



Karl Vennard Shanholtzer, Jr

February 10, 1945 - December 24, 2022

We are sad to announce the passing of our beloved husband, father and grandfather, Karl Vennard Shanholtzer, Jr. of Huntington, WV. He died at age 77 on Saturday, December 24th surrounded by his loved ones after a battle with cancer.

Karl enjoyed traveling, spending time with family, as well as a multitude of hobbies. He had a life long love of science which led to an over 35 year career as a chemistry lab manager for Marshall University.

Karl had an uncanny knack for remembering most everything he learned and was an excellent conversationalist.

He had an unbelievable breadth of technical knowledge and could talk to anyone like a friend he'd known for years. A self taught expert in computers and electronics, he was always ready to offer help to others.

Karl is survived by his loving wife Laurie, his daughter Christy, son Karl, as well as his grandchildren.

There will be a gathering of family and friends conducted from 1:00-3:00 PM on Sunday, January 15, 2023 at Henson & Kitchen Mortuary, 6357 E. Pea Ridge Road, Huntington, WV 25705.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation in his name to St Jude Children's Research Center, a charity he has supported for many years.

https://fundraising.stjude.org/site/TR/GiftFunds/GiftFunds?px=7833285&pg=personal&fr_id=39300

Online condolences and memories may be shared with the family by visiting www.hensonandkitchen.com

Previous Events

Gathering of Family and Friends

JAN 15. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Henson & Kitchen Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Karl Vennard Shanholtzer, Jr*



Henson and Kitchen Mortuary and Cremation Services - January 02, 2023 at 03:46 PM



“ *Karl Vennard Shanholtzer, Jr*

October 23, 2023 at 01:49 AM



“ *My deepest sympathies to Laurie and family on the passing of Karl. He was a mentor to my sister Kathy, and a devoted friend to my father Steve. I know they both would want me to express their thanks for the many thoughtful things he did for them over the years.*

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