



Kevin Livingood

September 26, 1953 - December 30, 2020

Kevin Lee Livingood, 67, of Fergus Falls, died peacefully Wednesday morning, December 30, 2020, at the Fergus Falls Minnesota Veterans Home under the care of LB Hospice and V.A. nursing staff.

Kevin was born in Pelican Rapids on September 26, 1953 to Leonard and Alfryda Livingood of rural Callaway, MN. His first 6 years of schooling were at a country school in Richwood, MN. He graduated from Detroit Lakes High School in 1972.

Kevin wore many hats in his lifetime. He enlisted in the navy and received his training at San Diego, California after which he spent 4 years in Guam as a Specialty Storekeeper (SK). He returned to the United States in 1977. He studied business at Faribault Technical School and accounting at Minnesota State University Moorhead. After his marriage to Lori Jo Lamb on June 19, 1982, they moved to Beaumont, TX for 2 years where Kevin worked as a cable installer/repairman. Wanting to be closer to his home place, they moved to Fargo where Kevin worked in inventory and was a stockman at American Wheel and Brake. Stocking shelves and cashiering at Walmart from 2001 to 2013, Kevin's personality and sense of humor enlightened the days for customers and colleagues.

Kevin was a huge sports fan and supported his favorite national and local teams - Go Bison! Throughout his life he enjoyed golfing, bowling, attending sporting events, and collecting sports memorabilia. He especially enjoyed the role of amateur weather man, keeping his family aware of any storms on the way. Kevin had an infectious laugh, a joyful personality, and most importantly had accepted Jesus into his life.

Kevin lost the love of his life, Lori, in December of 2010. With failing health, Kevin entered the Fergus Falls Veterans Home in July of 2017. While at the Veterans Home, he was recognized by staff and residents for the unique hats he wore. He attended many V.A. outings, joined the choir, was a regular at the Bingo table and enjoyed playing Whist.

Kevin is survived by his brother Kelly (Jane) Livingood of Faribault, MN; sisters Kathy

(David) Aarhus of Fergus Falls, MN, Karen (Mike) Lindstrom of Coon Rapids, MN, and Kristie Livingood of Minnetonka, MN; 3 nephews, James Livingood, John and Ryan Aarhus; and mother-in-law Corrine Lamb of Fargo.

Kevin was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Lori; parents, Leonard and Alfryda Livingood; nephew, Marcus Livingood; and father-in-law Bradley Lamb.

A celebration of life for both Kevin and his mother, Alfryda, will be held on Saturday, August 21, 2021, at 2:00 p.m. with visitation one-hour prior to the service at Bakke Lutheran Church, 27492 Co Hwy 32, Detroit Lakes, MN 56501. A private burial for Kevin will be at Springvale Cemetery, Fargo, ND, the following day. The family is especially grateful to the Veterans Home for the outstanding care provided to Kevin.

Arrangements are provided by the Olson Funeral Home in Fergus Falls.

Online condolences may be sent to <http://www.olsonfuneralhome.com>

Cemetery

Events

Springvale Cemetery

AUG 21

32nd Ave N
Fargo, ND, 58102

Visitation

01:00PM

Bakke Lutheran Church
27492 County Highway 32, Detroit Lakes, MN, US, 56501

AUG 21

A Celebration of Life

02:00PM

Bakke Lutheran Church
27492 County Highway 32, Detroit Lakes, MN, US, 56501

Comments



“ Sarah Bugbee lit a candle in memory of Kevin Livingood



sarah bugbee - January 07 at 11:00 PM



“ Rhonda Golz sent a virtual gift in memory of Kevin Livingood



Rhonda Golz - January 05 at 01:29 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers go out to the families He will be S0 MISSED!
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Mitch Davis - January 04 at 10:12 PM



“ My condolences to Jane and Kathy. Mary Jo

Mary Jo Igelstad - January 04 at 09:56 PM



“ Barb Anderson lit a candle in memory of Kevin Livingood



Barb Anderson - January 04 at 02:10 PM



“ Kevin was in one of my high school math classes. He reminded me of Dustin Hoffman in the movie Rainman. Math was simple for him so naturally he always did my math homework. I always hated math but he was my savior until I had to take a test on my own. The teacher couldn't understand how I could do so poorly on exams and my homework was spot on. I think Kevin knew the answer but he remained mute silent. It has been years since I last saw Kevin but I will always remember his happy disposition to others. The Livingoods have lost an amazing family member and one that will be deeply missed. I pray that the family may find peace and God Bless Kevin's soul. Maybe he can be our Lords personal Tax Accountant.

Dennis Cummings - January 02 at 04:09 PM



“ Wanda Cannell lit a candle in memory of Kevin Livingood



Wanda Cannell - January 01 at 02:55 PM



“ My condolences to the family of Kevin. He was great guy. Will be missed

Wanda Cannell - January 01 at 02:57 PM



“ My deepest sympathy to Kevin’s family. Got to be good friends with Kevin at the Veterans Home. He had such a kind loving soul. He always remembered our birthdays, when we had days off, and our schedules. We enjoyed decorating Kevin’s room and door for the Holidays and seasons! He called us his 3 girls. He was always so appreciative of all we did for him. Gonna miss him deeply! Him singing Christmas songs and wearing his Santa hat in July! All his different hats he wore!! He had an awesome personality and laugh. Thank You for your service Kevin and for your friendship! Rest In Peace. Love from 1 of your girls Sheri



Sheri Suko - January 01 at 02:22 PM



“ Kevin and I played DLHS Football together, joined the Navy.

May the wind be always at your back. May the sun shine warm upon your face, And the rains fall soft upon your fields.

Kep c Kepler - January 01 at 02:11 AM



“ I am so sorry for your loss.. Kevin was an amazing person.. May God wrap his loving arms around you during this time of loss..



Connie Barry - December 31, 2020 at 11:07 AM



“ Knew Kevin in Fargo. Sorry to hear of his passing.



Beverly Grimm - December 31, 2020 at 10:06 AM