



Dennis L. Kamp

August 12, 1953 - November 16, 2024

Dennis L. Kamp, 71, of New Carlisle, Indiana and formerly of Akron passed unexpectedly surrounded by family at 12:15 am, Saturday, Nov. 16, 2024 at Raclin Hospice House of Mishawaka, Indiana.

Dennis was born on August 12, 1953, in Rochester, Indiana, to Wayne D. and Isabelle (Funk) Kamp. He graduated from Akron High School in 1972. On August 22, 2001, he married Linda Carol Hunt in St. Joseph County, Indiana; she survives.

Dennis was a farmer at heart and loved working. He spent 35 years as a union millwright, and in retirement, he operated the "Top Dog" crane for Omni Source Salvage. He was a longtime member of the Indiana Kentucky Ohio Carpenters Union.

He had a big personality. He enjoyed watching westerns on TV, mowing and yard work, boating, and his new white Ford Mustang. Dennis also had a passion for antique tractors and amassed a large collection of toy tractors and hats. Together with his wife Linda, he enjoyed antiques, visiting farmers markets, and dining out.

He is survived by his wife Linda Kamp of New Carlisle; children Kara and husband Doug Sutton of Goshen, Kelly and husband Mark McCall of

Rochester, Kyle and wife Paige Kamp of Twelve Mile; step children Danielle and husband Adal Smith of South Bend, Kristin Stanley of Green Cove Springs, Florida, and Michael and wife Christine Wilhelm of New Carlisle; 12 Grandchildren; mother Belle Kamp of Akron; siblings Steven (Tracy) Kamp of Akron, Frank Kamp of Akron, Andrew (Lori) Kamp of Kewanna, and Rebecca (Mark) Powell of Macy.

Dennis was preceded in death by his father Wayne Kamp.

The funeral service will take place at 2:00 pm, Thursday, Nov. 21, 2024 at Hartzler Funeral Home 305 West Rochester Street Akron, Indiana with Mark Powell officiating.

A private interment will take place in the Mount Hope, Athens Cemetery, Athens, Indiana at a later date.

Visitation hours will be held from 12 noon to 2 pm, Thursday, Nov. 21, 2024 at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, Indiana.

Memorial contributions can be made in his memory to Ernestine M. Raclin House (Center for Hospice) 501 Comfort Pl Mishawaka, IN 46545.

Cemetery Details

Athens - Hoover Cemetery

State Road 14
Athens, IN 46912

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 21. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Hartzler Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Dennis L. Kamp



Hartzler Funeral Services - November 20, 2024 at 04:06 PM

RK

“ Can't began To thank you My brother for all the great memories We made in out younger years On your folks farm. Even when we had to work We always had a laugh or two. One of my favorite Memories Was winter time a cold one We were playing on the ice on the pound You came up behind Steve and I trying to crack the ice. But you fell in 🌊 Can see it like it was just yesterday Splashing around like a Dinosaur stuck in a tar pit. Once you made it out of the pound You made a B line to the house Had to stripe in the basement There was sea weed in your boots 😂 Going to miss you 😭 As well that sly look you'd get when you thought of more fun. 😂 So so many a life time of them my brother Hugz Russ Kamp

Russ Kamp - November 21, 2024 at 09:50 PM

RD

“ Dennis was a great help to me while working at I/N Kote. I remember his keen skills as a millwright for the 25 years we worked together. My sincere condolences to his family and friends.

Rico Diaz - November 21, 2024 at 12:27 PM

DC

“ R.I.P. Dennis Prayers for the family. Don Van Curen

donald Van Curen - November 21, 2024 at 09:25 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dennis L. Kamp.



November 20, 2024 at 02:20 PM

JC

“ John & Melanie Creech purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Dennis L. Kamp.



John & Melanie Creech - November 20, 2024 at 01:12 PM

JC

“ John & Melanie Creech planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dennis L. Kamp.

John & Melanie Creech - November 20, 2024 at 01:12 PM

YD

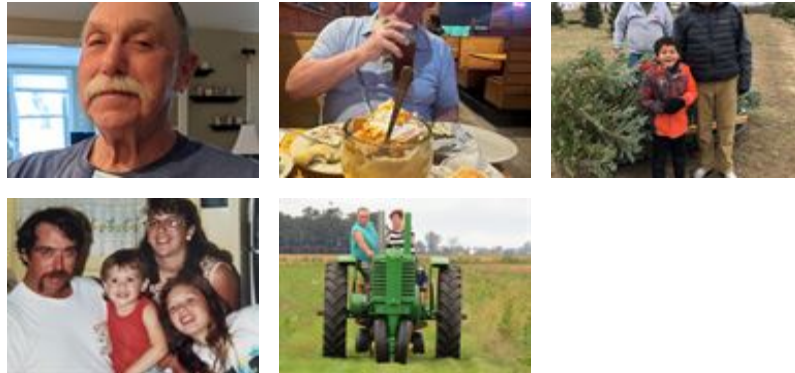
“ Your family @ Greenleaf Family Dentistry purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Dennis L. Kamp.



Your family @ Greenleaf Family Dentistry - November 20, 2024 at 11:08 AM



“ 171 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Hartzler Funeral Services - November 20, 2024 at 10:53 AM

CH

“ *Dennis, you brought so much laughter. I always enjoyed visiting with you. I'm so glad I got to see you this past summer.*

Chrishana - November 19, 2024 at 11:03 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dennis L. Kamp.*



November 19, 2024 at 10:43 PM

JK

“ John and I will never forget the day we met you at the Three Dog Night concert. When we finally got around to exchanging names and I told you that our names were John and Linda, you said that was also your names! Then you said, “No, my name is really Dennis but her name is actually Linda.” We loved going to dinner and concerts. We will miss you so very much and we promise to help Linda as much as she needs. It is so hard to believe that we just had dinner and watched part of the ND game with you the Saturday before this happened. Rest in peace, our friend. John and Linda Kohn

john and Linda Kohn - November 18, 2024 at 08:43 PM

DG

“ Dan, Sue, & Andy Garing purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Dennis L. Kamp.



Dan, Sue, & Andy Garing - November 18, 2024 at 06:40 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Dennis L. Kamp.



November 18, 2024 at 06:31 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dennis L. Kamp.

November 18, 2024 at 06:31 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Dennis L. Kamp.*



November 18, 2024 at 03:52 PM



“ *Sorry to learn of this. Prayers and understanding for your family. Just remembering all the years and countless day's and downturns at I/N Kote. To many memories to list, rest in peace brother.*

Tom Polmounter - November 18, 2024 at 03:13 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dennis L. Kamp.*



November 18, 2024 at 01:51 PM



“ *Worked many times around Dennis at the mill never a dall moment.my thoughts and prayers go out to the Kamp family.RIP brother*

Dave Ducey - November 18, 2024 at 01:41 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dennis L. Kamp.*



November 18, 2024 at 01:00 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dennis L. Kamp.

November 18, 2024 at 01:00 PM



“ *I'm so sorry to about Dennis I'm going to miss him so much he was a great guy I love him I can't make it to the funeral I have something. Going on Thursday if you guys want anything let me know*

Tyler Meyers - November 18, 2024 at 11:43 AM



“ *Thanks for so many memories!! From tractor rides to picking up change. You were such a great dad to me for 25 years and an amazing Papa to my boys. We are going to miss you! We are gonna miss picking on you. I'm gonna miss you asking me to get you snacks and tea! Your deputy is gonna miss you! You have a special place in my heart. Love you! 💕~Kristy*

kristin - November 17, 2024 at 07:32 PM

SK

We shared good times an hard times. We had three amazing children an five grandchildren. I shared your young life a Linda shared your old life. Go rest on the mountains old man, Susie

susie Kamp - November 19, 2024 at 03:44 PM

LM

“ *Kelly and Kara,*

I'm so sorry for the loss of your dad! You and your families will be in my prayers.

Love, Letitia (Garrison) Mattu

Letitia (Garrison) Mattu - November 17, 2024 at 07:17 PM

AP

“ *Kelly, Kara, Kyle, and family,*

I'm so sorry for your loss. Prayers for comfort and healing during this difficult time.

Amanda (Burgess)Powell

Amanda (Burgess) Powell - November 17, 2024 at 05:22 PM

RH

So sorry for your loss. There's no doubt he will be missed but the memories will be with us forever. I pray for strength comfort and peace for his family. And our Lord Jesus will provide .

Rosie (Funk) habegger - November 18, 2024 at 11:08 AM

KH

We are SO sad about the loss of our friend & neighbor. Losing someone you care about is deeply & incredibly difficult. We will cherish our memories and wish you peace and comfort during this time.

Kenny & Kim Huston - November 18, 2024 at 04:42 PM