



## William "Dale" Freeland

February 14, 1944 - July 2, 2024

William "Dale" Freeland, age 80 of Jackson, Ohio passed away peacefully surrounded by family on Tuesday, July, 2nd 2024 in Jackson, Ohio. Dale was born February 14th, 1944, to the late William Alfred "Bill" and Marjorie Vivian "Music" Freeland in Jackson, Ohio.

Dale was a 1963 graduate of Jackson High School. - He worked for Ohio State Patrol for 30 years as a radio dispatcher, driver license examiner, and a CDL examiner. Once he retired from the OSP he worked as the Manager of the James A Rhodes Airport. During his tenure at the airport, he was able to obtain his pilot license.

Dale loved the outdoors and enjoyed deer hunting where he looked forward to his annual deer hunting trip with his buddy Dean and friends.

He also enjoyed woodworking and making beautiful walking sticks for his family and friends, the Ohio State Buckeyes and watching the news really, really, loud.

He took pride in his big full mustache, and we would tease that it looked like a squirrel tail.

He loved to garden and make homemade pickles and was a member of the First Christian Church and The United Bretheron Church.

He enjoyed reading about Ohio history, the civil war, the Wild West, Native American history and one of his favorite authors is Louis L'Amour.

He was a kind, gentle, soul who loved his family more than anything and adored his grandchildren with a special bond with Illyana the youngest. We know he is in heaven and will be watching over all of us.

Special thanks to his team at Davita Dialysis who took great care of him the last 8 years and both National Church Residences and Heartland Hospice who cared for him in his last days.

Dale is survived by his loving wife, Pamela "Lackey" Freeland, children, Karen (Frank) Yablonsky, Tara Freeland and husband Dan Polcyn, William Michael (Andrea) Freeland, Todd Faulkner, Laura (Tony) Ireland, Leanne Freeland, brother, Jerry Freeland, sister, Norma Fuller, grandchildren, Alex, Abby, Ema, Trista, Taylor, Jack, Emily, Nicholas, Savannah, Sydney, Illyana, Nick, Maddie, special friends, Hugh (Cindy) Bateman, Keith (Judy) Ferris and Dean Martin as well as several nieces and nephews. Besides his parents, Dale was preceded in death by son, Stephen Jay Faulkner

Funeral services will be held at 1PM Saturday, July 6th, 2024 at the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home in Jackson, Ohio. The family will receive friends two hours prior to the service from 11-1PM, with Pastor Rob Ervin officiating. Burial will follow in the Fairmount Cemetery in Jackson.

# Cemetery Details

## Fairmount Cemetery

12 Fairmont St  
Jackson, OH 45640  
(740) 286-2090

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 6. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home  
135 Broadway Street  
Jackson, OH 45640  
(740) 286-4161

## Funeral Service

JUL 6. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

CP

“ Sending Condolences to Pam & the family. Prayers that the Lord will send Angels to comfort you during your hour of grief.

Carol Porter - July 07, 2024 at 04:27 PM

JD

“ Jason, Heather and Brennen Dunlap purchased the Express Sympathy and Condolences "I Have You in My Heart" with Butterfly Wind Chime for the family of William "Dale" Freeland.



Jason, Heather and Brennen Dunlap - July 06, 2024 at 10:55 AM

AC

“ So sorry to hear of Dale's passing! He was a great neighbor for many years. We had a lot of good chats in the yard between our houses. I loved smelling his fires in his fire pit. Sorry I will not be able to attend the service, as I will be out of town. Prayers for Pam and the whole family!  
Love,  
Anne Callahan

Anne Callahan - July 05, 2024 at 05:30 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of William "Dale" Freeland.



July 05, 2024 at 02:23 PM

KM

“ Kevin & Laura Martin planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William "Dale" Freeland.

Kevin & Laura Martin - July 05, 2024 at 02:23 PM

JF

“ Great memories with Dale and Pam over the years, so many times getting together to eat out from Spaghetti Warehouse to the river. Will always remember our fun times with laughter and love. ❤️

Judy Ferris - July 05, 2024 at 01:14 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of William "Dale" Freeland.



July 05, 2024 at 01:04 PM

KF

“ Keith and Judy Ferris purchased the Wings of a Dove Tribute Blanket for the family of William "Dale" Freeland.



Keith and Judy Ferris - July 05, 2024 at 01:03 PM

NF

“ *Norma and The Fuller Family purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of William "Dale" Freeland.*



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**Norma and The Fuller Family** - July 05, 2024 at 11:02 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Dale" Freeland.*



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July 05, 2024 at 10:45 AM

TG

“ *Teresa Filleman and Larry Grow planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of William "Dale" Freeland.*

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**Teresa Filleman and Larry Grow** - July 05, 2024 at 10:45 AM