



Kim Richard Stemen

March 4, 1959 - December 1, 2025

Kim R. Stemen, age 66 of Lancaster, Ohio, passed away on December 1, 2025, at his home, after a courageous battle with cancer. Kim's journey home to eternity with his heavenly father came to its conclusion with his family by his side. Kim was born on March 4, 1959, in Lancaster, Ohio, to Jackie Stemen. Kim was a member of New Lexington High School class of 1977.

Kim was a loving husband, father, papaw and brother. He was the rock and biggest supporter of his family in every way. He was funny, kind, easy to be around. A lifelong Cincinnati Reds fan. The one to ask any question to, (my car is making this noise) he would know the answer... or he would find it!

His daughter said it so well, "there is no perfect way to honor someone who meant so much to his family and friends. All we can do is hold onto the memories, the jokes, the rides, the pictures, the help, the understanding, the one we called when we needed help. He showed up without being asked. He filled spaces we didn't even know were empty. We already miss him more than we can explain".

Kim is survived by his wife of 26 Years, Jodi; daughters, Brittany Hollingsworth, Bethany Hollingsworth and Brianna Hollingsworth; his grandchildren, Devika DeLong, Loki DeLong, Larkin DeLong, Abbey Lecrone, Brody Lecrone, Chloe Lecrone, Skylar Cook, Maddox Cook, Bellamy Cook;

his siblings, Angie (Steve) Howell, Mark Stemen; and his "baby sister", Lisa (Dave) Yarbrough; many nieces and nephews and cousins and so many friends; his best friend and "partner in crime", Darwin Howdyshell and his wife Laura.

He was preceded in death by his mother; his grandparents, Oren and Mary Stemen, and many cousins.

Caring cremation has been arranged by Day Funeral Service. No formal service will be observed. His family will conduct a private burial at a later date.

Friends may make donations to The American Cancer Society in Kim's name.

Day Funeral Service is honored to serve the family of Kim Stemen.

Tribute Wall

RI

“ Many years ago as I am now 70 yrs in age, Kim was one of the guys we sometimes ran around with on them mischievous weekend adventures. That's been nearly 50 yrs ago.....he was a hoot, we had fun times!! I'm saddened to learn of his health battle and death. May his family find peace and comfort in their many HAPPY memories of the life they shared. May God comfort your hearts and give you strength to face life as we who remain must continue on!!

Richard - December 11, 2025 at 08:37 AM

GL

“ My condolences to his family, he was a friend, no matter what kind mood you were in he could make you laugh, rest in peace my friend 🙏

Gary lindinger - December 10, 2025 at 10:10 AM

LP

“ My Condolences to all the Family! RIP Kim



Linda Pierce - December 09, 2025 at 10:13 PM

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“ Rip Kim



Angelynna Reynolds - December 09, 2025 at 06:26 PM

TL

“ Kim was a kind, funny man. He never hesitated to help people or ask questions. He was so good to my sister Jodi, her girls & from what I have gathered , he was a wonderful Paw Paw to their grandchildren. He will be sorely missed & I will always carry fond memories of him.

-Tonette

Tonette Loomis - December 09, 2025 at 12:11 PM

DA

Grew up with Kim,Angie,mark,and Lisa!!!! He was always a kind soul and loved his family. He will be missed. So very sorry for your loss. Sending hugs to Jodi and girls.

Diane Bell arledge - December 11, 2025 at 07:34 AM