



## Kevin Alan Williams

March 28, 1964 - April 28, 2019

Kevin Alan Williams, age 55 years, of Hillsboro, Tennessee and a former resident of Olmsted and Vienna, passed away Sunday, April 28, 2019, at Barnes – Jewish Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri.

Kevin was born March 28, 1964 in Anna, Illinois. He was the seventh of nine children born to Robert “Cecil” and Ruby (Earnhart) Williams.

Kevin was united in marriage to Glenda Kay Rose on June 30, 1995 at Vienna, Illinois. She survives.

In addition to his wife, Kevin is survived by: his children – Timothy Alan Williams of Council Bluffs, Iowa, Melinda Nicole Williams of West Allis, Wisconsin, James Allen (Holly) Anderson of Bonaire, Georgia, and Dennis Stephen (Stephanie) Anderson of Karnak; 6 grandchildren – Hailey, Hunter, Colton, and Makayla Williams, and Morgan & Justin Shepherd; a great grandson – Asher Watson; 3 sisters – Donna Willeford of Vienna, Debra Kohlbacher of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, and Karen (Tony) Elder of San Antonio, Texas; 4 brothers – Jerry (Glenda) Williams of Carterville, Gary (Ellen) Williams of Vienna, David (Christine) Williams of Marion, Texas, and Keith Williams of Stonefort; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives & many dear friends. Kevin was anticipating the birth of another grandson in August 2019.

In addition to his parents, Kevin was preceded in death by: a son – Michael Lee Anderson and a Sister – Sherry Kay Bagby.

Kevin was a 1982 graduate of Vienna High School. Following graduation, Kevin joined the U.S. Air Force. He was honorably discharged in 1992, having attained the rank of Staff Sergeant.

Kevin was employed as a maintenance supervisor by Shawnee Development Council. He also worked at Transcraft, Inc. in Anna and assisted his brother, Gary, in his construction and carpentry business. Kevin was also employed by the Illinois Department of Corrections. He had been employed at the Tamms Correctional Center later transferring to the Vienna Correctional Center. He retired March 28, 2019.

Kevin was an avid outdoorsman. He loved to fish and was a member of B.A.S.S. (Bassmasters). Kevin also enjoyed boating, camping, motorcycling and off-road riding. He was a crafted woodworker. Kevin is fondly remembered as the “Bingo Caller” at the Vienna Beggs-Gurley VFW Post for many years.

A service honoring the life of Kevin Williams will be conducted Thursday, May 2, 2019, at 1 PM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. Rev. Gene Edwards will officiate. The family invites those attending to dress casually and comfortably.

Burial will be in the Cypress Cemetery. Military graveside honors will be accorded by the Beggs-Gurley VFW Post # 5222 and the U.S. Air Force Burial Honors detail.

Visitation will be held Thursday, May 2, 2019, from 11 AM – 1 PM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 5 Schiber Port,  
Suite C, Maryville, Illinois 62062.

# Cemetery Details

## Cypress Cemetery

5847 State Route 37 South  
Cypress, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 2.** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home  
705 North First Street  
PO Box 695  
Vienna, IL 62995  
(618) 658-2311  
baileyfhinc@hotmail.com  
<https://baileyfh.com>

## Service

**MAY 2.** 1:00 PM (CT)

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## **Military Honors & Flag Presentation**

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**MAY 2. 2:30 PM (CT)**

Cypress Cemetery  
5847 State Route 37 South  
Cypress, IL

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kevin Alan Williams*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *Gary Murray lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



**Gary Murray** - October 31, 2019 at 09:22 PM



“ *R.I.P.*



**Scott Hunsaker** - May 06, 2019 at 08:34 PM



“ *I only got to work with Kevin a short period of time at VCC but it was always a highlight of the day to talk with him. He came up with a hilarious nickname for me and even got the rest of the staff to pick it up. He was always interested to know what was growing out in the gardens and subjected me to any number of his brain teasing puzzles he had made. There was always the jokes about driving a Prius to work too. I thank you for your kindness and the friendly introduction to VCC. You will be missed.*

**Nathan** - May 02, 2019 at 10:15 PM

JH

“ Jerry & Rondice Houseman lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams



Jerry & Rondice Houseman - May 02, 2019 at 11:12 AM

JS

“ John Slack sent a virtual gift in memory of Kevin Alan Williams



John Slack - May 02, 2019 at 11:04 AM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Kevin Alan Williams.



May 01, 2019 at 09:55 PM

BB

“ Brett, Angela And Alyssa Brumley lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams



Brett, Angela and Alyssa Brumley - May 01, 2019 at 02:37 PM

TA

“ Teresa Anderson lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams



Teresa Anderson - May 01, 2019 at 02:18 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Kevin Alan Williams.



April 30, 2019 at 05:22 PM

BH

“ "I was sadden to hear of the passing of my coworker, Kevin. I will always remember him for his pleasant personality and smile. I keep you Karen and the family in my prayers. God bless you and the family.



Betty Holder \$\$

Betty Holder - April 30, 2019 at 05:18 PM

CG

“ So sorry to hear this. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We had the honor of working with Kevin at Tamms and then again at Vienna. He always had a smile. Prayers for you Glenda and family.

Carol and Randy George - April 30, 2019 at 11:42 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kevin Alan Williams.*



April 30, 2019 at 10:52 AM



“ *I was very sorry to hear about Kevin. He was a good guy and a great friend. I'm sending my prayers out to the family.*



**Jed hand** - April 30, 2019 at 09:33 AM



“ *Vicki Eastwood lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



**Vicki Eastwood** - April 30, 2019 at 08:52 AM



“ *I was honored and blessed to have worked with Kevin at Tamms. One of the kindest person I have ever met. He truly be missed.*



**Donnie Wollard** - April 30, 2019 at 08:21 AM

MR

“ *Mike And Teresa Richerson lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Mike and Teresa Richerson** - April 30, 2019 at 07:59 AM

PB

“ *Peggy Baquet lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Peggy Baquet** - April 30, 2019 at 05:39 AM

RB

“ *Roger Brumley lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Roger Brumley** - April 30, 2019 at 01:54 AM

MB

“ *Mlarlene Belden lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Mlarlene Belden** - April 30, 2019 at 01:23 AM

  
Jessica  
Rolfe

“ *Jessica Rolfe lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Jessica Rolfe** - April 30, 2019 at 12:11 AM




“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kevin Alan Williams.*



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April 29, 2019 at 10:48 PM

  
Theresa  
McKenzie

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss, Sending Prayers*



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**Theresa McKenzie** - April 29, 2019 at 10:01 PM



“ *Spread your wings Angel you fought a good fight tell we meet again*



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**Sherry Reinhard wells** - April 29, 2019 at 08:47 PM

DH

“ *Duane Hoffner lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Duane Hoffner** - April 29, 2019 at 08:38 PM

BJ

“ *Kevin brought laugh's to all of us in maintenance with his daily riddles. He will be missed. Praying for his loved ones.*



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**Bernie Jerolds** - April 29, 2019 at 08:23 PM

JH

“ *Jo Hosch lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Jo Hosch** - April 29, 2019 at 08:16 PM

SC

“ *Sue Cagle lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**sue cagle** - April 29, 2019 at 08:10 PM

HS

“ Kevin was my uncle, and he was a great one. He made me laugh every time I saw him, and he had a smile that could light up a room. I still can't believe he is gone. He will be greatly missed.

Holly S. - April 29, 2019 at 08:09 PM

CS

“ Christina Slivinski lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams



Christina Slivinski - April 29, 2019 at 08:03 PM

JW

“ Glenda-I'm so very sorry! I pray for your comfort and peace. Prayers for all!



Jill Whillock Walquist - April 29, 2019 at 08:01 PM

DC

“ David Childers lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams



David Childers - April 29, 2019 at 07:47 PM

DM

“ *Dori Maloney lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Dori Maloney** - April 29, 2019 at 07:30 PM

WB

“ *Wm And Nancy Belford lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Wm and Nancy Belford** - April 29, 2019 at 07:26 PM

NW

“ *My heart goes out to all of you. Glenda cherish his memory you two were a precious couple. Praying you find peace in the difficult days to come.*

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**Nancee Williams** - April 29, 2019 at 06:53 PM

BW

“ *Bill And Barb Warmack lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Bill and Barb Warmack** - April 29, 2019 at 06:49 PM



“ *Tara Evans Hobbs lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Tara Evans Hobbs** - April 29, 2019 at 06:15 PM



“ *Valerie Lynne lit a candle in memory of Kevin Alan Williams*



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**Valerie Lynne** - April 29, 2019 at 06:15 PM