



Kenneth Whitaker

June 11, 1940 - October 28, 2023

Kenneth Whitaker, 83 of Leesburg, Fl. passed away October 28,2023.

He was born on June 11, 1940 in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Kenneth is survived by two children, Dawn (Pat) Kennedy of Leesburg, Florida and Steven (Susan) Whitaker of Sumterville, Florida. He is also survived by his six grandchildren: Joshua (Renee) Kennedy, Aaron Kennedy, Christine (Shawn) Sterner, Matthew (Olivia) Whitaker, Kyler (Alexa) Jalbert Whitaker and Shelly Whitaker; and his 8 great grandchildren: Haylee, Avery, Olivia , Eleanor, Jennifer, Daniel, Harvey, Waylon; 1 great great granddaughter: Astrid. He is survived as well by many nieces and nephews

Kenneth is preceded in death by his parents Walter & Estelle (Arthur) Whitaker, his sister Peggy Starkey, and wife Lois (Zeltwanger) Whitaker.

A Celebration of Kenneth's Life will be held on Saturday, Nov. 4, 2023 at 2:00 PM at the Beyers Funeral Home Chapel at 1123 West Main St. Leesburg. A visitation for family and friends will be from 1:00 to 2:00 PM at the Beyers Chapel. Interment will follow at Hillcrest Memorial Gardens in Leesburg.

Donations, in lieu of flowers, may be made to Cornerstone Hospice Foundation, 2445 Lane Park Rd., Tavares, FL

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memorial Gardens

1901 County Rd 25A
Leesburg, FL 34748

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 4. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Beyers Funeral Home & Crematory
1123 W Main St
Leesburg, FL 34748
(352) 787-4343

Celebration of Life

NOV 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Interment

NOV 4. 3:00 PM (ET)

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1901 County Rd 25A
Leesburg, FL 34748

Tribute Wall



“ *Beyers Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Kenneth Whitaker*



Beyers Funeral Home - October 30, 2023 at 07:26 PM

SF

One of the most wonderful families I know, brought up by Godly parents. We will miss you Mr. Ken , but I know you're in the arms of your creator and with your loving wife Louis again.

Susan Flack - October 31, 2023 at 12:15 PM

SH

“ When we think of Ken we think of church..he was a church man because he was God man. His love for the Lord traveled from his heart to his family and friends and most definitely his church family. He was in the sound room, in the office, there to help on work days, he cooked breakfast for the motorcycle service we had annually. Ken was a servant. He was faithful to those he loved and like all of us he knew his shortcomings too. He was a strong arm of support, a ready smile, a quick remark, wiser than he let on, kinder than most, generous without borders because his heart didn't hold back . He wanted people he loved to know they were loved. We are so grateful to have been in that crowd! We remember dinner around the table and how totally welcomed we felt. What a joy it is to know Ken will be in heaven to welcome us. We will know him by his flat top! God bless all his family...you're certainly carrying on the noble legacy of your dad and mom. We love you all.

Shelly holloway - November 04, 2023 at 12:25 PM

TG

“ Fond memories of Ken at the phone company. So sorry to hear of his passing he was a fine man.

Tina Goddard - October 31, 2023 at 10:02 AM

LL

“ I have great memories of summer vacations when our families got together for reunions or just to talk for a while. Mom grew up with him and Peggy and she cherished the memories of them both. We are deeply sad that we cannot fly down, but we will be there in spirit. Love to the family. Laurie

Laurie Loomis - October 30, 2023 at 06:57 PM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of
Kenneth Whitaker.



October 30, 2023 at 06:47 PM