



Kenneth "Ken" A Kain

August 22, 1950 - December 14, 2016

Kenneth "Ken" A. Kain, 66, of Ossian passed away at 9:08 p.m. on Wednesday (December 14, 2016) at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne.

Ken was born on August 22, 1950 in Fort Wayne, Indiana to Ray Eugene Kain and Dorothy Dorey Kain. He graduated from Bluffton High School with the class of 1969. He served his country in the United States Army from 1971 to 1973.

On May 28, 1998 in Middletown, Indiana, Ken and Melvalene (Mel) Scheumann-Kain were married; she survives.

Ken & Mel owned and operated the Watering Wheel in Ossian for over 10 years. He worked for the V.F.W. in Waynedale and as a driver for the Schwann Company.

Other survivors include sisters, Linda (Bob) Williams of Bluffton, Sandy (Bob) Kain Banghart Denton of Mentone, and brothers, Ricky Scheumann of Markle, Norm (Sally) Kain of Bluffton, Tom (Pat) Sturgis of Tuscola, IL, and Ted (Cindy) Sturgis of Evansville and aunts, uncle, cousins, nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents, step-mother, Betty Biberstine Sturgis Kain, a sister, Rita L. Sturgis Claybaugh, and a brother, Bill Kain.

Friends are invited to share memories with the family from 3 to 7 p.m. on Monday (Dec. 19, 2016) and on Tuesday from 5 to 7 p.m. (Dec. 20, 2016) at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Memorials may be made in Ken's memory to the Fort Wayne Rescue Mission.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich,

Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the family at www.thomarich.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **19**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Visitation

DEC **20**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Kenneth "Ken" A Kain*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - December 19, 2016 at 02:52 PM



“ *Kenneth "Ken" A Kain*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM

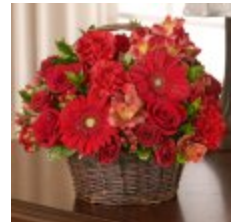


“ *Mel so sorry for your loss. Ken was one of the most unique people EVER! God bless. Valerie Wilson Jackson*

Valerie Wilson Jackson - December 28, 2016 at 10:26 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All Red was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Ken" A Kain.*



December 19, 2016 at 11:37 PM



“ *White Sympathy Baskets was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Ken" A Kain.*



December 19, 2016 at 12:32 PM



“ *In loving memory of Uncle Kenny purchased the Fields of Europe for Spring for the family of Kenneth "Ken" A Kain.*



In loving memory of Uncle Kenny - December 19, 2016 at 08:13 AM



“ *Red & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Ken" A Kain.*



December 18, 2016 at 07:59 PM



“ 29 files added to the album *Life Tributes*

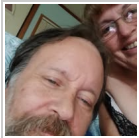


Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - December 18, 2016 at 01:36 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Ron and Mary Hilsmier Class of 69

Ron Hilsmier - December 17, 2016 at 04:41 PM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss! I remember as a child all of us getting together. It was fun! Prayers! Patty Bellis (Bill Kain's middle daughter)

Patty Bellis - December 17, 2016 at 11:28 AM



“ Ken was a good friend and classmate. He was a great center on the football team and an avid supporter of Bluffton High School. RIP Ken, God bless.

Bill Haecker - December 17, 2016 at 06:09 AM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Ken" A Kain.*



December 17, 2016 at 12:36 AM



“ *Kevin Tess and State Farm family purchased the Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White for the family of Kenneth "Ken" A Kain.*



Kevin Tess and State Farm family - December 16, 2016 at 12:27 PM



“ *Kenny was a wonderful insured and friend of mine---we will miss him so much*

in our office---one year would bring us fall off the bone ribs and always had

pies from Mel---so sorry and all of us at State Farm are so sorry tom hear of this.

Kevin Tess Anjie Melissa Elizabeth Kelsey Sarah Bethany Reagan Carson

kevin beaty - December 16, 2016 at 11:20 AM

BC

“ So very Sorry to hear about your loss of your Brother Kenny Norm and Family! We remember Kenny really well when we were just little kids living down on Wabash st. We was always intimidated by that older bullish guy that scared us when we got into high school! Watched him play Football in High School! He wasn't as scary as we thought with that happy go lucky Attitude and Smile on his face with that missing tooth! Lol! Our Prayers are with u and your Family Norm! Love the Crosbie Twins! Barry! and (Garry) which is Heaven with Kenny! :)



Barry Crosbie - December 16, 2016 at 08:44 AM

JL

We are so saddened by the news of Ken. He was the life of the party and a very kind and caring friend. Our heart breaks for you Mel. We will never ever forget him and the way you both made us feel welcome when we first came into the Watering Wheel. We love you Ken, until we meet again dear friend.
Pat and Jodi Landis

jodi landis - December 16, 2016 at 01:10 PM

CS

Genuinely sorry that I cannot attend services in person. Sending good thoughts to all gathering in Bluffton and all remembering Uncle Kenny at this time.

Charles D. Sturgis - December 19, 2016 at 07:26 AM