



Denny Ballard

April 9, 1947 - May 25, 2020

Denny Truman Ballard, 73, of Bolivar, MO passed away Monday, May 25, 2020 at his home in Bolivar, MO.

Denny was born on January 1, 1947 in Pittsburg, KS to Truman and Sally Mae Ballard. A life-long animal lover, Denny loved watching all sorts of birds, especially hummingbirds. He was so pleased that summer was coming and the orioles were arriving. He also loved his Great Dane and his French Bulldog.

Denny cherished his family, and considered many who weren't directly related to him as his family. First among those were the school kids he drove on his bus over a 12 years career in Bolivar. He also considered all of his brothers at the Masonic Lodge as family. Denny held a special place in his heart for fire fighters, and was honored to serve alongside the Willard Fire Department, Walnut Grove Fire Department, and gave his time on the board of the Morrisville Fire Department. Denny loved many people, and he will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Denny is survived by his loving wife of over 50 years, Judy Ballard, as well as his sons, Kirk Ballard and family, and Ken Ballard and family, as well as his four-legged family members, Baron Napoleon and Pierre.

A funeral service for Denny Ballard will be held Saturday, May 30, 2020 at 10 AM at the Heritage Baptist Church in Bolivar, MO. Burial will take place at the Greenwood Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made in Denny's honor

to the Morrisville Fire Department.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

S. Dunnegan Ave.
Bolivar, MO 65613

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAY 30. 10:00 AM (CT)

Heritage Baptist Church
4853 S. 135th Rd.
Bolivar, MO 65613

Tribute Wall



“ *Denny Ballard*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Denny Ballard*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *My sympathy to Denny's family. My parents were neighbors to his parents, north of Arcadia near the Old Arcadia Cemetery. I remember him as a little tyke, coming to play with my brothers who were near his age, Bill, Gary, Kenny Cambers. I visited with him at his 50th class reunion and was happy to see him after so many years had gone by. od Bless each of you, and may you be comforted in this time of sorrow. Blessings to all. Helen Cambers Green*

Helen Cambers Green - May 29, 2020 at 02:19 PM



“ *Went to school with Denny in Arcadia, he was a great guy who was very thoughtful and caring. He loved to play baseball, and was an awesome pitcher. He came back for his 50th class reunion, and many of us hadn't seen him since he graduated! So glad he made the trip, as we all enjoyed visiting with him and his lovely wife. Sympathy to the family, he will be greatly missed.*

Karen Sprengle - May 29, 2020 at 09:31 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Denny Ballard.*



May 29, 2020 at 03:48 AM



“ *Steve, Mike, Dea, Patti, Jeralyn, and John Ballard purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Denny Ballard.*



Steve, Mike, Dea, Patti, Jeralyn, and John Ballard - May 28, 2020
at 02:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Denny Ballard.*



May 28, 2020 at 08:22 AM



“ *A good neighbor...always honked and waved anytime he passed by...Ron and Sue Entlicher*

sue and ron entlicher - May 27, 2020 at 06:07 PM

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“ *Denny was a caring and kind man. Wonderful human being. Blessed to have know and worked with him. Loved life and loved Judy.* ”

gary walton - May 27, 2020 at 10:52 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Denny Ballard.* ”



May 26, 2020 at 03:28 PM