



## Kenneth (Ken) Stang

February 25, 1958 - March 14, 2017

Kenneth (Ken) Stang, 59, of Kankakee passed away at his home on March 14, 2017,

Mr. Stang was born February 25, 1958 in Kankakee, IL.

His parents are William and Betty (Kime) Stang. Both of whom preceded their son in death.

As a young man, Ken farmed with his father in the Aroma Park area before establishing

his own auto repair business. He owned and operated Ken's Garage in Aroma Park for 35 years

Ken graduated from Kankakee Eastridge High School, Class of '76

Ken was an avid Chicago Cubs and Bulls fan. He enjoyed fishing, especially the

semi-annual fishing trips to southern IL, with his brother and friends. These same

buddies also enjoyed weekly card games for many years. Ken was also a NASCAR

fan and this past spring he had the thrill of a lifetime chance to drive a NASCAR race

car around the track at the Joliet Speedway. In recent years, he became an enthusiastic remote control boat racer. He achieved "US 1" status in July of

2003 at

Milford, Michigan, at the international race. Ken was a co-founder of the local Rip Tide Remote Control Boat Club. He also enjoyed traveling the Midwest racing his remote control boats.

Surviving are his sister and brother in law, Nancy and Terry DuTour of Aroma Park.

Also surviving are a brother and sister in law, Kirk and Kaye Stang of Kankakee

He will be greatly missed by his aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. Ken had many friends among them his fishing buddies and remote control boat friends, who were like his second family.

A memorial service will be held in St. Anne in conjunction with the Rip Tide Remote Control Boat Club Regatta that will be dedicated to Ken in June.

Memorials can be made to Hospice of Kankakee  
Please sign the guest book at [Jensenmemorialchapel.com](http://Jensenmemorialchapel.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Cremation Rites Were Accorded**

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth (Ken) Stang*

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *My heart is broken!! I'm just now learning of this. Ken has been my mechanic for 24 years. He was an honest person and I always enjoyed talking with him. I'll never find another mechanic like him. My condolences to his family.*



**Candace Solis** - May 20, 2017 at 12:07 PM



“ *Such a great loss...we went to school together. Also at the time my husnad now ex, and him were good friends...We had lot of memories from teen years to later on..spent time on that farm for many partys...so much fun..great memories. ..Kenny you will be missed i know..R.i.P. Ole friend*



*Sincerely  
Alexia (Chambers/Scheppler) Helm*

**Alex Sanders** - May 07, 2017 at 03:40 AM

LC

“ Laurie Barnhart Cook lit a candle in memory of Kenneth (Ken) Stang



Laurie Barnhart cook - April 26, 2017 at 05:55 PM

LC

“ Kenny was a great guy. He worked on my Moms car all the time. We went to school together

Laurie Barnhart cook - April 26, 2017 at 05:55 PM

JW

“ JOHN WHITTET lit a candle in memory of Kenneth (Ken) Stang



JOHN WHITTET - April 14, 2017 at 06:34 PM

MH

“ Ken was and always will be a friend

Mick and Lisa Huntley - April 09, 2017 at 04:19 AM

PS

“ Pat And Jim St.John lit a candle in memory of Kenneth (Ken) Stang



Pat and Jim St.John - April 02, 2017 at 12:02 PM

JH

“ Sorry to hear about Kenny. Kevin and Joyce Hines.

Joyce L Hines - April 01, 2017 at 03:15 PM

BB

“ Bradley And Kathleen Bisping lit a candle in memory of Kenneth (Ken) Stang



Bradley and Kathleen Bisping - April 01, 2017 at 01:49 PM

DK

“ Sincere condolences in the loss of Ken. Our families enjoyed his friendship, especially my husband Dave and my dad, Wendal Munson. Kenny was a good man.

Deepest regrets,  
The Munson/Kendregan families.

Donna Kendregan - April 01, 2017 at 11:42 AM



“ So sorry to hear of Ken's death- he was our "go to guy" for all our automotive needs. He also took care of my parents' car, truck and tractor. He was honest and sincere and the real deal. He will be missed. Our sincere condolences to Ken's family.

Lisa Winge - April 01, 2017 at 07:47 AM

MS

“ 😞 He will be thoroughly missed by all his friends and Family. He's been friends with my Mom & Dad since High School & I'm Grateful I knew him my whole life! 🙏 R.I.P Kenny



Michelle Sikma-Bewsey - March 28, 2017 at 09:46 PM

LB

“ Kenny was one of a Kind!! He will be Greatly Missed!!!



lynda burchardt - March 27, 2017 at 01:25 PM

JR

“ Very sorry for your loss. Nancy I remember when your two brothers were born.  
Judy Schluter Roth

Judy Schluter Roth - March 27, 2017 at 12:55 AM



“ 33 years of memories that Mick has and we both think fondly of. There is a hole now, until we see you again Ken.....  
Lisa and Mick Huntley

Lisa Huntley - March 26, 2017 at 10:05 PM



“ *Doug Schnell lit a candle in memory of Kenneth (Ken) Stang*



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**Doug Schnell** - March 26, 2017 at 07:36 PM

RB

“ *Rick And Susan Bewsey lit a candle in memory of Kenneth (Ken) Stang*



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**Rick and Susan Bewsey** - March 21, 2017 at 09:54 AM

TD

“ *Tom/Ruth Denoyer lit a candle in memory of Kenneth (Ken) Stang*



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**Tom/Ruth Denoyer** - March 20, 2017 at 12:04 PM

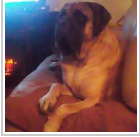
CK

“ *Curt And Karen Kibbons lit a candle in memory of Kenneth (Ken) Stang*



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**Curt and Karen Kibbons** - March 19, 2017 at 07:59 PM



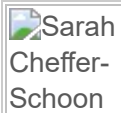
“ I went through grade school with Ken, he was always just so nice. My prayers are for you Ken and for all who loved you. Rest in peace now.

Respectfully,  
Sherry(Giardina), David, Matthew Rashenskaskas



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**Sherry Rashenskaskas** - March 19, 2017 at 06:55 PM



“ Kenny was like an uncle to me. Friday night races with his #3, and watching his yellow Moon rc boat are wonderful memories. He is sincerely missed. Sarah Cheffer-Schoon and family

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**Sarah Cheffer-Schoon** - March 18, 2017 at 06:28 PM