



Kevin Ellingson

September 27, 1953 - May 7, 2024

Kevin “Gordy” Ellingson, 70, of Iowa Falls, passed away Tuesday, May 7, 2024 at his home, under the care of Care Initiatives Hospice. A casual public visitation will be held from 2-4 PM on Sunday, May 12, 2024 at the Woodley Funeral Home in Hampton. He will be laid to rest with a family graveside service at the Union Cemetery. Woodley Funeral Home is caring for Kevin and his family.

Kevin Gordon Ellingson was born on September 27, 1953 to L. Gordon and Verdonna Mae (Swift) Ellingson in Iowa Falls, Iowa. Kevin graduated from Iowa Falls High School class of 1972.

Kevin was a farmer all his life and believed if you work hard, you can play hard and he sure did both. Kevin was an innovative farmer and shared his knowledge and techniques with his son, Chase. Although it was not unusual to hear a curse under his breath at Chase while they were working together!

When Kevin and his boys were younger, they loved the action of Motor Cross Racing and later raced Modifieds together in Webster City and Fort Dodge. He enjoyed hanging out with friends at Grumpy’s Bar, drinking BV or taking a cruise in his shiny black Camaro or on his Harley Davidson. Most of all, Kevin was so very proud of his new grandbaby, Laynee. Spending time with his family made him the happiest.

Those left to cherish his memory are his sons, Chase (Alyssa) Ellingson of Iowa Falls, Iowa and Dustin Ellingson of Iowa Falls, Iowa; granddaughter, Laynee Ellingson and sister, Vicki (Larry) Swart of Iowa Falls, Iowa. He was preceded in death by his parents, Gordon and Verdonna Ellingson and his beloved dog, Spike.

Cemetery Details

Union Cemetery

Iowa Falls, IA 50126

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 12. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Hampton - Woodley Funeral Home
306 Central Ave. East
Hampton, IA 50441
(641) 456-3232

Tribute Wall

BA

“ Gordy was a fella I met just a little too late in life, however I cherish every year that I knew him. The day I met him I read him correctly. He was smart, caring, & kind. I found he would do anything for anyone if there was something he could do. My wife & I held him close to our hearts & he was our Monday night pizza date at the Wellsburg Tap many times. He made the trip many times to our recreational area named Whiskey Junxshun where everyone loved to visit with him about farming, racing, or his family. God Bless You Gordy & my heart goes out to the Family of such a great man. We miss him dearly but his memories will never fade. We are honored to be planting a tree in the near future at Whiskey Junxshun in remembrance of him & the many times he shared a beverage while attending our events.

Brad & Sam Aukes

Brad Aukes - May 13, 2024 at 10:38 AM

DI

“ Dave's Auto & Truck Service, Inc. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kevin Ellingson.



Dave's Auto & Truck Service, Inc. - May 11, 2024 at 09:39 PM

DH

“ Dean & Lisa Humke planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kevin Ellingson.

Dean & Lisa Humke - May 10, 2024 at 08:23 AM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kevin Ellingson.*



May 10, 2024 at 08:23 AM



“ *My Dad, Pat O'Reilly, loved the times spent with Gordy and the rest of their friends. I imagine that their heavenly reunion sparked quite a party. I found this picture and it's exactly how I remember Gordy — kind, funny, sporting a mischievous smile and holding a cold drink. Sincere condolences to all that loved him. - Shawna O'Reilly*



Shawna O'Reilly - May 09, 2024 at 10:00 PM



“ *Our condolences to Kevin's family. We are sorry for your loss. Jim & Teri off*

jim off - May 09, 2024 at 06:23 PM



“ *Russ Winters purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kevin Ellingson.*



Russ Winters - May 09, 2024 at 01:07 PM

DS

“ 5 files added to the album *Fun with Kevin*



Dale A Stockdale - May 09, 2024 at 12:42 PM

MR

“ *Marcia Renken lit a candle in memory of Kevin Ellingson*



Marcia Renken - May 09, 2024 at 08:37 AM

MR

My condolences to Kevin's family and friends.

Marcia Renken - May 09, 2024 at 08:39 AM

TM

“ *Titan Machinery purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Kevin Ellingson.*



Titan Machinery - May 08, 2024 at 09:39 AM