



Kevin Vanderveen

September 4, 1956 - April 18, 2021

Kevin M. Vanderveen, age 64, passed away on Sunday, April 18, 2021, at St. Dominic Hospital in Jackson, Mississippi. Graveside services and interment will be 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, April 21 at Shiloh Baptist Church Cemetery with Rev. Tim Horton officiating. Visitation will be the day of the service from 1:00 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. at Nowell-Massey Funeral Home in Louisville, Mississippi.

Kevin was born September 4, 1956, to Calvin and Trudy Hyde Vanderveen. He was a member of Pinelake Church. Kevin was a hard worker and he loved to fish. Most of all, he loved his children and grandchildren and enjoyed spending time with family.

Kevin is survived by his children: Julie Claire Vanderveen of Louisville, Chloe Vanderveen of Denver, Colorado, Logan Vanderveen of Brandon, Mississippi, and Rhett Vanderveen also of Denver. He also leaves behind his mother Trudy Vanderveen, his sister Debbie Borger, and his brother Tim Vanderveen all of Denver. One of his greatest joys was being “Pop” to his two grandchildren: Claire and Brecken Vanderveen. He was preceded in death by his father Calvin Vanderveen, his brother Brian Vanderveen, and his former wife Melissa Dempsey.

Serving as pallbearers are Logan Vanderveen, Seth Smith, Cole Ellingburg, and Blake Ellingburg. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials in memory of Kevin be given to Nowell Massey Funeral Home to help with funeral expenses.

Services are under the direction of Nowell-Massey Funeral Home, 724 North Columbus Avenue, Louisville, MS. Memories and condolences may be shared with the family by signing the guest register at <http://www.nowellmasseyfuneralhome.com>.

Cemetery

Shiloh Baptist Church Cemetery

2660 Shiloh Road
Louisville, MS, 39339

Events

APR **Visitation** 01:00PM - 01:30PM

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Nowell-Massey Funeral Home

724 N. Columbus Avenue, Louisville, MS, US,
39339

APR **Graveside** 02:00PM

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Shiloh Baptist Church Cemetery

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APR **Interment**

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Comments



“ Kevin was a great co-worker on so many occasions for me at Nissan. He always had great stories and tried his best to be great at his job. You could always find his desk by the coffee drips that lead a trail to his desk.... It always makes me think of him.

This was in his goodbye email from Nissan and it fits him perfectly!

" To all of you, I say Thank You, from the bottom of my heart. For your patience when I was wild, for your strength when I felt like I couldn't go on, for your wisdom when I was dumbfounded. Thank you all for your sense of humor, that kept us all going through so pretty rough times, and some really good ones too. To my superiors, thank you for your leadership, your understanding, and for all those free meals that I eagerly took part in! I hope in some small way I touched all of you as well. In a good way, I hope!"

Jessica McKercher - April 22 at 01:02 PM



“ Love & prayers to all who knew this great man. I met Kevin online in a game & became friends with him. He was kind and giving yet played with a fierce passion. Kevin taught me many things & I will treasure those memories forever.

Jan (Mytsty) - April 21 at 08:34 PM



“ On Yesterday we found out one of our former Supervisors passed away.. Kevin Vanderveen..

All I could think about on yesterday... on how this man encouraged me when I was in school...

He always used to tell me... "I don't see how you do it, But I know why your doing it..."

Full-time employee, Full-time Student, taking care of my family...especially Jordyn because during that time she stayed sick ALL the time... It seemed like I was off work more than I was working... He would say..."I dont see how you do it"..

Everytime I brought him that Educational Assistance paper...He would say something encouraging but funny..

The day I told him I was graduating with my Bachelor's Degree... He spoke words of encouragement and Congratulated me...and out the blue...after our Morning meeting...

He asked me to stand... and recognized me ...for a job well done...

And encourage the rest of my coworkers ...to never get comfortable where you at.....

Advance yourself... and that's what I have been trying do....

Praying for Kevin's Family....

Fly High "Rick Flair" with a splash of "Dogg the Bounty Hunter".. 🤔🤔 that's who I told him he remind me of... and low and behold he said he use to do that type of work when he was younger🤔 🤔

Tanya White - April 21 at 02:01 PM



“ 4 files added to the album Memories Album



Uncle Jay & Aunt Judy - April 21 at 12:11 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Standing Basket was purchased for the family of Kevin Vanderveen.



April 21 at 10:14 AM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Debi - April 20 at 07:29 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Debi - April 20 at 07:25 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Debi - April 20 at 07:23 PM



“ Jason Payne lit a candle in memory of Kevin Vanderveen



Jason Payne - April 20 at 06:57 PM



“ My sincerest condolences go out to all of Kevin's family and friends. I worked with Kevin on 3 different occasions at Nissan. He was a hard working man and I always felt like he was honest with me whenever I asked him about anything. I enjoyed working for him and he was the only manager I ever worked for at Nissan that continually praised his group. He always told us we were the best at what we did and he always said thank you for what you do. I always thought highly of him and look forward to seeing him again. Godspeed to him and all who knew him.

Jason Payne - April 20 at 06:54 PM