



## James R. Copeland

November 1, 1933 - January 20, 2025

James R. Copeland

Age 91

Of Lawrence

Passed away Monday, January 20, 2025 at Bronson Methodist Hospital, Kalamazoo. James was born November 1, 1933 in Alabama the son of Fred and Betty (Pittman) Copeland and has lived in the Lawrence, Mattawan, and Scott Lake areas the majority of his life. He was a hobby farmer, he loved going to the Michigan Fly Wheelers and loved his John Deere's. Surviving are his 3 children, Kathy Osborne of Lawrence, Kenney Copeland of Bloomingdale, Judy McDaniel of Bloomingdale; 8 grandchildren; 13 great grandchildren; sister, Carolyn Montgomery of IL; brother, Harold W. Copeland of TN; and several nieces, nephews and cousins. He was preceded in death by his wife, Edith Copeland; and 3 children, Joel Copeland, Lori Lassin, Robert Copeland. According to his wishes cremation has taken place and there will be no services at this time. He will be buried next to his wife in Breedsville Cemetery. The family suggests memorials be made to the American Kidney Foundation.

# Cemetery Details

## **Breedsville Cemetery**

CR 380  
Breedsville, MI

# Tribute Wall

SR

“ Susan Wendt R lit a candle in memory of James R. Copeland



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**Susan Wendt R** - May 12, 2025 at 11:11 PM

PV

“ A Good Hard Working man for Sure. Always pleasant when I say Hello to him.  
Rest in Peace Mr. Copeland

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**Paul Valentine** - February 05, 2025 at 09:30 PM

KG

“ Kenny And Rickie Gillan lit a candle in memory of James R. Copeland



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**Kenny and Rickie Gillan** - January 26, 2025 at 09:27 AM

RK

“ Kenny and family sorry for your loss

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**Rodney Kappis** - January 25, 2025 at 12:08 PM

DC

“ Hi Grandpa i love you and miss you very much I will always keep you in my memories and all the memories we have going down to Alabama and going down south every screen break I remember all the hay fields we bailed and all the corn fields that we did together you taught me how to drive your truck in a hay field that's where I first learned how to drive I will always remember that and love doing things with you I remember all the times we had together and going fishing and go on to the flywheel conventions place in South Haven Michigan you will always be remembered and never forgotten until we meet again fly high with the angels and plows and Fields up in heaven with that John Deere Green tractor that you always love to drive one day I will have a tractor like you have love you and miss you very much until we meet again

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**Derrick Copeland** - January 24, 2025 at 02:38 PM