



Edward Joseph Kirsch Jr.

September 22, 2021

Edward Joseph Kirsch, Jr., 64, of Lancaster, PA, passed away on Wednesday, September 22, 2021. Born in Lancaster, he was the son of the late Edward J. Kirsch, Sr. and Martha Flora.

He is survived by his wife, Sallie E. Kirsch with whom they shared 40 years of marriage; also surviving Edward's children, Kyle E. Kirsch (English), and his daughter, Ellen E. Herbst (Jonathan); his sister, Carol Hohman (Richard). Edward was preceded in death by his sister, Elaine Shenk.

He honorably served his country in the U.S. Navy for four years. Edward worked for ITT Engineered Valves for 46 years as a machinist. He was an active participant in the Hempfield Youth Association, as a baseball and basketball coach for many years.

A Funeral Service will be held at The Groffs Family Funeral Home, 528 W. Orange Street, Lancaster, PA 17603 on Monday, September 27, 2021 at 10:30 a.m. The family will receive friends from 9:30 a.m. until the time of service. Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Hospice & Community Care, 685 Good Drive, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 27. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Edward Joseph Kirsch Jr.*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Sally, Kyle and Ellen I am speechless. I send my deepest condolence. I didn't know he was sick. He was great guy and always fun to be around. Sending prayers for peace at this most difficult time.*

Tina Pennell - September 27, 2021 at 02:33 PM



“ *Steve Elliot lit a candle in memory of Edward Joseph Kirsch Jr.*



Steve Elliot - September 26, 2021 at 01:57 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Edward Joseph Kirsch Jr..*



September 26, 2021 at 12:22 PM

MR

“ Sallie, Smug and I are totally heartbroken over the loss of Eddie. He was so much fun to be around and loved AC like us. It's hard to believe that "Eddie High Socks" as we called him is not with us anymore. He will be greatly missed. Smug had tears in his eyes too. He loved Ed as well as I did. We are here if you need anything.

Love Mary Jo and Smug

Mary Jo Rossiter - September 24, 2021 at 02:12 PM

BP

“ Sallie, I am heartbroken to learn of the loss of Eddie. He fought a hard & brave battle, and you fought it too. I will always remember his sense of humor, his laugh, his kindness and his great generosity. Please know that you are in my thoughts and my sincere prayers for comfort while you grieve. I send my love to you, Kyle, Ellen and all your family.

Bill Pelini - September 24, 2021 at 01:32 PM

SM

“ Sallie, Kyle and Ellen-
We are so sorry for your loss on the passing of your husband/dad Ed.
Peace and sincere condolences.
Suzee Minnich and family

susan minnich - September 24, 2021 at 08:10 AM

DK

“ *Dolores Kirsch lit a candle in memory of Edward Joseph Kirsch Jr.*



Dolores Kirsch - September 24, 2021 at 06:06 AM

DK

Happy memories of Kirsch get together over many years. Blessings to the family. Love to all.

Dolores Kirsch - September 24, 2021 at 06:10 AM

LD

So sorry for your loss knew Eddie from JP days and his HYA coaching prayers for the family

the Daly's

lori daly - September 24, 2021 at 06:41 AM

DP

Sallie and Family, Wishing you peace during this time and comfort. Blessings to you. Thanks for sharing your photos of your trips to PR and other places. Peace

David Patterson - September 26, 2021 at 11:27 AM

RO

To the Kirsch family our thoughts and prayers are with you. Ed was a gentleman with a great smile who brought joy to many with his character. Old neighbors, the Rovnak's

Rovnak's - September 28, 2021 at 09:23 PM



Sallie , Kyle and wife , Ellen And husband , our deepest sympathy . Ed was a real funny guy , and so likable . All your memories are now treasures . Love , Gail and Jennifer Smith

Gail Smith - September 29, 2021 at 06:32 AM