



Kevin John McCarthy

May 9, 1956 - April 26, 2023

Kevin McCarthy, beloved husband, son, father, grandfather, and brother, passed away on April 26, 2023. Born on May 9, 1956, Kevin leaves behind a loving family and a life filled with cherished memories.

He is survived by his devoted wife, Donna McCarthy; daughters Melissa (Steven) McRory and Heather (David) Ranaudo; grandchildren Cole and Meghan McRory, and Alina Ranaudo; and brothers George (Amanda) McCarthy, Brian (MaryJane) McCarthy, and David (Penny) McCarthy.

Kevin was predeceased by his son Jason K. McCarthy and by his parents, John and Louise McCarthy; sisters Patricia Baxley and Kathleen Sickler; and grandson Ryan McCarthy.

In 2022, Kevin retired from his career, last working at the Orlando VA. A long-time attendee of Nativity Catholic Church, he was also an active volunteer with Toys for Tots charity. Kevin had a zest for life and enjoyed indulging in his favorite foods, including fish, homemade apple pie, sub sandwiches, and chicken wings. He loved sipping on St. Pauli Girl and Black Velvet, and found joy in listening to Irish songs by the Clancy Brothers, classic rock, and country music.

Kevin was an avid fan of TV shows like NCIS, Andy Griffith Show, and old

movies. He enjoyed films starring John Wayne and Clint Eastwood, as well as old Christmas movies. A proud supporter of the Buffalo Bills, Kevin found relaxation in recreational activities such as fishing and playing with his grandchildren. He cared deeply about causes such as Toys for Tots in memory of his son Jason.

He was also a huge Harvick fan along with his grandson Cole and he is waiting until he gets old enough to get grandpa's collection. Meghan would always hang out with "Grandpa Bird" because he could make the dove call. Meghan answered back with her version. She would always hold her arms out wide when she'd give him a hug. He also totally had such great memories with our youngest granddaughter Alina. He would say that she reminds him of Heather when she was that small...

His warm and funny personality, combined with his emphasis on the importance of manners, left a profound impact on those who knew him. Among his greatest accomplishments were his military service, graduating from A/C school, and ultimately, his retirement. Kevin's legacy as a generous and loving man will live on through the love of his life, Donna, as well as the countless family members and friends who will dearly miss him.

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

MAY 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

at Nativity Catholic Church
3255 N Ronald Reagan Blvd
Longwood, FL 32750
<https://www.nativity.org/>

Committal Service

MAY 18. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

All Faiths Memorial Park
1390 Park Drive
Casselberry, FL 32707

Committal Service will be directly after the Funeral Mass

A Gathering

MAY 18. 1:30 PM (ET)

St. Stephen Catholic Church
575 Tuskwilla Road
Winter Springs, FL 32708
<http://st-stephen.com>

The Gathering will be directly following the Committal Service at All Faiths Memorial Park

Tribute Wall

DM

“ Donna McCarthy lit a candle in memory of Kevin John McCarthy



Donna McCarthy - May 23, 2023 at 07:39 PM

DM

I miss you with all my heart my love... I still feel your comforting presence, I also feel all the strength you give me to carry on. I just don't know how to live without you but thankfully God brought us 3 beautiful loving children along with 4 precious and adorable grandchildren and the love from all the extended family that came with our son-in-laws. You can't get better than being surrounded by so much love... I will continue to talk to you everyday, I know you hear me since I feel, see and hear (your Morning Dove call) and so many other signs ❤️ May God bless you and I will be so excited when I get called to be in our forever home... I love you more 💕💕💕 and I know...you know 🥺🥺🥺

Donna McCarthy - May 23, 2023 at 07:52 PM

HR

“ You are loved and missed so much Dad!! 💕
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Heather Ranaudo - May 12, 2023 at 08:40 PM