



## Mark Douglas Balagna

September 28, 1961 - April 30, 2020

Mark Douglas Balagna, 58, of Havana, passed away at 3:04 a.m., on Thursday, April 30, 2020, at Mason District Hospital in Havana. He was born September 28, 1961, in Kansas City, MO, to Delbert and Lois (Molchin) Balagna. He married Deb Loftin on November 22, 1996, in Olathe, KS.

Mr. Balagna is survived by his wife, Deb, of Havana; four children: Jennifer Balagna of Longmont, CO, Nicholas (Jessica) Balagna of Muskegon, MI, Dennis Balagna and Tracey Balagna, both of Havana; ten siblings: Diana Naas of Kansas City, MO, Jerry (Deb) Balagna of New Castle, PA, Bev (Wayne) Beekman of Astoria, IL, Larry (Sheila) Balagna of Duncanville, TX, Fred (Sylvie) Balagna of Cocoa Beach, FL, Debbie (Steve) Hackman of Havana, Jeff (Susan) Balagna of Lee's Summit, MO, Jim (Julie) Balagna of Kansas City, MO, Randy (Jennifer Trausch) Balagna of Shawnee, KS and Brenda (Jim) Gallant of Horicon, WI. Also surviving are his father-in-law, William Loftin of Tuscadero, CA as well as many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers: Delbert, Rick and Dennis Balagna, as well as his mother-in-law, Lorraine Cahill.

Mr. Balagna was a 1979 graduate of Winnetonka High School in Kansas City, MO and later received an Associate's Degree in Accounting. He worked for many years and was successful in the restaurant business. Most recently, he

worked as an independent Painting Contractor. He was a passionate follower of Jesus Christ. He was a member of the Havana Church of Christ, where he had recently served as Church Treasurer. He enjoyed golfing, working on home projects, watching movies and studying history. He had always been known for his servant's heart with a willingness to help others wherever there was a need.

Cremation rites have been accorded and a memorial service will be held on a later date, when Mark's friends and family are able to gather together.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Balagna Family. Online memorial messages may be left for the family at [www.hurleyfh.com](http://www.hurleyfh.com).

Hurley Funeral Home in Havana is in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mark Douglas Balagna*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Chrissy Hutchison lit a candle in memory of Mark Douglas Balagna*



**Chrissy Hutchison** - June 19, 2020 at 01:47 PM



“ *Deb, my condolences go out to you and your family. May the God of comfort provide you peace as He consoles you all during this most difficult time. I also pray that the memories of your loved one sustain you.*



*With Deep Sympathy,  
Tony Franklin*

**Antonio Franklin** - May 10, 2020 at 01:37 PM



“ *KIM RUSSELL lit a candle in memory of Mark Douglas Balagna*



**KIM RUSSELL** - May 06, 2020 at 02:48 PM

MR

“ I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your beloved husband. Keeping you in my prayers...Merry Riley, U of I Extension, Region 2 Office

Merry Riley - May 05, 2020 at 02:35 PM

NM

“ Mark was a very shy little boy when we first met. He will be missed by so many. My prayers go to his family. 🙏💙

Nancy Mabe - May 04, 2020 at 08:43 PM

KN

“ Kevin & Kelly Noble lit a candle in memory of Mark Douglas Balagna



Kevin & Kelly Noble - May 04, 2020 at 08:33 PM

ER

“ Eldon And Kari Roat lit a candle in memory of Mark Douglas Balagna



Eldon and Kari Roat - May 04, 2020 at 12:28 PM

DW

“ *Sorry for your loss Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family*



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**Dan and chris Wilson** - May 04, 2020 at 11:49 AM

PS

“ *Mark painted my Rental on East Adams in Havana. He Did a Great Job and I sorry to hear of this.*

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**Pat Schad** - May 04, 2020 at 11:02 AM

GG

“ *Gary And Patty Gilbreath lit a candle in memory of Mark Douglas Balagna*



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**Gary and Patty Gilbreath** - May 03, 2020 at 08:59 PM

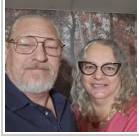
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“ *Gary And Patty Gilbreath lit a candle in memory of Mark Douglas Balagna*



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**Gary and Patty Gilbreath** - May 03, 2020 at 08:59 PM



“ To the Balagna family, we are so sorry for your loss, Mark was always a nice man to me and everyone else I'm sure. Debbie and Steve if you (or anyone in your family) needs us just call



Robin Logue-Baughman - May 03, 2020 at 07:11 PM

GD

Mark was a great guy. Enjoyed talking to him, he was always fun to be around. Our prayers and thoughts 🙏 are with the family.

Gwen Davis - May 04, 2020 at 04:07 PM

FG

“ Sorry for everyone's loss during this difficult time, My Condolences to the Balagna family

Fedex Ground Guy - May 03, 2020 at 09:42 AM

LB

“ We are so sorry for everyone's loss. Love and prayers for you all.  
Linda Balagna

Linda Balagna - May 02, 2020 at 11:38 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mark Douglas Balagna.



May 02, 2020 at 10:52 PM

LT

“ So sorry for your family's loss! Mr. Balagna was a great man! My condolences to all of the family!



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**Lisa Jill Ulrich Thompson** - May 02, 2020 at 10:14 PM