



## David J. McKee

February 5, 1949 - August 7, 2023

David J. McKee, 74, of Kingsford, passed away on Monday, August 7, 2023 at the Iron County Medical Care Facility in Crystal Falls.

Dave was born February 5, 1949 in Wyandotte, MI, son of the late James and Josephine (Ondriska) McKee. He graduated from Riverview High School in 1967 and went on to earn a degree in marketing management from NMU. Dave married Patricia Larson on August 24, 1974 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Iron Mountain. He was a dedicated salesman for over 35 years with Town & Country Ford and a faithful member of St. Mary Queen of Peace Church in Kingsford. Dave was involved in the Kingsford High School Athletic Booster Club for several years and was awarded "Booster of the Year" in 2001. He loved watching the Flivvers, especially when his boys played football. Dave was an avid University of Michigan fan who often exchanged jabs with his sister, Pam, who is an avid Michigan State fan. He enjoyed bowling in league for many years as well as golfing, swimming and camping.

Dave is survived by his wife of 49 years, Patti; two sons, Matthew McKee of Kingsford and Marc McKee of Iron Mountain; two sisters, Sharon (Neal) McMillian of Connecticut and Pamela McKee of Wyandotte, MI; a brother-in-law, Dan Larson of Iron Mountain; a special cousin, Tim Simmons; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Dave was also preceded in death by his mother and father-in-law, Mary & Archie Larson.

Visitation will be held from 9:00 to 10:30 am on August 22 at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain. A Memorial Mass will follow at 11:00 am at St. Mary Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Kingsford. Fr. Michael Woempner will offer the Mass of Christian Burial. Interment will be in Iron Mountain Cemetery Park.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Northwoods Animal Shelter or the Parkinson's Foundation in Dave's memory.

Condolences to the family of David McKee may be expressed online at [www.e rnashfuneralhomes.com](http://www.e rnashfuneralhomes.com)

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Cemetery Park

101 Cedar Ave.  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 22. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home  
901 Carpenter Avenue  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801  
(906) 774-7676  
nashfuneralhome@gmail.com  
<https://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com/>

## Memorial Mass

AUG 22. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary Queen of Peace Catholic Church  
432 Edsel  
Kingsford, MI 49802

# Tribute Wall

RG

“ Condolences from my family to yours Dave - will always fondly remember our times together at NMU. Rest easy brother; see you again on the other side.

Randell Girard - August 22, 2023 at 05:37 PM

SM

“ I have so many memories of my older brother ..I remember when Dave and I threw our one and only party while our parents were away (conspirators in crime) ! So many fond memories over the years, and even though distance (I live in CT) prevented spending more time together, I will always have my memories and Dave in my heart..love you big brother

Sharon McKee Macmillen - August 21, 2023 at 03:26 PM

JC

“ Heaven will be a happier place with Dave in it. One would be hard pressed to find a nicer guy. Thank you cousin, for all the good memories we'll take with us, to remember you always.  
Love ya cuz 💕

Joanie Caruso - August 17, 2023 at 11:56 AM

FT

“ From the Brothers of PHI KAPPA TAU purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of David J. McKee.



From the Brothers of PHI KAPPA TAU - August 16, 2023 at 03:02 PM

RB

“ I'm a cousin of Patty and Dave and I haven't seen them in years but I will always remember his amazing presence of a happy, fun, kind and caring guy, "A real gem"  
Rita Bednarek and family

Rita Bednarek - August 15, 2023 at 04:47 PM

PM



Patti mckee - August 15, 2023 at 08:08 PM

FV

“ I bought my 2011 Ford Escape from Dave, and visited him with Holy Communion regularly at the Iron County Medical Care Facility before my transfer to Paradise in July of 2021. A great guy! May his soul Rest In Peace, and may God Comfort his family!



Fr Greg Veneklase - August 15, 2023 at 01:05 AM

MH

“ Dave RIP 🙏 Sympathy to Patti their boys ☐

marian hiatt - August 14, 2023 at 07:14 PM

PM



Patti mckee - August 14, 2023 at 08:08 PM

MC

Dave was one of my best friends that I met in College and lasted till the day he passed. We had some great times. I will miss him. From Mic

Mic Collins - August 16, 2023 at 02:50 PM

PM



Patti mckee - August 17, 2023 at 04:46 PM

MT

“ Mary Jo Trepanier lit a candle in memory of David J. McKee



Mary Jo Trepanier - August 13, 2023 at 04:55 PM

PM



Patti mckee - August 14, 2023 at 08:08 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of David J. McKee.



August 13, 2023 at 03:48 PM

LT

“ Our deepest sympathy to Patti and sons and families for their loss. Dave sold Larry a 2001 ford truck and we still use it. He was the best. Our prayers and deepest sympathies are with you all 🙏🙏🙏

Larry and Carol Trevillian - August 13, 2023 at 08:48 AM

PM



Patti mckee - August 13, 2023 at 12:03 PM

SS

*Patti I am so sorry for your loss. I have memories of Dave and Trev together. I am praying for you.*

Siri Sholten - August 14, 2023 at 11:45 AM

PM



Patti mckee - August 14, 2023 at 08:09 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of David J. McKee.

August 13, 2023 at 08:08 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of David J. McKee.



August 12, 2023 at 07:37 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of David J. McKee.

August 12, 2023 at 07:37 PM

AB

“ My husband, and Dave's best friend was about to deliver Matt McKee....upon nervously finishing a cup of coffee, he began eating the styrofoam cup...that was the day we discovered that he enjoyed styrofoam....he also loved raisins....

Annie Barnes - August 12, 2023 at 07:18 PM

PM



Patti Mckee - August 12, 2023 at 08:49 PM

PM



Patti Mckee - August 12, 2023 at 08:50 PM

PM

“ I have a million memories of my brother that I could share but the one that is most dear to me, was visiting him after our mother passed away, and in the middle of all that he was going through, he was able to still console and comfort me. I love my brother with all my heart, and I will miss him terribly until the day I die! Thank goodness that there are so many of these memories that make me smile when I think of him.

Pamela Mckee - August 12, 2023 at 06:39 PM

PM



Patti Mckee - August 12, 2023 at 08:49 PM

BM

A great friend, typically with a smile & laugh, and lots of courage. So happy he met Patty. Wishing Patty & family the best going forward. Bill Medick

Bill Medick - August 13, 2023 at 06:23 AM

GO

Dave was a great guy and I understood he was very happy with his life. Patti, you and your sons are in my thoughts and prayers. Greg Olson

Gregory Olson - August 13, 2023 at 05:27 PM

PM



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**Patti mckee** - August 14, 2023 at 08:12 PM