



John Bernard Kramer

July 9, 1956 - July 27, 2019

John Bernard Kramer, a big hearted, strong willed and opinionated husband, father, and brother, died July 27, 2019. John, 63, of Nashville, MI was born July 9, 1956 in Jackson, MI to William and Mary (Miller) Kramer. Following graduation from Jackson High in 1974, John proudly served his country in the Army. Once he left the military he went to work at Barnes Aerospace as a press operator, retiring after 30 years in 2016. On June 2, 2008 John married Corina Holder and together spent the next 11 years creating their legacy. John's hobbies include, mowing the lawn, playing euchre and cribbage, darts, golfing, grilling, cooking, and watching sports especially U of M sports. He was a proud member of the American Legion in Charlotte, where he volunteered at the fish fry's and on euchre night.

John is survived by his loving family: his wife, Corina; children, Crystal Heintz, April Reeser, Jason (Shannon) Kramer, Jody Kramer, John (Nicola) Kramer Jr., Traci Grinage, Jasmine Grinage and Joe Grinage; 13 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild; siblings, Patricia Kramer, Mary Bristol, Kathleen Sutphin, Jill Dutton, and Kristine Oliver. John was preceded in death by his father, William Kramer; mother, Mary Leutz; step-father, Arthur Leutz; siblings, Frances Gales, William Kramer; and step-brothers, Ben, Mike and Dan.

Friends are encouraged to support John's family at a Celebration of Life, which will be held on Friday, August 2, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. at The Charlotte

American Legion Post 42. If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to The American Legion Post 42. Friends and family are encouraged to share memories of John on his Tribute Page at www.PrayFuneral.com. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

AUG 2. 3:00 PM (ET)

American Legion (Post 42)
100 W. Lawrence Avenue
Charlotte, MI 48813

Tribute Wall



“ *America the Beautiful was purchased for the family of John Bernard Kramer.*



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“ *Jack was always there to give a helping hand, RIP Jack you did well.*

Matt - July 29, 2019 at 03:15 PM



“ *I was so sorry to hear about Jack's passing. I have many great memories from our younger years growing up together. One that has always stayed with me is how Jack would always host an around the clock party for the Labor Day Jerry Lewis Telethon. He always had a big heart. My thoughts and prayers are with the Kramer family at this difficult time. RIP Jack 🙏❤️*

Debbie Richardson Parisho - July 29, 2019 at 03:11 PM