



Ken J. Meyers

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Ken J. Meyers passed into eternal life on July 25, 2014. He was the youngest of ten children, born on June 29th, 1944 to Herbert and Mabel (Distelrath) Meyers. He learned his German work ethic growing up on the family dairy farm and he continued to be a hard worker for his entire life. After graduating from St. Clair High in 1962, Ken enlisted in the US Army and served honorably in Europe during the Vietnam War. He returned to St. Clair to work with his brothers at Mark Aluminum Company selling home improvement products. He married Shirlee Anne Myles on January 26, 1968 at St. Mary's Church. Following a successful career, he retired in 2001.

Ken had a life blessed with a happy marriage, loving family, and many close friends. He enjoyed boating, camping with the "gang", cruising on his sweet, red Harley and spending time at the family cottage in Lexington. He loved to travel and took many trips throughout the world. After retiring, he particularly enjoyed travelling by RV in the USA and had visited 49 states. In recent years, Ken and Shirlee also enjoyed the sunny winters in Naples, Florida. His greatest joy in life was spending time with family, particularly his grandchildren.

He is survived by his loving wife of 46 years: his children Todd (Christy) Meyers of Grosse Point Shores; Julie (John) Klennert of Denver, Colorado; Corey (Kirstin) Meyers of Grosse Pointe; grandchildren Shayna, Tim and Jessica Meyers, Kate, Ben and Anne Klennert, and Elijah and Delaney Meyers. He is also survived by his sisters: Sr. Eileen Meyers, Adrian Dominican; Marie (Don) Klemmer; Marilyn (Dick) Wyllie; Dorothy (Ray) Burgess; Loretta (Gaius) Fraley; sisters-in-law Carol Meyers and Connie Jefferies and good friends Dan and Carol Smith and Ron and Beth Shevnock, as well as many nieces, nephews and cousins. He is predeceased by his parents and brothers; Edward, Robert, Don J. and Bernie and nephews; Kurt and Jason Meyers. Ken was a thirty-nine year member of the Knights of Columbus, Council 2251, St.



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Clair, Michigan.

Visiting hours with family are planned at Young Funeral Home in St. Clair on Saturday, August 2nd from 4 to 8 p.m. and Sunday, August 3rd from 3 to 8 p.m.

There will also be visiting hours on Monday, August 4th from 10 to 11 am at St. Mary's Catholic Church, St. Clair, prior to Mass. Rosary is planned for 7 p.m. on Sunday at the funeral home.

Funeral Mass in celebration of Ken's life will be at 11 a.m. on Monday, August 4th, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, St. Clair

Memorials may be made to the Jason Meyers Memorial Foundation or a charity of the donor's preference.



Events

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Visitation

Saturday, August 2, 2014

4:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

Young Colonial Funeral Home
4061 St. Clair Hwy, East China MI

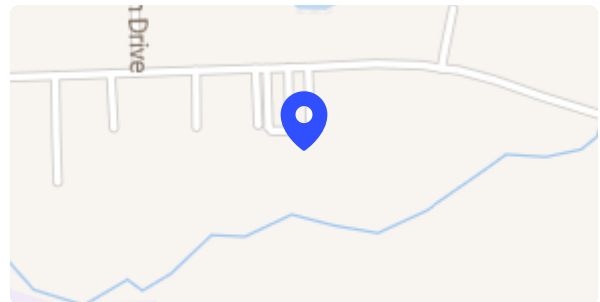


Visitation

Sunday, August 3, 2014

3:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

Young Colonial Funeral Home
4061 St. Clair Hwy, East China MI

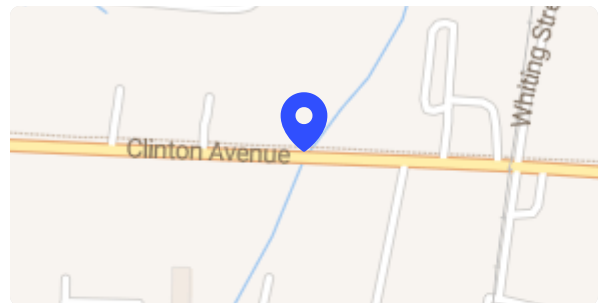


Visitation

Monday, August 4, 2014

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery
Clinton Ave., St. Clair MI

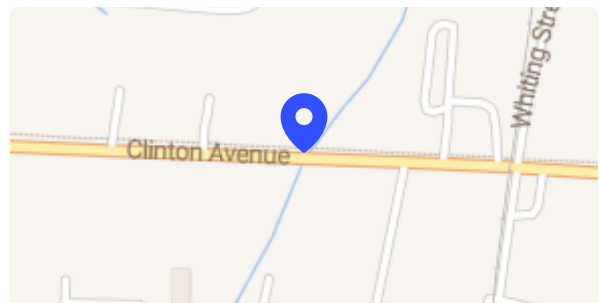


Service

Monday, August 4, 2014

11:00 AM ET

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery
Clinton Ave., St. Clair MI





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Cemetery Details

 Cremation



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Diane Alderton posted:

Dear Julie, Todd, and Corey-I just learned of your dad's passing today and am so deeply sorry about your loss. He was loved by so many, even by those of us whose lives crossed with his for a short time. I remember him fondly, especially when I think of the picture of him sitting across your mom's lap on our porch swing in Ann Arbor, Julie!Sending much love and prayers for your healing,Diane (Abood) Alderton

August 4 at 5:00 PM



Gordon & Katherine Macmaster lit a candle in honor of Ken.

Our sincere condolences on the loss of our father/grandfather to Todd, Christy, Shayna, Tim, & Jessica Meyers and all their extended family at this time. You have and will be in our thoughts & prayers at this difficult time. God Bless! From Gordon, Katherine, Mhairi, Rory, & Ronan MacMaster.



August 3 at 10:27 PM



Gordon & Katherine Macmaster August 3 at 10:31 PM

Sorry typo or autocorrect meant "your father/grandfather" not "our" ... My apologies.



Linda Lou Weaver sent a Serene Retreat to the Meyers family.



August 3 at 9:22 AM



Linda Weaver posted:

My sincere condolences on the loss of a great husband and father. I am thinking of you all with warmest love and regards. Linda weaver

August 3 at 9:14 AM



Anonymous sent a Love's Journey to the Meyers family.



August 2 at 6:53 AM



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Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Meyers family.



August 2 at 6:39 AM



Connie Teichow lit a candle in honor of Ken.



August 2 at 2:47 AM



Tamra Powell posted:

Ken was a kind and compassionate man who had a zest to live his life to the fullest. He was always willing to help others with an endless energy. He leaves his family and friends with a legacy of caring and family values. We keep these tributes in our thoughts as we give a donation to Special Olympics in Ken Meyers name. Our family has been blessed to know Ken and his family. Jack and Tamra Powell and family

August 1 at 6:08 PM



Anonymous sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Meyers family.



August 1 at 12:00 PM



James And Lauren Willis posted:

Ken embodied the essence of energy and kindness and friendship. We watched in awe as he played with his grandchildren, walked the family dog, Madison and shared conversation with us. His spirit was one of openness and friendship. We watched as he infused love and into the S. Sidney Court family. Jess and I send God's healing and God's grace in the coming months to Ken's family and friends. Sincerely, the Willis neighbors on Sidney court.

August 1 at 10:40 AM



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Anonymous sent a Days of Sunshine Bouquet to the Meyers family.

August 1 at 10:12 AM



Jason Davis sent a Love's Journey to the Meyers family.

August 1 at 5:52 AM



Wade, Gretchen, And Christian Kram sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Meyers family.

July 30 at 5:34 PM



All Type Builders - Dennis & Bev Mollner sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Meyers family.

July 30 at 4:28 PM



Shawn posted:

There are no words! We pray that soon your family feels peace in your hearts. When Ken came to Coloardo he was always outside working or playing with the grandkids. He became one of the neighbors. I know all the neighbors on Sidney Ct will miss you. Mike and Shawn Engelbert will be making a donation in honor of Ken to the Shining Star Foundation (Giving Hope to Children with Cancer and Life Threatening Diseases)

July 30 at 4:02 PM



Anonymous sent a Blooming Garden Basket to the Meyers family.

July 30 at 11:20 AM





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Julie Meyers shared an album called **New Album Name.**

July 27 at 10:09 AM



Anonymous sent an A New Sunrise Spray to the Meyers family.

July 29 at 1:42 PM



Anonymous sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Meyers family.

July 28 at 3:24 PM



Anonymous sent a Gracious Lavender Basket to the Meyers family.

July 28 at 2:29 PM



Anonymous sent a Blooming Garden Basket to the Meyers family.

July 28 at 6:54 AM



Love, Jim And Laura Keeley sent a Blue Caribbean Bouquet to the Meyers family.

July 27 at 10:09 AM





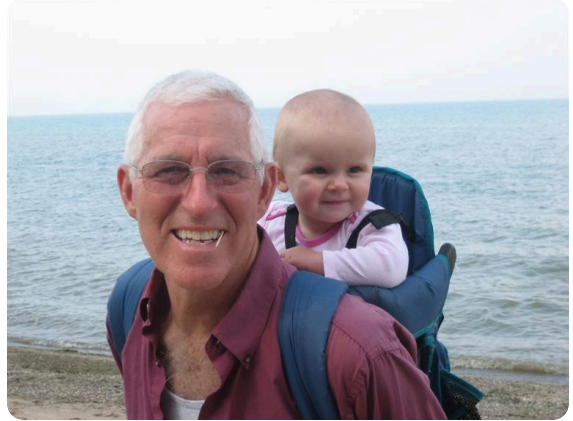
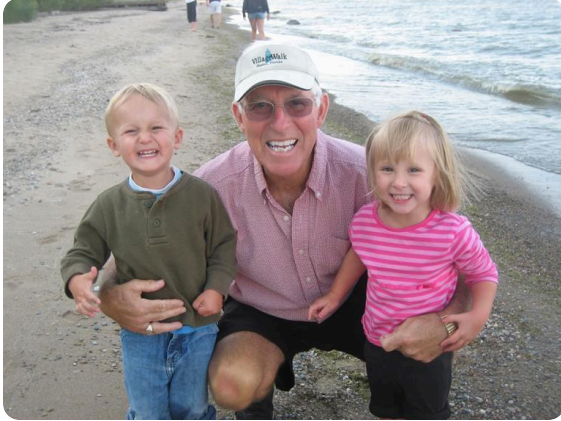
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Julie Meyers shared 7 photos to the **New Album Name** album.

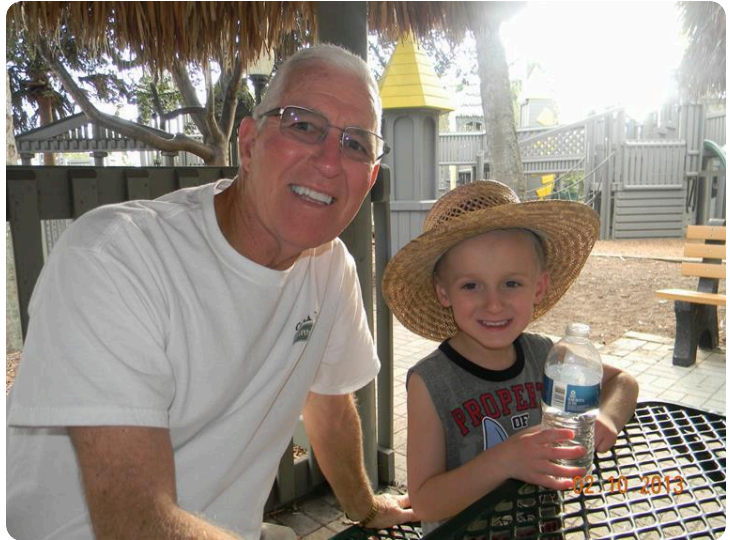
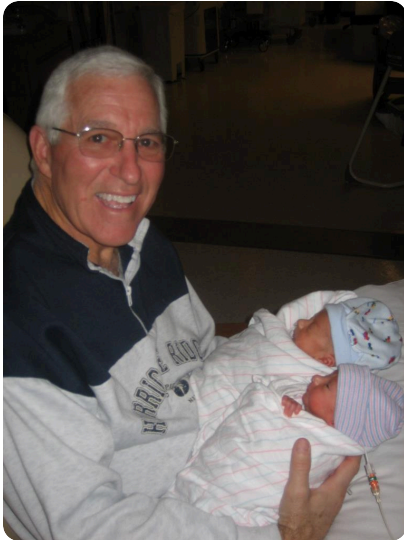
July 29 at 5:10 PM





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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Ken by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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