



Ken E. Karas

February 11, 1939 - March 23, 2024

Ken E. Karas, 85, of Attica, MI, passed away on March 23, 2024, surrounded by his loved ones. Born on February 11, 1939, in Detroit, MI, he was the beloved son of Charlie Karas and Angeline Karas (Dunaj).

Ken led a rich and fulfilling life, marked by a myriad of interests and accomplishments. A proud patriot, he served his country with honor as a member of the United States Army. His bravery and dedication earned him the respect and admiration of all who knew him.

In his leisure time, Ken found solace in the tranquility of fishing and cherished moments spent at his cottage, surrounded by the serenity of the lake. His love for nature and the outdoors was evident in his enthusiasm for these pastimes. Ken was a true jack of all trades and he was always involved in various projects around his cottage.

Left to cherish his memory are his four children: Brian (Heather) Karas, Kimberly (Chris) Fulenwider, Brad (Pam) Karas, and Brett (Jesse) Karas. He was a devoted grandfather to Andrew, Alyssa, Mathew, Brandon, Adam, Aaron, Emily, Evelyn, Eliana, Brett James, Ashley, Kyle, Ashley (Charles), and Alexis. His legacy further extends to his great-grandchildren: Layla, Logan, Lilly, Rylee, Gage, Ava, Van, Noah, and Caleb. Ken is also survived by his brother, Allen (Martha) Karas, and sister-in-laws, Marcia Karas and Arlene Karas. Additionally, he is survived by numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, and cousins. Ken is preceded in death by his brothers, Karol and Ron, and sister, Christine.

Ken's warmth and friendship touched the lives of many, especially: Ron and Cindy Randall, Sherman and Kelly Rice, Brandon Rice, Scott Tomlinson, and Paul and Helena Arfe.

Visitation will be held at Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors in Utica, MI, on Wednesday, March 27, 2024, from 12:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. Funeral services will follow immediately at the funeral home at 6:00 p.m.

In honoring Ken's memory, the family kindly requests that donations be made to any military organization of choice.

To share a memory or offer condolences, please visit www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Road
Clinton Township, MI 48038

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 27. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home
8459 Hall Road
Utica, MI 48317
(586) 731-2411
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<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

Prayer Service

MAR 27. 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ To the family of "Coack K", my deepest condolences. Coach K taught me the sports of basketball and football as a youth. He was tough, but he knew how to get through to his teams, always inspiring. I treasure those afternoons at the Holy Innocents Field and the Roseville Rec Center.

Thank you Coach K.

Kamie Glinski

Jamie Glinski - March 27, 2024 at 08:39 AM

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“ Kelly, Scott, and Nora Donahue purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Ken E. Karas.



Kelly, Scott, and Nora Donahue - March 26, 2024 at 08:34 AM

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“ Cassel and Warner families. purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Ken E. Karas.



Cassel and Warner families. - March 25, 2024 at 09:27 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Ken E. Karas.



March 24, 2024 at 09:21 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Ken E. Karas.



March 24, 2024 at 05:22 PM



“ Love Greg and Ashley Karas planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kenneth E. Karas.

Love Greg and Ashley Karas - March 24, 2024 at 05:22 PM



“ To Ken's family and friends, our deepest sympathy. Ken was a man like no other. He treated our kids like his own and was godfather to our youngest, Matthew. We had many many great times with Ken and will cherish those memories forever. ❤️ Rest in Peace uncle and friend. Love Al and Mary

Mary Tear - March 24, 2024 at 03:23 PM