



Kirby Wayne Kelley Sr

July 23, 1933 - March 10, 2018

Kirby Wayne Kelley, Sr. son of the late Edward and Maude (Wilson) Kelley, was born on July 23, 1933 in Harrison, Arkansas, and departed this life on March 10, 2018 at Mercy Hospital in Springfield, MO. At the time of his passing he was 84 years, 7 months, and 16 days of age.

Kirby was raised and attended school in Harrison Arkansas. He moved to Iowa as a young man. He was united in marriage to Lola (Suzie) Shipley on April 8, 1971 in Cambridge, Illinois. Kirby worked at ALCOA Aluminum for 35 years. After retiring, he and Suzie moved to Buffalo, MO. He enjoyed making his yard beautiful, listening to Bluegrass and Country music, and cooking for his family. He was a very loving husband, father, and grandfather and had a great sense of humor.

Kirby was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Kenneth and Hubert; two sisters, Bonnie Pope and Clydine Kelley; and one daughter, Valerie Kelley. He is survived by his wife Suzie of the home; two sons, Kirby Jr. (Erin) Kelley and Curt Kelley; four daughters, Teresa (Mike) Petersen of Davenport, IA, Gina (Richard) Atwood of Parkview, IA, Demi (Jack) Chick of Davenport, IA, and Rhonda (Gio) Reyes of Davenport, IA; one sister, Willodean (Jim) Pogue; and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He also leaves other family members and many friends who will all truly miss him. A private family visitation will be held on Tuesday, March 13, 2018 at the Cantlon Otterness & Viets Funeral home at 4:00 p.m. A private family service will be held on Friday, March 16, 2018 at Memorial Park Cemetery in

Davenport, IA at 2:00 p.m. Services will be under the direction of the Cantlon Otterness & Viets Funeral Home of Buffalo.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Cemetery

Davenport, IA

Tribute Wall



“ Kirby Wayne Kelley Sr

October 09, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ Kirby Wayne Kelley Sr

October 09, 2023 at 04:09 AM



“ Kirby Wayne Kelley Sr

October 05, 2023 at 11:14 PM



“ Kirby Wayne Kelley Sr

October 05, 2023 at 05:41 PM



“ Kirby Wayne Kelley Sr

December 20, 2022 at 10:20 AM



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March 13, 2018 at 01:04 PM

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“ *Gpa, I'll miss you more than words can even express. Thank you for all the stories, skills, & life lessons you shared with me through the years. Thank you for always smiling, laughing, and bringing joy to the room. Thank you for simply being you.*

*Love you always,
Kyle(r)*



Kyle - March 13, 2018 at 12:32 AM

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“ *We all had your favorite tacos in your honor tonight, Uncle Kirby. We miss you!*



Jan Hildebrandt - March 12, 2018 at 11:49 PM