



**Name:** Ralph Theodore Moeller

**Age:** 87

**Hometown:** Palms

**Funeral Date:** August 01, 2024

**Date of Birth:** January 09, 1937

**Date of Passing:** July 27, 2024

**Funeral Home:** **Apsey Funeral Home**

### **Funeral Information**

Cremation has taken place and Celebration of Ralph's Life will take place at Noon on Thursday, August 1, 2024 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Forestville, where family and friends may visit 9:00 AM till the time of service. Memorial Contributions in memory of Ralph may be made to the family to be divided among the church, sheriff posse and hospice. Arrangements entrusted to Apsey Funeral Home – Deckerville. Share memories and condolences online with the family at [apseyfuneralhome.net](http://apseyfuneralhome.net).

### **Family of the Deceased**

Ralph's family was the cornerstone of his existence. He was a loving father to Linda and her husband Gary Vogel, Nina and her husband Perry Messing, Donna and her husband David Mitchell, Victoria and her husband Craig Merriman, and Melissa Moeller. His legacy continued to blossom through his 18 grandchildren: Joshua (Pamela), Derrick (Isabelle), Megan (Mike), Samuel (Jennifer, Remington, (Kristin), Mallori (Shawn), Devin (Kelly), Sara (Steven), Ashley, Brook, Max, Jennifer, Thomas, Danny, Benjamin, Rebecca, Aubree, Heath, and 16 great-

grandchildren, each of whom carried a spark of Ralph's indomitable spirit. Though Ralph was preceded in death by his cherished wife Doris, his parents Theodore and Jenny Moeller, and his sisters Leona, Esther, and Mildred, the essence of his being remained a guiding force for all who were privileged to walk alongside him. Ralph's life story is a tapestry woven with threads of joy, resilience, and a sense of humor. He showed us that to be adventurous is to be alive, to be faith-filled is to be strong, and to be friendly is to be remembered. His was a life that exemplified the power of positivity, the importance of connection, and the beauty of a life well-lived.

### **Biography**

Ralph Theodore Moeller, a beacon of adventure and faith, lived a life that was as rich as the land he farmed. Born on January 9, 1937, in the quaint town of Palms, Michigan, Ralph's journey began with the promise of the American heartland. It was in this very town, surrounded by the familiar comforts of home, that he took his final breath on July 27, 2024, leaving behind a legacy of joy, community service, and unwavering love for his family. Ralph's life was marked by an infectious friendliness that drew people to him. His laughter was a melody that resonated in the hearts of those who knew him, and his adventurous spirit was a light that never dimmed. He was a man who embraced the outdoors with every fiber of his being, whether he was bowling a perfect strike, tracking deer in the quiet of the woods, galloping alongside his beloved horses, or feeling the rush of the wind on snowmobile adventures. Ralph's zest for life was as boundless as the skies above Michigan. A pillar of the community, Ralph dedicated over four decades to shaping young minds as a past 4H Leader. His commitment to nurturing growth extended to the Sanilac County Sheriff Posse and the Sanilac County Sportsman Club, he served his country honorably in the United States Navy and attended Trinity Lutheran Church in Forestville. Ralph's work was more than a series of tasks; it was a testament to his belief in service and his faith-filled approach to life's challenges.