



Kenneth James Armstrong

June 7, 1952 - March 1, 2025

Kenneth James Armstrong, an easy-going man who always took life for what it was, died peacefully at his home on March 1, 2025. Kenneth, 72, of Charlotte was born June 7, 1952 in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, the son of James and Florence (Phillips) Armstrong. After graduation from high school, Ken worked for various grocery stores as a butcher, retiring in 2012 after over 40 years of meat-cutting. Ken married Tammy in 2013, adding to the enjoyment in his life along with his kids and grandkids. Ken was a kind, loving, caring, generous, selfless, and thoughtful man whose motto was, "It is what it is!" Ken loved M&M's, and even had a special dispenser at his home for them. He was a lifelong fan of the Toronto Maple Leafs, and in his final days enjoyed watching the team make a winning streak. He also loved time in the outdoors, especially at "The Camp" at Snows Lake in Fenwick, MI. Ken was incredibly proud of his two sons and all that they have accomplished in their lives.

Kenneth is survived by his wife, Tammy; sons, James (Julie) Armstrong and David (Jody) Armstrong; stepchildren, Heather (Mike) Rodocker, James Keenan, and Annie Keenan; grandchildren, Alexxis Armstrong, Dallas Armstrong, James Carere, Tanner Armstrong, Aden Armstrong, Brennen Armstrong, Annelise Armstrong, and Keenan Rodocker; siblings, Penny (Bob) Micks, and Rob (Teen) Armstrong; he will also be missed by his nephews and favourite niece. He was preceded in death by his parents and his stepmother, Bette Armstrong.

Friends are encouraged to support Kenneth's family by attending services or sharing memories on his Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com. A Funeral Mass will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, March 7, 2025 at St. Mary Catholic Church in Charlotte with Rev. Fr. Dwight Ezop officiating. The funeral will be webcast so you may watch it from any computer, smartphone, or mobile device that has internet access. Go to www.prayfuneral.com, click on Ken's tribute, then click on Photos and Videos from your computer (or Media from your smart phone). If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions to Harmony Cares Hospice Lansing. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

MAR 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary Catholic Church
807 St. Mary Boulevard
Charlotte, MI 48813

Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Kenneth James Armstrong*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - March 07, 2025 at 08:58 AM

PH

We had some technical difficulties at the beginning of the service with the wi-fi service, but the recording is now available for viewing here.

Pray Funeral Home - March 07, 2025 at 03:39 PM

PW

unable to play webcast

Phil Woodcock - March 07, 2025 at 04:35 PM

SC

“ *So Sad to hear of Ken's Passing...He was a very caring, Thoughtful Co-Worker...Rest in Peace.....dear Friend*

sally coulbeck - December 23, 2025 at 06:40 PM

JW

“ While growing up in Valleyview Ken was a good and close friend. We lost contact over the years but it was like we never did when we met up again at recent childhood friend’s funeral. It’s hard to see someone who was easy going and never did anybody any wrong get sick. Rest in peace my friend now that the pain and frustration of your illness are now gone.

Our condolences to Ken’s family and friends.

Jim and Melany Whittaker

Jim and Melany Whittaker - March 13, 2025 at 12:43 PM

JC

“ James C. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kenneth James Armstrong.

James C. - March 07, 2025 at 11:07 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kenneth James Armstrong.

March 06, 2025 at 02:53 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Kenneth James Armstrong.



March 06, 2025 at 02:53 PM

AL

“ *Al LaMarte purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Kenneth James Armstrong.*



Al LaMarte - March 06, 2025 at 10:58 AM

DK

“ *Dave, Jody and The Kids. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kenneth James Armstrong.*

Dave, Jody and The Kids. - March 06, 2025 at 09:03 AM

DK

“ *Dave, Jody and The Kids. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kenneth James Armstrong.*



Dave, Jody and The Kids. - March 06, 2025 at 09:03 AM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Kenneth James Armstrong.*



March 05, 2025 at 11:00 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kenneth James Armstrong.*



March 05, 2025 at 04:06 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Kenneth James Armstrong.*



March 05, 2025 at 09:36 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kenneth James Armstrong.*

March 05, 2025 at 09:36 AM



“ *Dear Tammy and Family, we are so saddened to hear of Ken's passing. We will always treasure the visit we had with you both recently when you welcomed us into your home for a wonderful visit. We are so grateful we had that time. Rest in peace, Ken. You were a kind and gentle soul here on earth and touched many lives. xos Wayne and Christy*

Christy (Frohlich) Madill - March 05, 2025 at 06:17 AM

GK

“ Glenda, Aubrey and kids. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kenneth James Armstrong.

Glenda, Aubrey and kids. - March 04, 2025 at 06:28 PM

GK

“ Glenda, Aubrey and kids. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Kenneth James Armstrong.



Glenda, Aubrey and kids. - March 04, 2025 at 06:28 PM



“ A grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kenneth James Armstrong.

March 04, 2025 at 11:52 AM

PF

“ Penny, Bob, Kristine, Rob and family's purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Kenneth James Armstrong.



Penny, Bob, Kristine, Rob and family's - March 04, 2025 at 08:25 AM

MS

“ Tammy, my heart goes out to you and your family. There are no words that you haven't heard already. Just know Ken will be missed at the Kampground as he was always waiting for me to get my Goldfish. Camping season will not be the same without him.~ Maylynn and Terry



Maylynn Scarborough - March 03, 2025 at 05:48 PM

CP

Ken was a kind caring man.
He was sincere, honest, and you could depend on him to complete any tasks.
Ken was a great addition to our family and he was dedicated employee to our auction company.
We will miss him.
Claud & Sylvia

Claud McMillen & Sylvia Parmelee - March 03, 2025 at 07:53 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kenneth James Armstrong.



March 03, 2025 at 04:21 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kenneth James Armstrong.

March 03, 2025 at 03:58 PM