



Kenneth James "Kenny G" Garis

October 6, 1952 - April 2, 2017

Kenneth James Garis known as Kenny "G" passed away April 2, 2017, in the care of Cornerstone Hospice in Orlando, Florida. Kenny "G" began his journey of life on October 6, 1952 in Niagara Falls, New York. He leaves behind his loving wife of 42 years, Lynn (McDougall) Garis; his two sons, Joshua (Kim) Garis and Phillip (Heather) Garis; his grandchildren Carley and Liam; his sister Donna (Mike) Walczak); his sister-in-laws, Amy (Bill) Beutel and Beth (Rob) Stute; several nieces, nephews and many other relatives and close friends. He is predeceased by his brother Raymond (Gloria) Garis and his parents, Raymond and Theresa Garis.

He was retired after 30 years of service from General Motors and has spent his recent years being a "gypsy" and traveling with his wife, Lynn. His enjoyments on this journey were his family, especially his two grandchildren, Carley and Liam. He never met a stranger and enjoyed his many friends and acquaintances. He had a love for nature and outdoor adventures. We will all remember our individual memories with him which will make us all smile.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you consider donating to: Pet Connections Program, Inc., 12935 Williston Road, East Aurora, NY 14052 or Cornerstone Hospice & Palliative Care, ORMC, 52 W Underwood Street, Orlando, FL 32806.

A Celebration of Life gathering at the home of Bill and Amy Beutel (4728 Chestnut Road, Newfane, New York 14108) on May 13, 2017, from 2:00 pm - 5:30 pm.

Tribute Wall

LG

“ Lynn,

I was just thinking about you and Kenny today and then I get to work and see your kind note in the breakroom...and the note of Kenny's passing.

Sending you lots of love!!

Lauren G.

Orlando, FL

Lauren G - April 14, 2017 at 09:42 PM

MA

“ *Hi Lynn so sorry about Ken just found out. My deepest condolences may God comfort you in your loss. Sincerely Maria and bud*

Maria - April 12, 2017 at 08:29 AM

KL

“ *Lynn Josh n Phil, we are so sorry for ur loss. I learned a lot about life's simple pleasures from Ken (& u to Lynn). We are praying for God's peace to comfort u & ur family. Ken & Sandi Lilley*

Ken Sandra Lilley - April 08, 2017 at 09:53 AM

RF

“ *My family would like to send sincere condolences to the Garis family for the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort and hope from the Bible promise at Isaiah 25:7. Please, pray constantly, avoid isolation, and lean on God as you cope during this most difficult time.*

Richardson Family - April 07, 2017 at 03:03 PM

CS

“ My family and I will like to send our condolences to Kenny's family.
May the God of all comfort comfort you.

CS - April 07, 2017 at 06:04 AM

 Phil
Garis

“ <https://www.facebook.com/events/403037146719643/>

Here is more information on the Celebration of life gathering.

Phil Garis - April 06, 2017 at 02:51 PM

YF

“ Your Best Friend sent a virtual gift in memory of
Kenneth James "Kenny G" Garis



your best friend - April 06, 2017 at 10:14 AM

DW

“ Donna Walczak sent a virtual gift in memory of
Kenneth James "Kenny G" Garis



Donna Walczak - April 05, 2017 at 01:51 PM

DW

“ Donna Walczak lit a candle in memory of
Kenneth James "Kenny G" Garis



Donna Walczak - April 05, 2017 at 01:50 PM

Phil
Garis

“ Phil Garis sent a virtual gift in memory of
Kenneth James "Kenny G" Garis



Phil Garis - April 05, 2017 at 09:03 AM

Phil
Garis

“ Phil Garis lit a candle in memory of Kenneth
James "Kenny G" Garis



Phil Garis - April 05, 2017 at 09:02 AM

NM

“ Lynn and boys, I am very sorry for your loss. Kenny was a
wonderful person and friend to everyone. I consider myself lucky to
have known him. RIP my friend!
Sending prayers, Neita

neita mcveigh - April 04, 2017 at 06:09 AM