



John K. Kellner

January 22, 1974 - March 26, 2021

John K. Kellner, 47, of Michigan City, Indiana, passed away Friday, March 26, 2021 at his residence. John was born in Valparaiso on January 22, 1974, the son of Jack L. Kellner and Ellen Kay (Sekema) Fugate.

John attended Rensselaer Public Schools and was self-employed as a caretaker for his mother, helping her with whatever needs she had.

John loved spending time with his nieces and nephews and devoted as much time as he could to playing with them. He liked music and enjoyed playing the drums. In John's free time, he had a lot of fun gaming. He was someone who would help others whenever he could, and he will be deeply missed by his family and friends.

John is survived by his parents, Jack L. and Mattie L. (Martin) Kellner and Ellen Kay (Sekema) Fugate; his sister, Tammy (Craig) Putt of Rensselaer; brother, David (Crystal) Kellner of Rensselaer; stepsisters, Sharon (Steve) Smith of Rensselaer, and Sandra Parks of Canyon City, CO; and numerous nieces and nephews.

John was preceded in death by his grandparents, John and Lois Kellner and Kenny and Martha Sekema, and two cousins, Chris Kellner and Aaron Kellner.

Friends may call on the family for visitation at Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer on Friday, April 2, 2021 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. The funeral service will take place directly following visitation at 12:00 p.m. at Jackson Funeral Chapel with Pastor Troy Nanninga officiating. Interment will take place at Memory Gardens in Rensselaer.

Due to the current pandemic, mask wearing and social distancing will be mandatory.

Memorial contributions may be made to the family.

Cemetery Details

Memory Gardens of Rensselaer

Memory Gardens
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5125
info@jacksonfuneral.com

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 2. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer
250 N. McKinley Avenue
P.O. Box 70
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5123
info@jacksonfuneral.com
<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

Funeral Service

APR 2. 12:00 PM (CT)

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250 N. McKinley Avenue
P.O. Box 70
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Tribute Wall



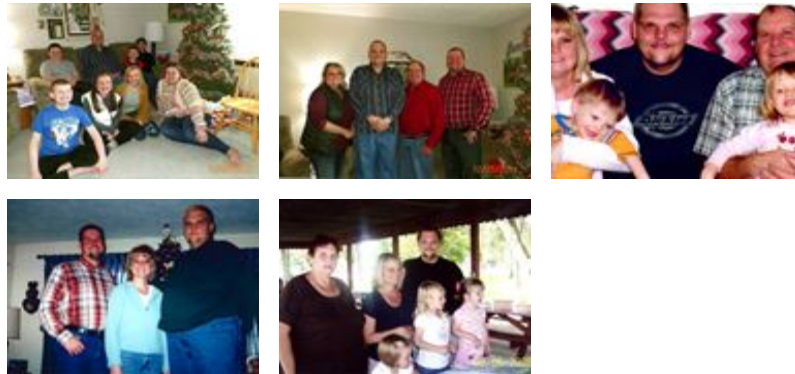
“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of John K. Kellner



Jackson Funeral Chapels - April 01, 2021 at 11:44 AM



“ 70 files added to the album Life Tributes



Jackson Funeral Chapels - April 01, 2021 at 11:36 AM

DH

John was always such sweet boy in high school. A gentle giant.

Doris Hammersley - April 01, 2021 at 10:33 PM

TP

Thank you

tammy putt - April 07, 2021 at 11:00 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of John K. Kellner.



March 31, 2021 at 06:28 AM



“ Tammy lit a candle in memory of John K. Kellner



tammy - March 30, 2021 at 08:34 PM



“ I went to school with John. He was always so nice to everyone and had a heart of gold!! You will be missed by many!!!

Rhonda Robinson Head - March 30, 2021 at 02:10 PM



“ KAYLA GUNTER lit a candle in memory of John K. Kellner



KAYLA GUNTER - March 30, 2021 at 01:34 PM

JW

“ My heart is so heavy with sorrow at the loss of such a pure, loving, kind soul. John was Uncle John to my kids while they were little, Gruncle John to my grandkids when they were born, my friend since we were in school, my hero more than once, and though not by blood, John was my brother in our hearts. I am going to miss going to get him to bring him down for visits, and waiting for Jack to drop him off at my house so he could spend time with us during Holidays after their family celebrations. I loved John K Kellner. I still do. I always will, and will never ever forget a single thing about him. Rest now my dear John. I love you ❤️😭

Joann Ward - March 30, 2021 at 01:39 AM

MR

“ I remember how big of a heart he had when he was younger and enjoyed times we had at grandma and grandpas. Hope you get to see them and uncle Garry in heaven!

Thinking of all of you and sending lots of hugs!
Marla



Marla Rausch - March 29, 2021 at 10:00 PM

JB

“ Judy Burvan lit a candle in memory of John K. Kellner



Judy Burvan - March 29, 2021 at 05:13 PM

MJ

“ *John was a young man who rode my bus for many years and he was a friend of my son. I want to extend my sympathy to his family.*
Morey and shawn johnson

Morey and Shawn Johnson - March 29, 2021 at 03:02 PM

JV

“ *This sweet man was a kind soul and had a heart of gold he will be missed greatly*

julie vandermeer - March 29, 2021 at 02:33 PM