



## Kevin Masterson

June 12, 1954 - March 23, 2016

Kevin Masterson age 61, passed away Wednesday, March 23, 2016 at his home in Painesville . Kevin was born June 12, 1954 to the late Philip and Dorothy, where he was a lifelong resident of Lake County. He grew up in Mentor and graduated from the Mentor High School Class of 1972.

Kevin was a talented and gifted tradesman in the tool and die industry- He was a hobbyist who loved to play electric guitar, build remote control boats and go-karts and anything with a motor that would go fast! Kevin was mechanically gifted and could fix anything.

He was a tool and die machinist most recently working for Sutterlin & Sons Machine in Mentor.

Kevin was a proud member of Alcoholics Anonymous for many years- He so loved the program that even in death he hoped that his dying would be able to help someone else suffering from this insidious disease. Through Kevin's journey, he met his lifelong friend and sponsor, Ron- Kevin's friendship with Ron spanned many years and as a result brought Kevin to a place in life where he recently told his family "This is the happiest I have ever been". The family thanks Ron, a friend and a deacon with St. John Baptist Church in Painesville.

Ron will officiate a service honoring Kevin's life at 8:30 PM Tuesday, March

29, 2016 at Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH., where the visitation will be held 5:30-8:30 PM Tuesday, March 29, 2016.

He is survived by his children: Sean (Brandee) Masterson of Painesville , Christine Masterson of Spokane, WA, Kevin (Ashley) Masterson of N.C., Bryan (Sydney English) Masterson of Painesville, his sister, Kathy "Kate" ( Dan Jr.) Snyder of Mentor, Grandchildren: Blake, Sean, Toree, Lula, Raven, Dottie, Aiden and Torin. Niece: Allyson Snyder and Nephew: Danny Snyder, Uncle Marv and Aunt June Bollinger and close cousins and his faithful companion, Bella. He was preceded in death by his parents: Philip and Dorothy "Dottie" Masterson.

Kevin will be laid to rest in the family grave in Mentor cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be made in memory of Kevin Masterson to Kate Snyder, c/o 8466 Mentor Ave, Mentor, OH. 44060. The family wishes to pay it forward and support those people struggling with similar dependencies.

Offer online condolences at [www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Mentor Cemetery

6881 Hopkins Rd.  
Mentor, OH 44060  
(440) 974-5733

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAR 29.** 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center  
8466 Mentor Avenue  
Mentor, OH 44060  
(440) 255-3401  
ajs@brunners.com  
<https://www.brunners.com/>

## Funeral Service

**MAR 29.** 8:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

WC

“ I am so sorry for your loss. The worst thing a person could experience is losing a love one in death. I pray that you and your family will find hope and comfort in these words recorded at Revelation21:4.

west college park congregation - March 30, 2016 at 08:29 PM

LB

“ Lisa & Andy Birrell lit a candle in memory of Kevin Masterson



Lisa & Andy Birrell - March 29, 2016 at 01:41 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kevin Masterson.



March 28, 2016 at 01:38 PM

JH

“ Jody (Schafer) Hersey purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Kevin Masterson.



Jody (Schafer) Hersey - March 28, 2016 at 12:27 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Kevin Masterson.*



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March 28, 2016 at 11:29 AM



“ *Kevin was a good friend from childhood until the end. I loved him and prayed for his success. I watched his struggles, and watched his great recovery! I will miss him! May God Be with your family in this time of sorrow!*

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**Jody Hersey** - March 28, 2016 at 11:20 AM



“ *Dear Kate.*

*So sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Wishing you comfort and peace during this sad time. It's okay to cry. It's also okay to smile and laugh when you think back on all the years you two have had together.*

*Diane Ewanko*

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**Diane Ewanko** - March 27, 2016 at 09:31 AM



“ *Dear Kathy and all of the Masterson family; my most sincere condolences to all of you. Kevin's life has meaning to all he touched, perhaps especially those who battle his same disease. Remember all the sunny days he brought to you, and know he is dancing in heaven. Sincerely, Rick Koch MHS'74*

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**rick koch** - March 27, 2016 at 06:46 AM

BS

“ *Kevin. You left our world way too soon. God apparently had a better plan for you. Hope you are smiling down on us. You will be missed by many. Love you cuz. Beth*

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**Beth Hahn slanie** - March 26, 2016 at 11:52 PM

GB

“ *Gary & Janice Bolander purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Kevin Masterson.*



**Gary & Janice Bolander** - March 26, 2016 at 04:19 PM