



Bruce Edward King

July 20, 1952 - June 8, 2025

Bruce Edward King, 72, of Troy, Missouri, passed away on Sunday, June 8, 2025 in St. Peters, Missouri. He was born on July 20, 1952, in East Saint Louis, Illinois, the son of Kenneth Edward and Cathryn Irene (House) King.

Bruce attended Cahokia High School and Union High School and continued his education at Harding College. He worked as Deputy Sheriff in Shelby County, Tennessee, for several years. Bruce later worked as a bus driver for the Lincoln County R-III School district and was a familiar face at the door at Kemper-Keim Family Funeral Chapel. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus in Troy, MO and a member of the Sacred Heart Church in Troy, MO. Bruce liked to camp, fish and spend time at the Wildwood Campgrounds. His grandchildren were his world, and it was best day of his life the day he became a PawPaw. Bruce had a tell it like it is personality and you always knew where you stood with him. He had a contagious smile and laugh, that would fill up a room.

Bruce is survived by one son and one daughter: Katelyn Sprock and husband Austin of Troy, MO and Neale King and wife Andrea of Memphis, TN; two sisters: Cindy Finch of Concord, NC and Dixie Blatt of St. Peters, MO; two grandchildren: Milanna Sprock and Kolton Sprock, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Family and friends will be received from 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 14, 2025 at KEMPER-KEIM Family Funeral Chapel located at 351 Monroe Street Troy, MO 63379. Funeral service will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 14, 2025 at Kemper-Keim Family Funeral Chapel in Troy, MO. In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to The Family of Bruce King, in care of Kemper-Keim Family Funeral Chapel P.O. Box 222, Troy, MO 63379.

Arrangements are under the direction of Kemper-Keim Family Funeral Chapel; 351 Monroe Street Troy, MO 63379. Online condolences may be made at www.kemperkeimfamilyfuneralchapel.com Phone 636-528-8221

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 14. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Kemper-Keim Family Funeral Chapel - Troy
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Service

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Tribute Wall

PW

“ Purpose Wrecker purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Bruce Edward King.



Purpose Wrecker - June 13, 2025 at 11:59 PM

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“ Purpose Wrecker planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bruce Edward King.

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DF

“ I was sorry to see this. My husband and I worked with Bruce at Lincoln County Medical Center. I remember once when I was teary and upset about one of our co-workers who had passed away and how Bruce took the time to speak comforting words. I am so sorry for your loss Katelyn. You and Neale are in my thoughts and prayers. May God put His loving arms around you and comfort you. May the memories that you have be a blessing and comfort to you.

Donna Francis - June 10, 2025 at 08:46 PM

LS

Katelyn, I'm so sorry for your loss. I worked with your dad at the hospital he was a great guy! He talked about you a lot.

Louise Simpson - July 22, 2025 at 08:02 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Bruce Edward King.*



June 10, 2025 at 03:50 PM



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