



## David Eugene Kraft

September 19, 1957 - May 6, 2015

David Kraft 57, of Severy passed away Wednesday, May 6, 2015 at the Greenwood County Hospital in Eureka. David was born on September 19, 1957 to Alford Eugene Kraft and Jovannah Sue (Morgan) Kraft in Ellsworth, Kansas.

David was united in marriage on October 23, 1976 to Kathy (Bunyard) Kraft in Severy, Kansas.

David was an auto mechanic. He worked for Severy Auto Salvage for 15 years then opened his own auto mechanic shop. David was a very good at taking old cars and machinery and making them new again. David enjoyed spending time with his family fishing and rock picking. He especially loved spending time with his grandkids.

David was a member of the MAMR and was a devoted sponsor of 4-H, volleyball teams and other school events. He also played a big part in getting mud runs started at the Annual Howard Mud Runs.

David is preceded in death by his father.

David is survived by his wife, Kathy of the home. His mother: Sue Reily, Sons: Rodger Kraft and his wife Kristina of Severy, KS and Steven Kraft of Howard,

KS. Sisters: Debbie Sommers of Altoona, KS; Diane Kelley of Chanute, KS; Brother, Mike Kraft of Fredonia, KS. David is also survived by 3 grandchildren, Kayla, Katie and Kyzer Kraft, as well as, numerous aunts and uncles.

Cremation has taken place. The family is planning a memorial service on Wednesday, May 13, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. at the Severy Baptist Church. Online condolences may be left at: [www.countrysidefh.com](http://www.countrysidefh.com). Memorials have been suggested to the Severy Labor Day Celebration or the Severy Baptist Church and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home. Services are entrusted to Countryside Funeral Home 206 E. Washington, P.O. Box 1233, Howard, KS 67349.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

MAY 13 (CT)

Severy Baptist Church  
201 S. Greenwood Ave.  
Severy, KS 67137

# Tribute Wall

LM

“ *Liz Marchant purchased the Simply Elegant Spat  
hiphyllum for the family of David Eugene Kraft.*



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**Liz Marchant** - May 12, 2015 at 12:37 PM

LE

“ *sorry for your loss, thoughts and prayers to you and yours.*

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**leisa** - May 11, 2015 at 09:13 AM

MS

“ *Marlene Shinkle lit a candle in memory of  
David Eugene Kraft*



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**Marlene Shinkle** - May 11, 2015 at 12:45 AM

DK

“ *Diannah m. Kelley purchased the Meadows of M  
emories for the family of David Eugene Kraft.*



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**Diannah m. Kelley** - May 10, 2015 at 09:10 PM

LS

“ A favorite memory I will always keep with me happen just a couple weeks ago on a Wednesday night when I was on my way home from church, I drove by Dave's place and he was outside on his mower pulling a little wagon full of his grandkids around. He was having fun and you could tell the kids were having a blast! He turned and gave that little smile of his and waved and I waved back and smiled. I will always keep that memory with me! Dave was such a hard worker and was our mechanic for years and we counted him as our friend! We will miss him! Our prayers continue for the family!  
Gaylan & Lesa Schroeder



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**Lesla Schroeder** - May 08, 2015 at 08:59 PM