



Kenneth Charles Boyd

May 10, 1950 - June 6, 2020

Kenneth Charles Boyd, age 70 of Chanute, passed away on Saturday, June 6, 2020 at his home. Ken was born on May 10, 1950 in Yates Center, KS, to James Henry and Kathryn Mae (Mulsow) Boyd.

He graduated from Yates Center High School in 1968. In 1975 he began a career at NuWa Industries in Chanute, which lasted for over 30 years, and allowed him to hone and utilize his gift of woodworking.

In 1973 Ken married Doris Koester. They raised two daughters, Ann and Stacy. While they divorced in 1995, they remain good friends.

Ken's number one passion was his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. He made each one of them feel like he was their biggest fan, truly engaged in whatever they wanted to talk about, show him, or do with him. He was known by everyone for his kindness, gentleness, and selflessness. In the last year and a half, he became very involved in Grace Community Church, where he was diligently seeking to grow in his relationship with Jesus and was very loved by his church family. Ken's other loves included his dogs, playing pool, riding motorcycles, and last but definitely not least his life-long love for the Kansas City Chiefs.

Ken is survived by his daughter Ann Boyd-Bash, son-in-law Leon Bash,

daughter Stacy Galt, son-in-law Steve Galt, and his beloved dog Joey. He is also survived by his six adored grandchildren (Kylie Boyd, Kenzi Boyd, Kaden Bash, Karli Bash, Hannah Galt, and Josiah Galt) and 3 great-grandsons (Layne, Logan, and Brayden Felkins). All were blessed to live with him in Chanute.

He was preceded in death by his parents, sister (Geri Daly), grandparents, and many aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Cremation has been requested. Visitation will be held on Tuesday, June 16, 202 from 5:00-7:00 p.m at Countryside Funeral Home.. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday June 17, 2020 at 10:30 a.m. at Westview Baptist Church (1415 S. Plummer Avenue, Chanute). Feel free to wear Chiefs apparel in honor of Ken's love for his favorite team.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to Ann's Angels Canine Rescue or Cherry Street Youth Center and may be left with or mailed to Countryside Funeral Home. Online condolences may be left at www.countrysidefh.com. Services entrusted to: Countryside Funeral Home 101 N. Highland, Chanute, KS 66720

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **16**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Johnson Chapel
101 N. Highland
Chanute, KS 66720
(620) 431-1220
<https://www.countrysidefh.com>

Memorial Service

JUN **17**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Westview Southern Baptist Church
1415 S Plummer
Chanute, KS 66720

Tribute Wall

DT

“ DT lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Boyd



DT - June 09, 2025 at 12:16 PM

DC

“ So sorry to hear about the loss of Ken. He was a great neighbor and friend. We had memorable nights of pool in leagues, and just for fun. I know i will miss him yelling across the ditch GO CHIEFS!!! Are thoughts and prayers are with the family. Dan & Sue Clifford

Dan & Sue Clifford - June 15, 2020 at 08:54 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kenneth Charles Boyd.



June 15, 2020 at 07:22 PM

GD

“ So sorry to hear of the passing of Ken. I'm recalling his smiling face and our interesting conversations when he would visit NY. Praying for the peace only God can bring, and for good memories. George DeMario

George DeMario - June 15, 2020 at 02:00 PM



“ Donna Dye lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Charles Boyd



Donna Dye - June 14, 2020 at 07:03 PM

MR

“ This is a dreadful loss to Ken’s immediate family as well as the remaining cousins from the Boyd family. I’m going to talk directly to you, Kenney, my folks loved you so much, especially your Aunt Lois—you were very special to her. She loved to tell about your Tulsa trip together for a family wedding & how much fun it was. I’m just dreadfully sad that I won’t get to see you during our annual trips to Kansas, your absence weighs so heavy on my heart. I love you, I treasure the wonderful memories of Boyd family get-together, I miss you. Marolyn Esther Rinne

Stacy & Ann I’m so sorry for your heartbreaking loss but I know how much your Dad loved you & your families. Cherish those memories. Your Dad was such a comfort to me when my Dad died. He told me, “the pain won’t go away completely but it will get better as you’ll be comforted by your good memories”. He had a wonderful heart girls—May God be your comfort & hope at this sad time. Love Marolyn

Marolyn Rinne - June 14, 2020 at 06:14 PM

RB

“ RIP Kenny i worked alot with Ken for many years at Nu way campers ken was heavy involved designing amd assembling cabinets ken was always friendly and easy going guy to associate with so sorry for your loss Ann and Leon Bash

Richard Billbe - June 14, 2020 at 05:40 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Kenneth Charles Boyd.*



June 14, 2020 at 01:30 PM



“ *Ken and I were coworkers at NuWa Industries for many years. Ken was always kind, conscientious and a soft-spoken gentleman.*

May you rest in peace, Ken.

Marilyn Mishler

Marilyn Mishler - June 13, 2020 at 02:48 PM



“ *Ann & Family,
Anytime we were out for a walk we always loved to stop and talk to your Dad and play with Joey. We want you to know you are in our thoughts. Please let us know if you need a home for Joey or there is anything we can do to help.*

Tom, Becci, & Olivia Wheatley

Becci Wheatley - June 12, 2020 at 02:06 PM