



## Kenneth "Kenny" G. Pratt

November 16, 1953 - January 19, 2022

Kenneth "Kenny" G. Pratt, 68, of Oakford, Illinois, passed away on January 19, 2022, at St. John's Hospital in Springfield, Illinois. He was born November 16, 1953, to Everett and Ruth (Gebhard) Pratt in Springfield. He married Kathy Watkins from Chandlerville, Illinois, on November 30, 1974, at the Sangamon Valley Presbyterian Church in Virginia, Illinois.

Kenny worked for his father in law for several years. He later worked at Richard Ruppel Trucking, S & H Trucking and Smith Trucking as a truck driver. He then worked for Karl Beaty. Lastly, he worked for and retired from CRM Concrete and Ready Mix as a truck driver. Some of his favorite pastimes were to go golfing and bowling with friends.

Kenny is survived by his wife, Kathy; a daughter, Kendra (husband Tim) Wankel of Tallula, Illinois; three grandchildren, Kobe Pratt, Emma Wankel and Colton Wankel; and many nieces and nephews.

Kenny was preceded in death by his parents; his son, Kevin Pratt; his sister, Betty (husband Hobart) Combs; his brother, Richard (wife Mary) Pratt; and his mother and father in law, Ray and Virginia Watkins.

A funeral service will be held on Sunday, January 23, 2022, at Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg beginning at 1 pm. Pastor Carol Stufflebeam will be

officiating. The committal service will immediately follow the funeral at Oakford Cemetery in Oakford, Illinois. Kenny's family would like to invite all friends and family to a celebration of life at Wankel's in Petersburg, 18239 Kelly St., Petersburg, Illinois 62675, following the committal service.

Memorial contributions may be made to Kathy Pratt to help with Kenny's medical costs.

Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg is assisting Kenny's family with services.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakford Cemetery

Oakford, IL

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

JAN 23. 1:00 PM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Petersburg  
122 West Douglas Avenue  
Petersburg, IL 62675  
(217) 632-2500  
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

## Graveside Service

JAN 23. 1:45 PM (CT)

Oakford Cemetery  
Oakford, IL

## Celebration of Life

JAN 23. 2:30 PM (CT)

Wankel's of Petersburg  
18239 Kelly St.  
Petersburg, IL 62675



# Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth "Kenny" G. Pratt*

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October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Kathy & Family,*

*Please know you are in our family's thoughts & prayers. You were a lovely fun-loving couple.*

*Hope, soon your tears will lessen and be replaced by smiles of your memories of good times together.*

*Johnny & Sandy Estill, Erica Estill*

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**Sandy** - January 26, 2022 at 01:39 PM



“ *Deepest sympathy to you all at this sad time. Keeping you in thoughts and prayers.*

*Sincerely, Anita Leinberger Stephans*

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**Anita Stephans** - January 23, 2022 at 08:02 PM



“ *Kathy and family so very sorry for your loss. May God be with you and bring you peace.*

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**Barbara Bkair Tomlin** - January 23, 2022 at 02:47 PM

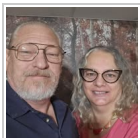
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“ *Kathy and family, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this very sad and difficult time. My heart goes out to you.*



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**Melanie Pierson** - January 23, 2022 at 12:38 AM



“ *Kathy and family we are so sorry for your loss, always keep those good memories close to your heart. Sincerely, Bill and Robin Baughman*



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**Robin Logue-Baughman** - January 22, 2022 at 01:53 PM

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“ *My condolence to Kathy and family during this time of sorrow. May your memories bring you peace.*

*Judy Hollis*

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**Judy** - January 22, 2022 at 10:11 AM

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“ *Kim Allen lit a candle in memory of Kenneth "Kenny" G. Pratt*



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**Kim Allen** - January 21, 2022 at 06:40 PM

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“ So terribly sorry for your loss. Prayers to the entire family.

The Moffitt Family - January 21, 2022 at 05:14 PM

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“ Love, Diana and Alex purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Kenneth "Kenny" G. Pratt.



Love, Diana and Alex - January 21, 2022 at 03:07 PM

GB

“ Kenny made me smile! We were radiation buddies. He and Kathy would take me from PORTA to the hospital where Kenny and I would both undergo radiation treatments...then they would drive me home. They were a light shining on me during a very dark time in my life. Thank you, Pratts! That was a wonderful memory and gave me a chance to get to know Kenny and his giving spirit. He will be missed! - Geri Bell, PORTA High School

Geri Bell - January 21, 2022 at 12:19 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Kenny" G. Pratt.



January 21, 2022 at 11:59 AM



“ Love & prayers, The Schafer Family purchased the Comfort & Light 30" Sonnet for the family of Kenneth "Kenny" G. Pratt.



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**Love & prayers, The Schafer Family** - January 21, 2022 at 11:58 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Kenny" G. Pratt.



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January 21, 2022 at 11:25 AM