



Rick Kehias

July 10, 1956 - July 21, 2021

Rick Kehias, 65 of Pana, Illinois died Wednesday, July 21, 2021 at 5:53 AM at his residence in Pana. Cremation Rites have been accorded. Funeral Services will be held Thursday, July 29, 2021 at 12:00 Noon at Kennedy & Sons Funeral Home, Pana with Pastor Terry Walters officiating. Visitation will also be Thursday, July 29, 2021 at Kennedy & Sons beginning at 11:00 AM until time of service. Private Inurnment will be in Linwood Cemetery, Pana at a later date.

Richard Alan Kehias was born Tuesday, July 10, 1956 in Pana, Illinois the son of Avgary George and Victoria Ella (maiden name Romaine) Kehias. He was raised in Pana attending Pana schools and graduated Pana High School with the Class of 1974. Rick also received an Associate's Degree from Parkland College. Rick Kehias married Carrie Nan Moss on September 2, 1978 in the First United Methodist Church, Pana. Rick was a Letter Carrier with the United States Postal Service for thirty years, and he was last employed as a driver with CIPT until the time of his death. Rick was a member of First United Methodist Church, Pana and the Pana Lions Club. Rick and his family were active members of Boy Scout Troop 77 in Pana, where he was an Eagle Scout. Later, Rick was a Girl Scout Leader when his two daughters were members.

Rick Kehias is survived by his Spouse: Carrie Kehias of Pana; Daughters

Kelly Jo Kehias of Pana and Danielle Nicole Kehias of Poulsbo, Washington; Brother: George Kehias (Lois) of Centerville, Ohio; Nephew: Chris Groebe (Jessica); Niece: Jessica Burton; Great-Niece: Kaitlyn Groebe; and Great Nephew: C. J. Burton. Rick is preceded in death by his Parents, Brother: Lawrance Kehias, and Sister Kathryn Groebe.

Cemetery Details

Linwood

Sixth Street Road
Pana, IL 62557

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 29. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Kennedy & Sons, Funeral Directors
401 S. Locust Street
Pana, IL 62557
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Tribute Wall



“ Kennedy & Sons Funeral Directors PC created a Tribute Video in memory of Rick Kehias



Kennedy & Sons Funeral Directors, P.C. - July 29, 2021 at 08:50 AM

DR

“ Rick was a great guy I got to do girl scouts with him for a short while and be friends with him and Carrie we had some cookouts together and such fun I'll miss you my friend I didnt know til now or I would have been there at the visitation. I'm so sorry to the family for your loss.



Donna Ryker - August 24, 2021 at 06:28 PM

SB

“ Susie Barr lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias



Susie Barr - August 10, 2021 at 05:09 PM



“ Jerry and I were so surprised to read about Rick's passing. He was such a nice man whom Jerry especially enjoyed talking with and laughing at silly comments. He was known by so many of us as a local mail carrier, a Pana Lions Club member, a devoted husband and father. Carrie and family, please accept our condolences and our prayers, now and in the days ahead, for you ALL to find God's comfort and peace. Pana's loss is eternity's gain.



Virginia Miller - August 01, 2021 at 10:06 PM

CC

“ Carrie & Girls,
We were so sad to learn of Rick's passing. I got to know him in band and chorus in school. He was a talented musician. Jerry and I worked with Rick at the Post Office for many years. He had a funny sense of humor and we enjoyed working with him. We are keeping you in our thoughts and prayers.
Chris & Jerry Cothorn



Chris & Jerry Cothorn - July 30, 2021 at 11:55 AM

CR

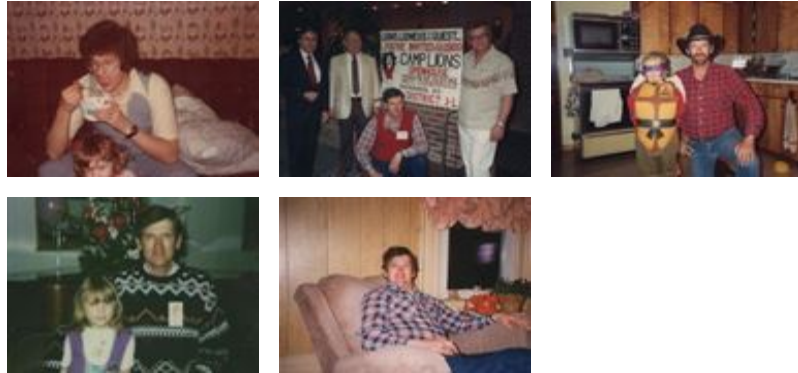
“ Sorry for your loss. Cindy Mizeur-Rakers



Cindy Rakers - July 28, 2021 at 04:36 PM



“ 34 files added to the album Life Tributes



Kennedy & Sons Funeral Directors, P.C. - July 28, 2021 at 12:04 AM

DR

“ Debra Romine lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias



Debra Romine - July 27, 2021 at 10:05 AM

BL

“ Brian And Michelle Lebon lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias



Brian And Michelle Lebon - July 26, 2021 at 07:02 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Rick Kehias.*



July 26, 2021 at 05:58 PM



“ *so very sorry for your loss, I remember him being the mailman,, such a sweet guy!!*



Linda Addison - July 26, 2021 at 10:37 AM



“ *Just a nice man and an enthusiastic bell choir member. Our sympathies.
Miles and Joellyn Warren Feller*

Joellyn Feller - July 25, 2021 at 08:14 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rick Kehias.*



July 25, 2021 at 05:31 PM

MH

“ *Deepest Sympathy to the Kehias Family.*



Marsha Hrabak - July 24, 2021 at 06:03 PM

CB

“ *Rick and I were in same class. He was our mailman for a lot of years. He will be missed*
carol McCleary Bland



Carol bland - July 24, 2021 at 01:35 PM

BS

“ *Sympathy for Rick's family and friends. Very nice person.*



Beverly and Butch Smart - July 24, 2021 at 12:09 PM

JC

“ *I have many fond memories of Rick from all through school to working at George's and beyond. Memories of him being the Daisy leader as well as Girl Scout leader for Kelly and my granddaughter, Kristen. So very sorry for your loss.*



Judy Scoles Casner - July 24, 2021 at 10:38 AM

MW

“ Mickey & Doris Walker lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias



Mickey & Doris Walker - July 24, 2021 at 09:47 AM

BP

“ Bill And Linda Parkinson lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias



Bill and Linda Parkinson - July 24, 2021 at 08:25 AM

JJ

“ We remember Rick mostly from being our mailman and working with him in Lions Club. He was very friendly and dedicated to the work of the Lions Club. Pana will miss him. We want to extend our deepest sympathy to his wife and family. Jerry and Linda Jordan



Jerry and Linda Jordan - July 24, 2021 at 07:55 AM

KG

“ I am so very sorry for your loss, I will be praying for all of you.



Katrina Griffith - July 24, 2021 at 07:53 AM

VE

“ So sorry for the loss of your loved one, Prayers and Sympathy for the Family 🍷🙏🏻🙏🏻🙏🏻

Vickie Ellenberg - July 24, 2021 at 07:45 AM

RA

“ Raffaella lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias



Raffaella - July 24, 2021 at 01:26 AM

BS

“ I worked with Rick at the Post Office. He was such a nice person.



Beverly and Butch Smart - July 23, 2021 at 08:44 PM

GL

“ Gary And Sharon Lewis lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias



Gary and Sharon Lewis - July 23, 2021 at 08:42 PM

SM

“ *Sheila Mills lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias*



Sheila Mills - July 23, 2021 at 08:27 PM

CH

“ *Carolyn Leach Herbord lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias*



Carolyn Leach Herbord - July 23, 2021 at 08:25 PM

LC

“ *Larry & Candy Craig lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias*



Larry & Candy Craig - July 23, 2021 at 08:09 PM

RB

“ *I admired Rick for playing bell solos at church. He was amazing. I never could have done that. He was a kind person with a great smile. I am so sorry for your loss.*

Ruth Baldock - July 23, 2021 at 08:06 PM

JA

“ So very sorry for your loss , Carrie & family. Always a kind and considerate neighbor on Chestnut, mail carrier & person. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Jill & Dan Alde - July 23, 2021 at 07:57 PM

JS

“ So sorry for your loss, Carrie and family.



Jan Sandner - July 23, 2021 at 07:44 PM

LS

“ I'm so very sorry for your loss Carrie and family. Praying for you all ❤️ 🙏



Lori (Garber) Simpson - July 23, 2021 at 07:29 PM

DS

“ Rick went to school with me from 1970 to 74 he was a very good person very kind considerate person. He will truly be missed at our class reunions fly high Rick with the angels

Diana Sontag - July 23, 2021 at 07:27 PM

DB

“ So sorry for your loss Carrie. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.



Don & Sue Blaney - July 23, 2021 at 06:59 PM

BD

“ Thinking of all of you.

Brad, Jayme and Drew - July 23, 2021 at 06:38 PM

DN

“ I worked @ George's Candy Store on the corner with Rick when we were in high school. He was so much fun to work with. Condolences to his family. I am very sorry for your loss.



Denise L Newbold - July 23, 2021 at 06:30 PM

PS

“ Pete & Diane Scherzer lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias



Pete & Diane Scherzer - July 23, 2021 at 06:02 PM

DA

“ I worked along side of Rick at the Post Office. Always a great worker and fun. Sad for your family.

Dena and Alan Adden - July 23, 2021 at 05:46 PM

DC

“ He was our mailman at Billy Lee’s Video. He would try to sneak in and startle us. Such a nice guy. Please accept my condolences. May he RIP.

Darlene Chesterman - July 23, 2021 at 05:21 PM

PT

“ Rick seemed to be always smiling. My heart breaks for the three of you. May your memories bring you peace. Love, Polly T.

Polly Taylor - July 23, 2021 at 05:14 PM

DE

“ Debbie sent a virtual gift in memory of Rick Kehias



Debbie - July 23, 2021 at 05:04 PM

SV

“ Steve & Dawn Vanus lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias



Steve & Dawn Vanus - July 23, 2021 at 04:49 PM

GT

“ Worked with Rick at the Pana Post Office. Remember him well. R.I.P. Rick.

George Taylor - July 23, 2021 at 04:34 PM

BP

“ *Brenda Bruns Presnell lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias*



Brenda Bruns Presnell - July 23, 2021 at 04:16 PM

BR

“ *So sorry Carrie and girls to hear about Rick! My deepest Sympathy and Prayers for your Family.*

Beverly Rudow - July 23, 2021 at 04:10 PM

MS

“ *Mary Schneider lit a candle in memory of Rick Kehias*



Mary Schneider - July 23, 2021 at 04:07 PM

KA

“ *My sympathy to the Kehias Family.*



Karen Rowley Agos - July 23, 2021 at 04:03 PM

AA

“ Sorry to hear of Rick's passing, I went to school with him. My condolences to his family and those who knew him best. He was a good man.

Arla Abrell - July 23, 2021 at 03:57 PM

FA

“ I am so sorry Carrie. He was always so friendly and had a smile. Prayers and hugs

Faye Adams - July 23, 2021 at 03:49 PM

JM

“ Carrie and Family
Our deepest condolences. So sorry to hear of Rick's passing. Our prayers, love and hugs.



John and Roberta Gordon Merrifield - July 23, 2021 at 03:26 PM

DN

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I was saddened to hear this. Rick was a kind and compassionate person. I will miss him. Our prayers are with all the family.

Dr. Steve Nance - July 23, 2021 at 03:19 PM

VE

“ So sorry for the loss of your loved one. Prayers and Sympathy for the Family 🙏💕😊

Vickie Ellenberg - July 23, 2021 at 03:05 PM