reliable, determined, curious, affectionate, and faithful.

Visitation will be held at Abram Creek Baptist Church, 18664 Sheldon Road, Brook Park, Ohio 44142 on Thursday, March 6, 2025 from 5:30 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. with the funeral service to follow.

Carl will be laid to rest at Sunset Memorial Park, 6265 Columbia Road, North Olmsted, Ohio 44070.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Carl's honor to Abram Creek Baptist Church or to the Cleveland Guardians Charities, in support of youth baseball and softball.



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Abram Creek Baptist Church: <https://www.abramcreek.com/give-online.html>

Cleveland Guardians Charities: <https://www.mlb.com/guardians/community/donation-form>



Events

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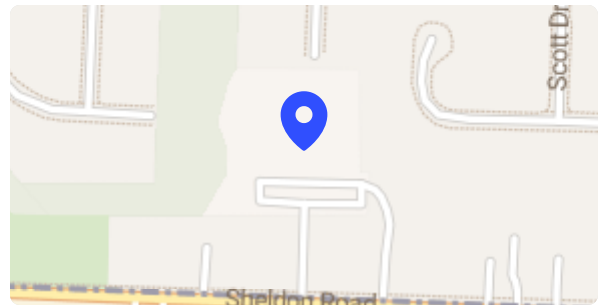
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Visitation

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5:30 PM - 7:00 PM ET

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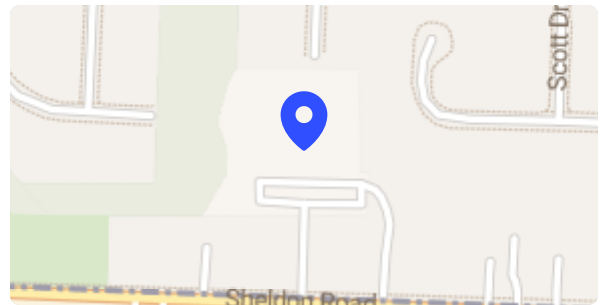


Funeral Service

Thursday, March 6, 2025

7:00 PM ET

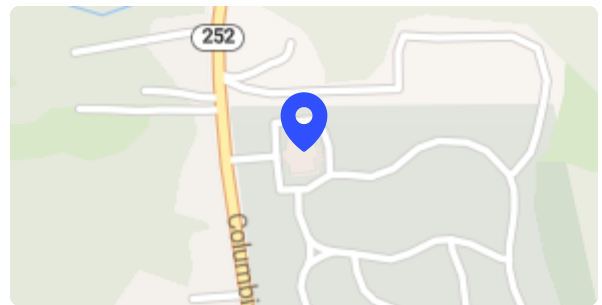
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Cemetery Details

Sunset Cemetery
6265 Columbia Road, North Olmsted OH 44070

(440) 249-6256





Tribute Wall

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Aaliyah Guzman lit a candle in honor of Carl.

Carl was a true blessing to me when I worked at Rocky River Village as a housekeeper. He would greet me every single morning and tell me stories about his beloved wife Ruth whom he cherished deeply. He was truly a joy to be around and I miss him everyday. Rest in peace Carl!



October 25 at 8:11 PM

KF

Kathy Dalton-Fuchs posted:

Uncle Carl prayed for my health and family needs for decades. He would also call me on a regular basis to me know how both he and Aunt Ruth were doing. Since I live out of state I valued his calls. He and Aunt Ruth took me, and other cousins, to Cleveland Indians baseball games and to the Ohio State Fair. These are some of my fondest childhood memories. He had a big heart and he was loved and will be missed.

March 1 at 4:50 PM

KF

Kathy Dalton-Fuchs posted:

Rich and Lois and family I am so sorry for your loss. Uncle Carl was very faithful to pray for my health and family prayer needs. He did this for decades. He would also call me on a regular basis to let me know how both he and Aunt Ruth were doing. Since I live out of state it was great to hear how they were doing. Some of my fondest childhood memories were those of Uncle Carl and Aunt Ruth taking me, and other cousins, to Cleveland Indians baseball games as well as to the Ohio Stat Fair. He was loved and will be missed.

March 1 at 4:37 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Carl by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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