



# Gerald Joseph Holasek

September 16, 2024

Passed away September 16, 2024 at the age of 81 years. Brother to Ronald (Linda) Holasek. Uncle to Christopher (Cathleen) Jones, Craig (Connie) Jones, and Lisa (Jim). Great Uncle to Michael Jones, Brittney Green, Shannon Jones, Megan Jones, and Ashlyn Jones.

Preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Theresa (nee Budzynski) Holasek, and sister, Marie (nee Holasek) Jones.

Gerald was a long time Milwaukee Architect, Holasek Architecture and Design, an avid golfer, and a Corvette enthusiast.

In lieu of flowers, memorials to Wisconsin Humane Society Milwaukee Campus, 4500 W Wisconsin Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53208 are appreciated.

Visitation Tuesday, Oct. 1 from 5:00-8:00 PM at ROZGA FUNERAL & CREMATION SERVICES – ROZGA-WALLOCH CHAPEL. Cemetery Committal Service will be held Wednesday, Oct. 2 at 10:00 AM at Arlington Park Cemetery, 4141 S 27th St. (PLEASE MEET AT CEMETERY ENTRANCE)

Rozga Funeral & Cremation Services  
Rozga-Walloch Chapel  
4309 South 20th Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53221

# Cemetery Details

## Arlington Park Cemetery

4141 S 27 St  
Greenfield, WI 53221

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 1. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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4309 South 20th Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53221  
(414) 281-7145  
<https://www.rozgafuneral.com/>

## Cemetery Committal Service

OCT 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Arlington Park Cemetery  
4141 S 27 St  
Greenfield, WI 53221

# Tribute Wall

JS

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to Gerry's family. He was always so giving, loving and willing to help whenever needed. Our family was shocked to hear about Gerry's passing. His faith and love of God were always part of his daily life. He studied endlessly about the bible. I know he believed in the resurrection, so may you all find peace in knowing we will all be together again some day. His love of nature, big and small, and of course his cats will be remembered by all. Rick, Paul and Tim will always remember Gerry for letting them use his corvettes for prom. Leaving his car with us for two weeks as long as they would drop him off at the airport. After all he said, "they are meant to be driven, not parked in the garage." Then there were all his unexpected visits which we all enjoyed. The boys especially enjoyed the many golf outings they shared, even winning sometimes. May you all hold close the many memories you shared with Gerry and they will give you peace and comfort. Our family will cherish his love of life and his gift of giving. Our deepest sympathy, the Spengler family, David, Joy, Rick, Paul, and Tim.

Joy Spengler - May 21, 2025 at 03:51 PM

DP

“ Gerry was good friend a guy that my brother and I grew up with. We grew up with Gerry his sister and brother from the time I was 6. The Holaseks were our neighbors until I got married. So sorry he's gone. Darlene Turk Polster

Darlene Turk Polster - April 06, 2025 at 10:09 AM



“ Gerry was a good man, exceptional architect, and always full of positivity. He was instrumental in designing and mentoring us on our Wild Flour Bakery building restorations. He worked closing with permitting, and requirements on rehab of historic buildings. Condolence wishes to family and friends. Greg and Dolly Mertens

Greg Mertens - October 03, 2024 at 10:25 PM

RS

“ I considered Gerry a valued colleague, mentor, and friend. We worked together on the healing garden at the Conservancy of Healing and Heritage. He greeted me with a smile and we would discuss the challenges of the day. We would always have a good laugh about something.

Rosheen Styczinski

New Eden Landscape Architecture

ROSHEEN STYCZINSKI - October 01, 2024 at 03:54 PM

JK

“ Always a valued member of the City Hall Golf Club! I always enjoyed him and talking with him about his car, stuffed cat and bright golf gloves.  
Jim Koster Past League Secretary

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**Jim Koster** - September 29, 2024 at 10:06 AM

DE

“ Mom Judy was Gerry's neighbor. When dad Ted passed away in 2016 (vascular dementia) Gerry came over on his own & helped mom with snowblowing. Mom would make chili & bring some over to Gerry's house. Gerry loved mom's chili!

Mom Judy is heartbroken that he passed away unexpectedly. Just recently Gerry came over & gave mom apples from his apple tree in the yard. Mom will miss Gerry. He was a good friend!

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**Debbie** - September 28, 2024 at 07:55 PM

SR

“ My sympathies to the family -- I have worked with Gerry for the past eight years on various Conservancy for Healing and Heritage. A nicer man I have never met. He was smart and knew his business.

He became a good friend throughout the years. He loved his cat Walter and his Corvette's and was proud to show me pictures of both. One day, he brought his Corvette to my office and let me sit in it. I needed a pull to get out!

On a nice day, he was on the golf course or at the driving range. His face would light up every time he talked of it.

The Conservancy will always have a piece of Gerry in its heart.

Susan Rabe

CEO and Chairwoman

Conservancy for Healing & Heritage

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**Susan Rabe** - September 27, 2024 at 10:24 AM