



## Kenneth Ard

March 13, 1936 - November 16, 2020

KENNETH ARD

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Mr. Kenneth Ard, son of the late Milford and Opal [nee Hedrick] Ard, was born on March 13, 1936 in Dent County, Missouri.

After earning a high school education, he served his country in the United States Army followed by a fulfilling career as an automobile mechanic for Chrysler before retiring in 1999. During that time, he was a proud member of the International Association of Machinist and Aerospace Workers.

On Sept. 1, 1956, he married the love of his life, Kathleen [nee McAuliffe] Ard. This union was blessed with two children, Tim and Patrick Ard. Ken was an avid sportsman and enjoyed spending his time surrounded by family and friends.

He is survived by his wife, Kathleen; grandchildren, Emileigh Ard and husband Brian Heffern, Patrick Ard and wife Nicole, and Shayne Ard; great grandchildren, Kaeden and Kennedy Heffern; siblings, Delores Stoverink and husband Tony Stoverink, Delma Jean Barnes, Junior Ard, Sandra Ard and Patrice Petty; along with a multitude of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends who loved him dearly.

He was preceded in death by his parents; four siblings: Gilbert Ard, Herman Ard, Duane Ard and Violet Holland; and two sons, Tim and Patrick Ard.

**SERVICES:**

Visitation will be held on Friday, Nov 27, 2020 at the St Martin's DePores Catholic Church, from 10-11 am; Funeral Mass will begin at 11:00 am; with Interment in the Sacred Heart Cemetery followed by Full Military Honors.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society in honor of Ken's courageous battle with cancer and in celebration of his life.

# Cemetery Details

## Sacred Heart Cemetery

980 Graham Road  
Florissant, MO 63033

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St Martin de Porres Catholic Church  
615 Dunn Road  
Hazelwood, MO 63042

## Funeral Mass

NOV 27. 11:00 AM (CT)

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615 Dunn Road  
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# Tribute Wall

DS

“ Kathy

*I just say that Ken pasted away. I will never forget the good times at the Blarney Stone. You and Ken were great friends*

*Dennis Strack*

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**Dennis Strack** - November 26, 2020 at 02:35 PM



*Dennis, I've wondered how you are I retired 14 years. don't miss rat race--do miss the people. how is Serena*

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**Kathleen McAuliffe-Ard** - December 21, 2020 at 09:06 PM

PZ

“ Kathie - We'll never forget the lasting impression that Ken made on us. Please know that during this dark time, though we can't be by your side, you're not alone and we both grieve with you. You and your grandchildren are in our thoughts and prayers. Our deepest condolences. Pam and "B" Zajac

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**Pam Zajac** - November 26, 2020 at 10:33 AM



*thank you*

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**Kathleen McAuliffe-Ard** - December 25, 2020 at 05:57 PM

BP

“ May Kenneth rest in perpetual peace and may God's unceasing love blanket all of you with comfort. Condolences to you and your family. Barbara Pratt

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**Barbara Pratt** - November 25, 2020 at 09:40 PM

SD

“ I cleaned house for Kathy before she retired and they lived here in Hazelwood. I loved visiting with Ken when I was finished cleaning. He took me out for lunch one time, too. I called him my buddy ❤️ My deepest sympathy and condolences to Kathy and his family.

Susan Delaney - November 25, 2020 at 07:01 PM



Susan keep in touch

Kathleen McAuliffe-Ard - December 21, 2020 at 09:08 PM



Susan so glad to hear from you. thank you. I've tried to find you on line, but no luck. hope you are well.

Kathleen McAuliffe-Ard - December 25, 2020 at 05:59 PM

LP

“ Ken is finally at peace and with his boys doing “manly” thins. My heartfelt condolences, prayers and love to the family.

Linda Platt - November 25, 2020 at 02:16 PM

AB

“ Kathleen and family. So sorry to hear about Ken's passing. Prayers for all during this difficult time.

Ann Beers - November 25, 2020 at 01:50 PM



Annie, I often think of you and your family

Kathleen McAuliffe-Ard - December 21, 2020 at 09:10 PM

JR

“ So sorry to hear this We had so much fun with Ken and Kathy over the years. I am sure he is enjoying the great outdoors in Heaven

Jerry Ryan - November 22, 2020 at 09:51 AM

DB

“ My condolences to the Ard family, I worked with Ken at Goodyear back in the early 70's, he taught this young kid at the time a lot and have never forgotten him. Thank you and Rest in Peace Kenny.

Don Banden

don banden - November 22, 2020 at 09:33 AM

TW

Sorry to hear about your loss. We will be thinking of you Kathy in your time of sorrow

The Witthoffts - November 25, 2020 at 02:05 PM

MR

Sorry to hear that Ken passed away. I will remember the Ard family card games and winter wood gatherings in Salem, Hazelwood and Webster Groves. Kathy- I forgive all that money he owed me from poker. Stay strong

Mike Ralls - November 25, 2020 at 02:54 PM

GC

MEMBERS OF THE GLADDEN EMPIRE CLUB SEND OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES TO KATHY AND THE ARD FAMILY

GLADDEN EMPIRE CLUB - November 25, 2020 at 08:00 PM

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Condolences from Courtmey Ralls

courtney ralls - November 26, 2020 at 03:15 PM



*thanks*

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**Kathleen McAuliffe-Ard** - December 25, 2020 at 06:01 PM