



Kenneth "Ken" R. Nootbaar Sr.

June 21, 1946 - August 29, 2020

Kenneth "Ken" R. Nootbaar Sr.

Age 74, of Park Falls, entered into rest on August 29, 2020 in Marshfield after a battle with cancer. Ken was born in Harvey, Illinois on June 21, 1946 . the son of Leroy and Ruby (Greer) Nootbaar. After high school, Ken served during the Vietnam war as a medic. Following the war, Ken served on the Harvey, IL Police department, a suburb of Chicago for several years. Later he took jobs as both a city bus driver and a semi-truck driver while living in the city of Chicago. During that time, Ken also performed as a magician on local television shows, children's programs, and even as an opening act for various music bands and groups. Eventually, in the early 90's, Ken relocated his family to Park Falls to keep them safe from the escalating crime in the surrounding area of Chicago. In later life, Ken enjoyed coin collecting, metal detecting, gardening, fishing, being with family and was a lifelong Chicago Bears fan.

Ken is survived by:

(6) Children:

Valerie (Ron) Wolff of Paris, TN

David (Carrie) Sell of Willard, OH

Kenneth "KJ" (Kristina) Nootbaar Jr. of Mauston

Sean (Vanessa) Nootbaar of Elmira, NY

Crystal (Jeremy) Oswald of Park Falls
Rhiannon (Brad) Stajduhar of Park Falls
(9)grandsons, (6)granddaughters, and (2) great granddaughters
(3) sisters:

Joyce (Dave) Harvey of Harrison, TN
Georgianna (Gary) Rogers of Harrison, TN
Sylvia Compton of Hamond IN

His former wife Ellen Nootbaar of Park Falls

And many nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

Ken is proceeded in death by His father Leroy Nootbaar, mother Ruby Paulton (Nootbaar), Step-father George Paulton Sr, brothers Robert, George Jr, and an infant brother and infant son Brian Nootbaar.

Funeral services for Ken will be held at Birch Street Funeral Service Chapel in Park Falls on Monday September 14, 2020 at 11:00am. Rev. Paul Dischler will officiate.

A visitation will be held at the funeral home on Monday from 10:00am until the hour of the service.

Burial will follow at Forest Home Cemetery in Fifield with military honors under the auspices of the Park Falls American Legion Post.

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Cemetery Details

Forest Home Cemetery

Old 70 Road and Krucky Road
Fifield, WI 54524

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 14. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Birch Street Funeral Service
350 Birch Street
Park Falls, WI 54552
(715) 762-3287
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Military Honors

SEP **14.** 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth "Ken" R. Nootbaar Sr.*

October 05, 2023 at 02:07 PM



“ *Georgianna Rogers lit a candle in memory of
Kenneth "Ken" R. Nootbaar Sr.*



georgianna rogers - September 03, 2020 at 10:53 AM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Kenneth "Ken" R. Nootbaar Sr..*



September 03, 2020 at 10:50 AM