



David Lee Rayman

August 22, 1963 - June 6, 2021

David Lee Rayman, 57, of Kankakee passed away unexpectedly Sunday, June 6, 2021.

He was born August 22, 1963, in Kankakee, the son of Thomas and Doreen (Collette) Rayman. He worked as a paramedic (EMS) for over 30 years. David served as Hospital Corpsman 2nd Class in the United States Navy. He also served two (4 year) tours in the U.S. Navy in support of Operation Desert Shield/Storm.

He was an avid golfer and member of the Elks Country Club. Bowling was another pastime he enjoyed. David enjoyed spending time with his significant other, Aimee Taylor, and her sons, Liam and Landon Taylor. Most of all he loved his family, always making a point to care and talk to everyone.

He is survived by his four siblings; Richard (Nancy) Rayman of Lincoln, IL; Rhonda (Curt Eaker) Rayman of Largo, Florida; Michael (Karen) Rayman of Mahomet, IL; Ronald (Stephanie) Rayman of Bourbonnais; nieces, Laura, Beth, Sarah, Eileen and Allison; nephews, Thomas, Mathew, Zachary, Stephen, and Aidan.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Thomas and Doreen Rayman.

Celebration of life will be held on Saturday, June 26, 2021, from 10am to 1pm with a luncheon to follow from 1-3pm at Jensen Funeral Home in Kankakee.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family.

We ask that you please follow that state's guidelines where masks/face coverings and distancing are concerned. On behalf of the family and the funeral home staff, we would like to thank you for your cooperation.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUN **26**. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Jensen Funeral Home
3639 E IL-17
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-4001
<https://www.jensenmemorialchapel.com>

Luncheon

JUN **26**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *David Lee Rayman*

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of David's passing.*

Toni Lebeck - March 18, 2023 at 07:57 PM



“ *I'm going to miss my best golfing buddy!! I'm so glad our last round of golf was 27 holes on a beautiful sunny warm day in June on a Friday. I kicked your butt at shamrock and you kicked mine at the Elks. Your last hole of golf was a birdie on 9!! I didn't know this would be the last time I would see you and that would be your last round of golf. Thanks for always being my friend and golfing husband! Hahaa. I'm going to miss you Dave*

nena mayotte - June 28, 2021 at 10:19 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of David Lee Rayman.*



June 25, 2021 at 06:31 PM

JA

“ So very Sorry for your families loss. Dave will be missed by so many for sure all of his golfing buddies at the Elks. I always enjoyed playing with Dave.

Joe Arbour - June 25, 2021 at 05:01 PM

MR

“ Rest sweetly, my love. There will always be love in my heart for you



Mary Rayman - June 25, 2021 at 04:59 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of David Lee Rayman.



June 23, 2021 at 02:48 PM

DG

“ Since day 1, Dave would always pick up a million shifts just to help out! He was always willing to help out, even last minute, no matter where the shift was out of. Everyone spoke highly of him and he will definitely be missed by all in our EMS community. Rest easy, Dave!

Damiana Greb - June 23, 2021 at 01:43 PM

DC

“ It was an honor to know and work alongside of David! David was very passionate about his career and taking care of others. David treated his patients and his coworkers as if they were his own family. He would have given the shirt off his back for someone in need. David was also very passionate about his hobbies especially his golf game. David was always talking about golf and looking forward to getting his rounds in. He would always point out different golf courses telling me how he enjoyed playing there. I am glad I had the opportunity to have him teach me how to golf during one of our golf outings.

Rest easy brother, we will take it from here. We will never forget your service to your community. You will be truly missed by your EMS family.



Dustin Campbell - June 22, 2021 at 04:28 PM

TZ

“ It was nice working with you, David. RIP



The Zinks - June 16, 2021 at 07:23 PM

BT

“ *Played golf with Dave for several years and never knew he was a vet. Shocked to hear of his passing. He should be honored for his service. He will be missed.*

Bill Tammen - June 12, 2021 at 08:57 PM