



John M Kennedy

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On December 2, 2024, John M. Kennedy met Jesus face to face when his Heavenly Father brought him home. John is survived by his wife of 50 years, Janet Price Kennedy; his daughter, Angie Price (Jason); his daughter, Amy Keck (Jeremiah); his grandson, Jordan Price; his granddaughters, Alissa Price and Lydia Keck; two brothers, Billy Kennedy Jr. (Kathy) and Tommy Kennedy; two sisters, Margaret Evans (Don) and Jana Hollis (Steve); brother-in-law, Edwin Williams, and many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his father, Billy Kennedy Sr.; his mother, Gladys Kennedy; and his sister, Laura Williams.

John was born in Carthage, MO on January 25, 1956. He moved to Rogers, AR at the age of 12 with his family, this is when he first met Janet, his childhood sweetheart. John graduated from Rogers High School in 1974 then later that year he and Janet were married on July 12. In 1980 he gave his life to Jesus Christ at Immanuel Baptist Church in Rogers, AR. He began his career at Glad Manufacturing the same year. John loved God and loved others. During his time at Glad he advanced his education and enjoyed making lifelong friendships with those he worked with. He was actively involved at Immanuel for 44 years as a Sunday School teacher, deacon, bus driver, camp counselor, and handyman. In his free-time he enjoyed creating in his woodworking shop, fishing on Beaver Lake, and riding his bike on the greenway. A visitation will be held Friday, December 6, 2024, from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm at Nelson-Berna Funeral Home in Rogers. Funeral Service will be at 10:00 am on Saturday, December 7, 2024 at Immanuel Baptist Church in Rogers. Burial will follow at Rogers Cemetery under the direction of Nelson-Berna Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations be made to the ALS Association or ALS Family of Faith.



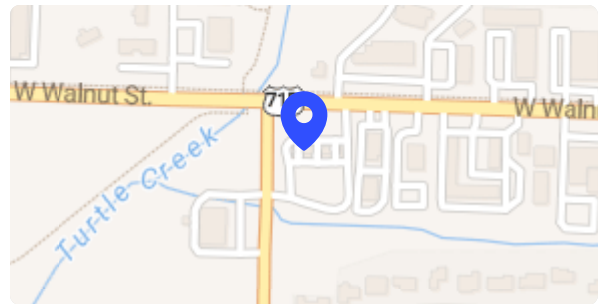
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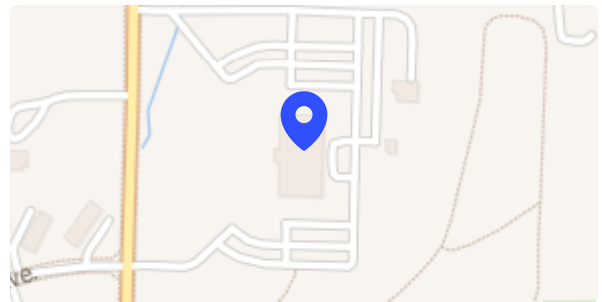
Visitation

- Friday**, December 6, 2024
- 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM CT
- Nelson-Berna of Rogers**
100 S 28th Street, Rogers AR 72758



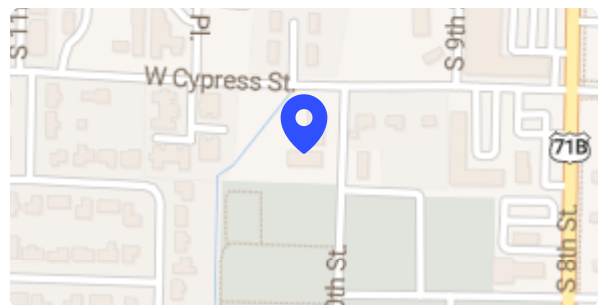
Funeral Service

- Saturday**, December 7, 2024
- 10:00 AM CT
- Immanuel Baptist Church**
2555 S 26th St, Rogers AR 72758



Cemetery Details

- Rogers Cemetery**
510 S. 10th St., Rogers AR 72756





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From The Dishop Crew At Glad Manufactu. sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Kennedy family.



December 6 at 7:33 AM



Janet Kennedy posted:

John you were my everything. You gave me the best 50 years of my life. You were the best husband and father of our daughters and grandfather/pa to our grandkids. And the best father in law to our son in laws.I have so many memories to keep me going until we meet again in heaven.I Love you !

December 5 at 2:28 PM



Angie Price shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

What a tremendous blessing it was to be your daughter. I have a million stories I could share to tell others what a wonderful man you were, but there is no need. Your life tells the story.You fought your battle with ALS bravely. It is a testament to your faith that God's plan for our lives can always be trusted....even when His plan is hard.I love you, Dad and I am so grateful for you.Love,Angie



December 5 at 2:00 PM



Monte Ne Baptist Church sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Kennedy family.

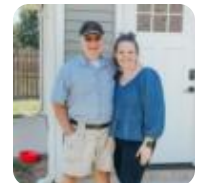


December 5 at 5:05 AM



Amy Keck shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

I've never known a more wonderful man of God. Kind, compassionate, joyful, intelligent, humble, patient, steady, dependable, safe, nurturing, dedicated, faithful, loving, devoted, reliable, selfless... thank you, Dad. Thank you for showing me Jesus. Day by day - always the same.I love you.Now that you're gone, this earthly life will forever be changed. I miss you but I know I will see you again.



December 5 at 2:23 AM



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Stacey Collins posted:

John was one of the nicest men I've ever met. He never had anything but a smile on his face even the last time I stopped by the house - he was smiling. I know he was devastated when he received his diagnoses, but he was determined to make the best of what life handed him."When someone you love becomes a memory, That memory becomes a treasure." -Anonymous Janet & entire family - May all your memories give you comfort in the days ahead.

December 4 at 5:59 AM



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Memories only last if you share them

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



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