



Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk

April 13, 1950 - October 18, 2022

Kenneth "Kenny" Funk, 72 year old resident of Pierz, MN passed away October 18, 2022 at the St. Cloud Hospital in St. Cloud, MN. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Saturday, October 22, 2022 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierz, MN with Father Ken Popp officiating. Burial will take place in the St. Joseph's Parish Cemetery in Pierz, MN. A visitation will be held from 4-8 P.M. on Friday and from 9:00-10:00 A.M. on Saturday at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Pierz, MN. Caring for Kenny and his family is the Shelley Funeral Chapel in Pierz, MN.

Kenny was born on April 13, 1950, in Little Falls, MN to the late Theodore and Leona (Brausen) Funk. He grew up in the Pierz area where he attended high school. After graduation, he worked at various places some of which include Herb & Charlies, Bootleggers Bar, and various construction companies. Carpentry was his greatest talent and most recently had been employed by Gangl Construction. He was united in marriage to Cherri Broschofsky on March 16, 1999. Kenny had many hobbies and passions in life. He was an avid outdoorsman that enjoyed hunting, fishing, gardening, and working on or fixing different things around his home. Ken also loved going on vacations, playing cards, and taking an occasional trip to the casino. He will forever be remembered by his family for being the life of any get-together and always wanting to "Clown" around. Ken's family was always his top priority, especially his seventeen grandchildren and he always tried to attend as many of their

events as he possibly could. He was dearly loved and will be greatly missed.

Kenny is survived by loving wife, Cherri Funk of Pierz, MN; children, Kurt (Julie) Funk of Foley, MN, Scott (Christen) Funk of Pierz, MN, Jeffery Funk of Pierz, MN, Scott (Layne) Freudenrich of Little Falls, MN, Brandon (Jenny) Freudenrich of Little Falls, MN and Kari (James) Reed of Little Falls, MN; son-in-law, Gary (Jessica) Woitalla of Annandale, MN; father-in-law, Herb Broschofsky of Pierz, MN; siblings, Gerald (Jane) Funk of Buckman, MN, Jim (Lori) Funk of Buckman, MN, Mary (Gary) Meyer of Pierz, MN, Linda (Dennis) Hoheisel of Pierz, MN, Lois Leidenfrost of Pierz, MN and David (Gina) Funk of Pierz, MN; sisters-in-law, Barb Funk, Debbie Funk, and Stacy Funk; grandchildren, Tyler Funk, Kylee McKee, Madison Woitalla, Brandon Funk, Tanner Funk, Brock Woitalla, Isabel Funk, Ellyse Freudenrich, Bradley Reed, Aubree Freudenrich, Presly Freudenrich, Lucas Reed, Beritt Freudenrich, Karli Freudenrich, Everly Freudenrich, Brea Reed, and Holden Freudenrich; step-grandchildren, Mitch Woitalla and Autumn Hopp; in-laws, Susan (James) Kasper, Betsy (Greg) Fuhrman and Keith (Joanne) Broschofsky; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He was preceded in death by parents, Theodore and Leona Funk; daughter, Pam Woitalla; brothers, Alvin Funk, Francis Funk and Gary Funk; niece, Cindy Meyer; nephew, Thomas Funk; and mother-in-law, Marcy Broschofsky.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **21.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
68 North Main Street
Pierz, MN

Visitation

OCT **22.** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
68 North Main Street
Pierz, MN

Funeral Mass

OCT **22.** 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
68 North Main Street
Pierz, MN

Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - October 21, 2022 at 10:01 AM

KL

Such a beautiful tribute! ❤️🙏🏻

Kenny and Linda LeBlanc - October 21, 2022 at 11:25 AM

DP

So much love, family, memories, and infectious smiles in these photos 💕

Debbie Poser - October 21, 2022 at 02:29 PM

CA

Wonderful memories 💕

Carolkrawiecki - October 21, 2022 at 09:06 PM

BB

Such a beautiful tribute video! So very sorry for your loss! Our thoughts and prayers are with you all!

Becky Boser-Essery - October 22, 2022 at 09:08 PM

TC

A beautiful tribute filled with so much love for a great man who will be missed by many. ❤️

Tammy Marshik Casey - October 22, 2022 at 09:21 PM

DN

Beautiful!

Diana Novak - October 23, 2022 at 07:21 AM

MW

Beautiful sorry for your loss hugs to you and your family

Margie Wolf - October 24, 2022 at 06:00 AM



“ *Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM

CM

“ *Rest in Peace, Friend.
Cliff & Shirley Meyer*



Cliff Meyer - October 22, 2022 at 09:49 AM

TP

“ *Trudee Preimesberger lit a candle in memory
of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk*



Trudee Preimesberger - October 21, 2022 at 05:57 PM

TP

Prayers to all of Kenny's family. I am so sorry for this heartbreaking loss

Trudee Preimesberger - October 21, 2022 at 05:59 PM

RM

“ Rick And Judy Meyer sent a virtual gift in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk



Rick and Judy Meyer - October 21, 2022 at 04:45 PM

NG

“ Natalie Gritzmacherr sent a virtual gift in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk



Natalie Gritzmacherr - October 21, 2022 at 02:02 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk.



October 21, 2022 at 12:13 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk.



October 21, 2022 at 11:31 AM

CW

“ Carol Wallace lit a candle in memory of
Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk



Carol Wallace - October 21, 2022 at 10:03 AM



“ 4 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lemieux Funeral Homes - October 21, 2022 at 09:49 AM

JG

“ Julie And Galen lit a candle in memory of
Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk



Julie and Galen - October 21, 2022 at 07:04 AM

RB

“ Renae And Dan Brausen lit a candle in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk



Renae and Dan Brausen - October 20, 2022 at 11:21 PM

RB

So very sorry for your loss sending hugs and prayers to all

Renae and Dan Brausen - October 20, 2022 at 11:26 PM

DF

“ So sorry for your families loss! Thoughts and prayers to all! Cherish the memories...
Mark & Debbie Fuhrman

Debbie & Mark Fuhrman - October 20, 2022 at 10:22 PM

DR

“ Dean & Paula Rocheleau lit a candle in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk



Dean & Paula Rocheleau - October 20, 2022 at 07:25 PM

NH

“ So sorry to hear about Kenny. Sending thoughts and prayers for all of the family.



Nancy Meyer Helfrich - October 20, 2022 at 06:26 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk.



October 20, 2022 at 04:13 PM



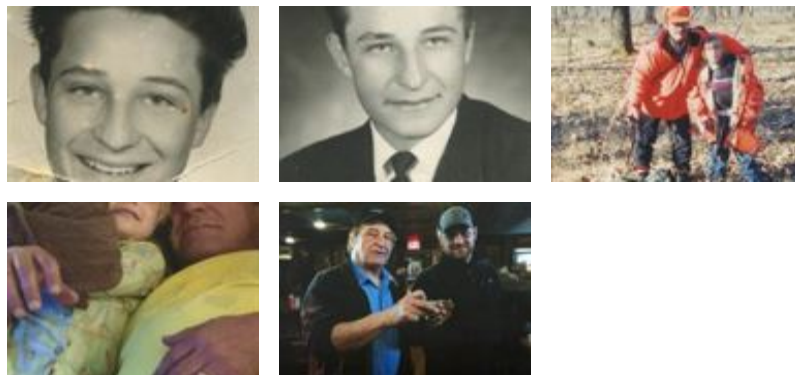
“ Continued thoughts and prayers for your family💕💕



Erica Karpinski - October 20, 2022 at 02:58 PM



“ 144 files added to the album LifeTributes



Lemieur Funeral Homes - October 20, 2022 at 02:47 PM

GM

“ ALL I CAN SAY HE WAS ALOT OF FUN. I GRADUATED WITH HIM AND HE GREW UP IN BUCKMAN AND SO DID I. HE WAS A FUN PERSON TO BE AROUND AND ALSO KIND. SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS! GAIL BRAUN MILLER

GAL BRAUN MILLER - October 20, 2022 at 12:00 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk.*



October 20, 2022 at 10:34 AM

KK

“ *So sorry to hear about Kenny. Prayers are with you*



Ken and Kathy Kloss - October 20, 2022 at 09:51 AM

CB

“ *Correna C Becker lit a candle in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk*



Correna C Becker - October 20, 2022 at 08:22 AM

TN

“ *Cherries, so sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers to all at this difficult time.*



Theresa (Otremba) Nelson - October 20, 2022 at 04:54 AM

TN

Cherri, not Cherries. Sorry

Theresa (Otremba) Nelson - October 20, 2022 at 05:05 AM

DJ

“ *Cherri and families, my sincere sympathy on your loss. May the Lord hold him in the palm of his hand. May eternal light shine upon him forever and ever. God Bless you all.*



Debbie M Jelinski-Harakel - October 20, 2022 at 03:44 AM

TT

“ *Sorry for your loss*



Tate and Kathi Tetrick - October 19, 2022 at 11:25 PM

LR

“ *Lori J Robinson lit a candle in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk*



Lori J robinson - October 19, 2022 at 11:09 PM

BR

“ *Brooke lit a candle in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk*



Brooke - October 19, 2022 at 10:13 PM

BR

I'm so sorry for your loss. Hugs and prayers to the family 🙏❤️👉 - Brooke Gammon

Brooke - October 19, 2022 at 10:14 PM

JR

“ *Cherri, I'm so very sorry to hear that your Kenny has died. Blessings to you and your family. May God send His Healing Peace and Angels to comfort you.*

Judith Raftevoid - October 19, 2022 at 09:46 PM

KM

“ Rest in Peace, Kenny!



Kristi Marshik - October 19, 2022 at 09:43 PM

DS

“ Dan & Connie Sullivan sent a virtual gift in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk



Dan & Connie Sullivan - October 19, 2022 at 09:02 PM

RB

“ Robert & Vonna Boser lit a candle in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk



Robert & Vonna Boser - October 19, 2022 at 08:24 PM

DJ

“ Deepest Sympathy to All So Sorry for your Loss Cherri & families
❤️🙏❤️

Dawn Janson - October 19, 2022 at 08:07 PM

PH

“ Peggy Hoheisel sent a virtual gift in memory of
Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk



Peggy Hoheisel - October 19, 2022 at 07:33 PM

MB

“ Sherry and family we are so sorry for your loss
thoughts and prayers at this difficult time
Dennis and Mary Brausen



Mary Brausen - October 19, 2022 at 07:27 PM

KT

“ You are all in my thoughts and prayers



Kelly Voltin Thomsen - October 19, 2022 at 06:16 PM

CL

“ Charlie And Dianne Ledbetter lit a candle in
memory of Kenneth "Kenny" J. Funk



Charlie and Dianne Ledbetter - October 19, 2022 at 06:02 PM

MK

Seams surreal. The only happy thought is the reunion with Pam, Leona and Teddy ,Cindy, Alvin. Oh gosh. Sending hugs and prayers

mary korf - October 19, 2022 at 07:40 PM

BB

Sorry for your loss send prayers to the family. He was a great friend.

Blaise Bosr - October 20, 2022 at 09:55 PM