



Kenneth Malenke

September 24, 1967 - May 18, 2013

Kenneth J. Malenke, 45, of Richmond, VA, formerly East Coventry, PA, passed away unexpectedly during a volleyball tournament, on Saturday, May 18, 2013, in Virginia Beach, VA. Born in Phoenixville, PA, he was the son of John R. "Jack" and Rev. Elizabeth "Betty" (Alderfer) Malenke, of New Oxford, PA, formerly East Coventry, PA. Kenneth was a 1985 graduate of Owen J. Roberts High School, Pottstown, PA and received his B.A. in Business and Accounting from Juniata College in 1989. He had been employed in accounting at Doehler-Jarvis in Pottstown, in logistics for Penske in Reading and most recently as a project manager for Varolli, Seattle, WA. Kenneth was a member of Coventry Church of the Brethren, Kenilworth, PA. He was an active volleyball player and had an interest in golf and NASCAR. In addition to his parents, Kenneth is survived by his son, Jackson Wyatt Malenke of Richmond, VA; his former wife and friend, Ellen (Fulmer) Malenke of Richmond, VA; and aunts and cousins. Relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral service at the Cattermole-Klotzbach Funeral Home, 600 Washington Street, Royersford, on Friday, May 24, 2013, at 3:00 p.m. Officiating will be the Rev. Dr. Warren M. Eshbach. Interment will be private in the East Coventry Mennonite Cemetery. Friends will be received from 2:00-3:00 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Kenneth's name to The Robison Fund, c/o The Richmond Volleyball Club, 2921 Birdhill Road, Henrico, VA 23228, to help support children who otherwise wouldn't be able to afford to play. Condolences may

be offered online at www.RoyersfordFuneralHome.com.

Tribute Wall

GG

“ Betty and Jack, The memorial service for Ken was a wonderful tribute. We could see how much love he brought into this world and how much he shared this love with others. During the visitation, many of his friends told us how highly they thought of Ken and what a wonderful person and friend he was to them. We hold you both in our prayers. Gail and Bill

Gail Stelger - gailstelger@hotmail.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

EM

“ Dear Betty and Jack, We are so sorry to hear of the death of your son. We pray that the Lord will comfort and bring you through this time of great loss and sorrow.

Ed and Judy (Simon) Molnar - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

CD

“ Dear Jackson, Ellen and Mr. and Mrs. Malenke, Our thoughts and prayers are with you. So hard to understand for someone who should have many years left in life. Jackson , your Dad will always be in your life through your memories of fun, learning, laughing and great times. Ellen, take care and be well...love you, the Maurers

Cliff and Diane Maurer and family - drmaurer@verizon.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

TT

“ Jack & Betty, So sorry to read of the loss of your son, Ken! Praying for you and your family during this difficult time. Trusting the Lord will give you the strength, comfort and His presence to bring healing. God bless! Love, Tom & Evie (Simon) Tursack

Tom & Evie (Simon) Tursack - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

MQ

“ Ken, God has a better plan for you... but here in earth you will be missed. You were a great person to work with.

Maru Quintero - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

PM

“ Jack, Betty, and family, May God's presence and grace continue to carry you amidst the deep ache of your son's death. You have been and will continue to be in our prayers as you journey with this loss. Del Keeney Mechanicsburg Church of the Brethren

Pastor Del Keeney - mcob-pastor@verizon.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

JF

“ Jack, Betty, Ellen & Jackson, We are so sorry for your loss. Ken was a special guy with a big heart. He opened his home for Jeff, Pat and three kids until their home was finished. Jeff and Ken were in each others weddings. Our hearts are aching at his sudden passing. May God give you all daily strength. Sincerely, Jim & Jane

Jim & Jane Frederick - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

BL

“ Ken was always so fun to work with, kind, and made me laugh every time I was on a call with him. What a truly wonderful person. He will be missed.

Brooke Larsen - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

SB

“ I had the pleasure of working with Ken at Varolii Corporation. I send my thoughts and prayers out to Kens family. We have lost a very kind soul.

Sandy Beauregard - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

BP

“ *Simply want to say how sorry we are and wish you well. If there's anything we can do, please call. God bless, Bill & Gail*

Bill & Gail Stelger - pastorbills@hotmail.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

DJ

“ *It was very sad to hear the news of Ken's passing. I have fond memories of our Coventry Little League Days playing for Martin's Plumbing, as well as all of the good times at Coventry Church of the Brethren. My prayers and thoughts are with the entire family, God Bless, Dave*

David J Cisik Jr - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

KK

“ *Mr. and Mrs. Malenke Ellen, and Jackson. May your loving memories of Ken keep him alive in your hearts forever. My thoughts are with all of you.*

Kris Brennan - Kristinembrennan@gmail.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

RZ

“ *Mr. and Mrs. Malenke, Ellen and Jackson - My condolences to each of you. I am sorry for your loss.*

Ric Zancosky - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

TF

“ Dear Malenke Family, our prayers and hearts go out to you all during this time. We did not personally know Ken, but are blessed to know Jack and Betty who are such a blessing to many. They have shared many stories about Ken, his wife and grandson with us and can tell from the way they talk how proud and blessed they are. Lifting you all up in prayer. Sincerely, Jon, Teresa, Abbi and Rebekah

The Monfort Family - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

MM

“ I am so sorry for your loss.

Mary Miller (RVC member) - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

CC

“ Ken was a dear friend and a good man. A friend said, "God always takes the good ones first." I guess she was right. I hope Ken knows how much we miss him.

Casey Carlton - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

JK

“ Dear Jack and Betty, Carol and I are so sorry to hear of Ken's passing. It is difficult to express our feelings to you when we know your hearts are broken. May God's grace be with you and his son at this time for the loss of a son and father. God bless you. Jim & Carol

Jim and Carol Kulp - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

SS

“ Ellen, Jackson and the entire Malenke/Fulmer family, my deepest sympathies to you for your loss. My thoughts and prayers will be with you all.

Shelly Hunt-Davidson - Shellydavidson@comcast.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

KS

“ Ellen, Jackson, and the Malenke Family, I am so sorry for your loss and will keep you all in my thoughts & prayers. Ken was kind, compassionate, and a great calming influence in the sometimes stressful environment we work in. He was always ready to listen, to lend a hand, and to share a laugh. I will miss my friend, but feel blessed to have known him. Sincerely, Kris Schmitz

Kris Schmitz - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM

TF

“ Dear Mr. & Mrs. Malenke, Our deepest sympathy to you for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. May God be a source of comfort at this time. Best Regards, Chuck, Debbie and Steven Frock

The Frock Family - July 19, 2013 at 08:34 AM