



Kenneth P Cash

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KENNETH P CASH, AGE 71, PASSED AWAY QUIETLY ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2023 after battling diabetes and renal failure. Ken was the beloved son of the late Elmer and Alice (Palmer) Cash and Stepson of Ted Chojnacki.

A graduate of Cleveland State University, Ken retired after 42 years as an instructor/tutor at Cuyahoga Community College Metro Campus. His many interests included photography, music, vintage movies, antique cars, flea markets, and history. A lifetime resident of Independence, he was very proud to have been the 5th generation of his family to live in his family-built 1850 house. An avid student of Abraham Lincoln, Ken often gave talks about Lincoln to various groups. He was also a Wizard of Oz fan, who participated in Oz events across the country and became a close friend to several of the surviving Munchkins. An avid reader, he was also the author of four published books and was a first editor to many local writers.

Ken is survived by his beloved and devoted sister Janilyn Nossal (David), sister Judith Brillinger (Allan), stepbrothers Richard (Cheryl) and Ronald Chojnacki (Leslie deceased), many nieces and nephews. Ken will be missed by his family and the thousands of students that he mentored throughout his life.

FRIENDS MAY CALL AT VODRAZKA FUNERAL HOME 6506 BRECKSVILLE RD., INDEPENDENCE (1/2 mile south of Rockside Rd.) on Monday, Dec. 4 from 10 AM - noon. A funeral service will begin at noon at the funeral home. Ken will be laid to rest at Mapleshade Cemetery.



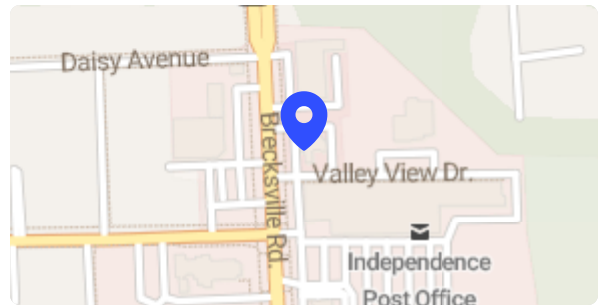
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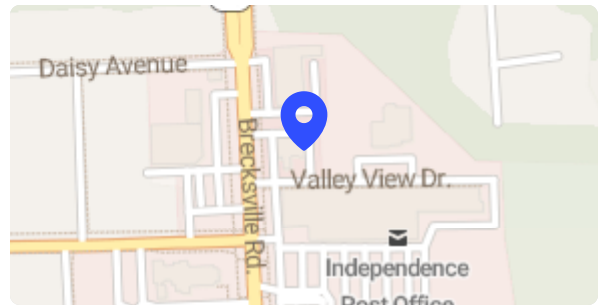
Visitation

- Monday**, December 4, 2023
- 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET
- Vodrazka Golubski Deliberato Funeral Care**
6505 Brecksville Rd, Independence OH 44131



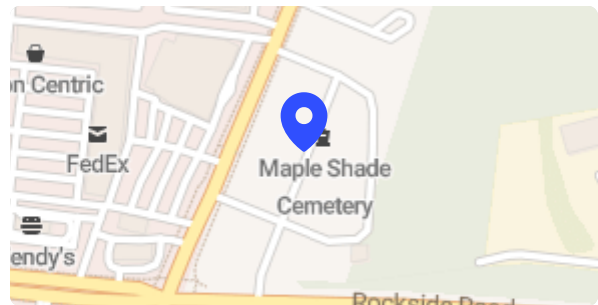
Funeral Service

- Monday**, December 4, 2023
- 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM ET
- Vodrazka Funeral Home**
6505 Brecksville Rd, Independence OH 44131



Graveside Service

- Monday**, December 4, 2023
- 1:15 PM - 1:30 PM ET
- Maple Shade Cemetery**
6161 Brecksville Rd, Independence OH 44131





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CB

Carole Barton posted:

I am remembering Ken from afar today as I think about his Memorial service. I am his first cousin; our mothers were sisters and we shared an amazing grandmother who we called Gram. I have known him his entire life. He was such a kind and gentle soul who truly loved his family. He had a passion for learning and reading. He owned an extensive collection of books and was particularly interested in the Civil War and The Wizard of Oz. He devoted many years to tutoring a diverse group of students at Cleveland State and was very supportive of them. Ken had a great sense of humor and he will be missed by me, his sisters, Jan and Judy, and many others who cared for him. Ken was a very unique and special individual.

December 4 at 12:52 PM

JD

Jeff Domzalski posted:

Rest in Peace Ken. 🙏

December 4 at 5:40 AM

JE

Josephine Katie M. Evans posted:

Kenneth Cash was a quiet and caring person. He was my tutor for many years. My prayers are with the family. Kenneth will be truly missed. Katie Evans

November 27 at 12:41 PM

LM

Lori A. Williams-Murphy posted:

Ken was a wonderful person; I remember him tutoring a student from Cleveland State in English and he kept telling her she was no longer a student a Tri-C. He said to me, "I just going to have a table full of Tri-C student's when she comes". I said, "Good luck with that situation, Ken. Ken told me later that week the student came back, and he told her he was going on a lunch break. He was the sweetest, guy.

November 27 at 11:16 AM

CV

Carl Ventura posted:

I'm really sorry to hear about Ken's passing. I was good friends with Ken back in high school along with his sister Jan.

November 27 at 4:57 AM



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Carole (Cousin) And Dick Barton sent a Serene Retreat to the Cash family.



November 26 at 3:44 PM



Laurel Salupo posted:

I remember, Ken Cash kindly we were coworkers for many years at community college . Ken and I worked on a Show called , " Grammar Zone. "Ken was an advocate for the students that he encountered with compassion helping them reach their true potential.Nick SalupoSalupo

November 26 at 10:19 AM



Anonymous sent a Small Garden Dish to the Cash family.



November 26 at 9:51 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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