



Kenneth A. Zolper

May 31, 1954 - July 4, 2013

Kenneth A. Zolper, age 59 years, a resident of O'Fallon, Missouri, passed away Thursday, July 4, 2013, at 12:50 PM at Kindred Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri.

Kenneth was born May 31, 1954 in Oregon, Illinois. He was the son of Richard O. Zolper & Eleanor L. (Eddy) Zolper.

Kenneth was united in marriage to Jennifer (Barton) on August 6, 1983 in San Diego, California.

Survivors include - His wife Jennifer Zolper, 2 sons - Richard R. Zolper and Christopher J. (Tabitha) Zolper: 3 grandchildren; and a brother James Zolper. In addition to his parents, Kenneth was preceded in death by his stepmother Louise (Hight) Zolper.

Kenneth was a graduate of the former Coleman Technical College in San Diego, California where he had studied computer programming. Kenneth had many interests and enjoyed a number of hobbies. As a youth, Kenneth developed a lifelong love of photography. He and his father operated a photography business from their home and even installed a darkroom so Kenneth could develop their photographs in-house. He later served as a production lab manager for several major photography studios. Kenneth was also was a trained locksmith.

He had a great love of nature and the outdoors. Kenneth had a passion for farming, gardening and wildlife. He especially enjoyed bird watching,

maintaining bird feeders, and photographing many varieties of native birds, including cardinals, blue jays, and hummingbirds.

Kenneth is remembered for his love of cooking and he served as the official family "Grill-Master." He was a very talented "Handy-Man" and could fix and repair just about anything set in front of him.

A Graveside service will be held Tuesday afternoon, August 6, 2013 at 1:00 PM at the Vienna Fraternal Cemetery. Those attending the service are asked to be there at 12:45.

Contributions in memory of Kenneth are suggested to the American Diabetes Association, 425 South Woods Mill Road # 110, Town and Country, Missouri 63017.

Cemetery Details

Vienna Fraternal Cemetery

N. 6th Street
Vienna, IL

Previous Events

Service

AUG 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

Vienna Fraternal Cemetery
N. 6th Street
Vienna, IL

Tribute Wall



“ James R Zolper lit a candle in memory of Kenneth A. Zolper



James R Zolper - August 18, 2024 at 07:24 PM



“ James R Zolper lit a candle in memory of Kenneth A. Zolper



James R Zolper - July 04, 2024 at 03:45 PM



“ Kenneth A. Zolper

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ Jim Zolper lit a candle in memory of Kenneth A. Zolper



Jim Zolper - January 02, 2022 at 08:14 PM

CZ

“ Even though you and I never really had that Father/Son relationship that you intended us to have. I Know that you Loved Richard and I. That you also Cared for Mom like a Husband should. The Zolper name will live on through your Grandkids, and I hope that the morals and respect that you have tried to teach Richard and I will also Live on. You will be Missed. Love you Dad

Your oldest Son,
Christopher Zolper

Christopher Zolper - February 06, 2014 at 02:06 AM



DL

“ Dan Langford lit a candle in memory of Kenneth A. Zolper

Dan Langford - August 05, 2013 at 11:51 PM



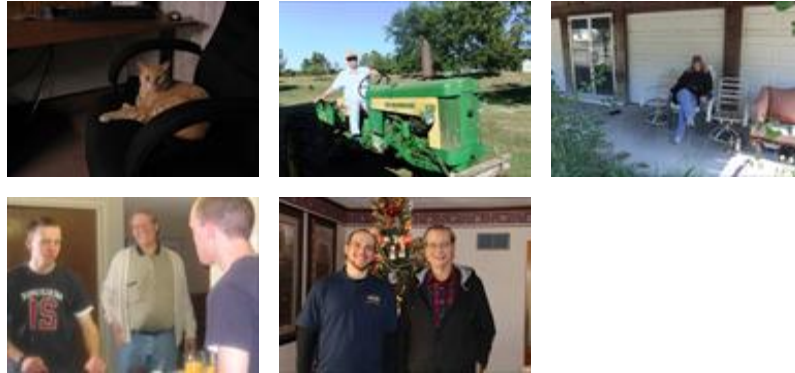
DL

Ken was a good man to work with and always had time for a laugh. He will be remember for arriving before 5am at work and wearing a tie. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this sad time.

Dan Langford - August 05, 2013 at 11:57 PM

JE

“ 12 files added to the album Ken Memories



Jenn - August 04, 2013 at 06:47 PM

CF

“ Jennifer,
There are never the words to express the lose of a loved one or a dear friend. Please except my deepest condolences for your loss. Ken was always genuinely glad to see you, I will miss his dry wit and caring nature.



Cy Franks - July 22, 2013 at 05:04 PM

LC

“ Jennifer and Richard,
Dianna and I wish to express our deepest sympathy for your loss. I enjoyed the time that I spent with Ken over the years. He was a kind and genuinely nice guy.
Larry and Dianna

Larry Choate - July 18, 2013 at 08:45 AM

DP

“ *Denise Poppert lit a candle in memory of Kenneth A. Zolper*



Denise Poppert - July 08, 2013 at 12:21 AM

DP

Ken was such a kind man. He always had time to talk and offer a smile. I enjoyed working with him all those years ago at Photic. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.

Denise Poppert - July 08, 2013 at 12:25 AM

RD

“ *Renee DeMattia lit a candle in memory of Kenneth A. Zolper*



Renee DeMattia - July 07, 2013 at 09:30 PM

RD

Ken was a good friend and a great guy to work for. My condolences to his family and friends.

Renee DeMattia - July 07, 2013 at 09:33 PM

MB

“ *Ken was a good guy and I always enjoyed being around him... My prayers and thought go to his family and friends...*

*Marge Binks
San Diego*

MARGE BINKS - July 07, 2013 at 09:54 AM

RZ

“ *Richard R. Zolper lit a candle in memory of
Kenneth A. Zolper*



Richard R. Zolper - July 06, 2013 at 10:45 AM

JZ

“ *Jennifer Zolper lit a candle in memory of
Kenneth A. Zolper*



Jennifer Zolper - July 06, 2013 at 10:43 AM