



Allen "Popeye" Kohler

March 29, 1936 - March 25, 2024

Allen "Popeye" Kohler, 87 of Carrollton, passed away early Monday morning March 25, 2024 in his home.

A son of the late Allen and Alice Lyle Kohler, he was born March 29, 1936 in Akron, Ohio.

Popeye was raised in Kilgore, Ohio and after graduating from high school he enlisted in the Army in 1954.

Many will remember him owning and working at Kohler Service the full service Amoco Station in Carrollton pumping gas and working on vehicles. He was also a partner in K & M Real Estate, KWM Real Estate, And Kohler Auto Sales. After retiring he enjoyed traveling and vacationing in Arizona during the winter.

He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Kathy Kohler; a brother, David (Fay) Kohler of Arizona; three daughters, Kim Rininger of Carrollton, Rhonda Horengic of Carolina Beach, and Kristi Kohler-Cristofoli; grandchildren, Jennifer (Greg) Sivets, Gary Rininger, David (Bronwyn) Rininger, Sarah (Jeremy) Hein, Nicki Hein, Jordan Horengic, Brianna Horengic, Sienna Kohler Cristofoli, Rachel Baker, Bethany Kohler, great grandchildren, Doug Rininger, Gavin Rininger, Paige Rininger, Kayla Masters, Ava Sivets, Kaden Grubb,

Kayla Grubb, Hope Grubb, Jonathon Grubb; three wonderful and fun great great grandchildren; and many wonderful nieces and nephews.

Along with his parents he was preceded in death by a daughter, Kathy, a grandchild, Betty Jane Hein, a great grandchild, Tyler Sivets, and two brothers, James and Bill.

In accordance with Popeye's wishes there will be no services and cremation has taken place.

Tribute Wall



“ So sorry for your loss. Popeye was a a good man,kind and generous to everyone. he will be missed..

John and Melanie Campbell - March 31, 2024 at 08:34 AM



“ May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,

May your memories of Allen Kohler, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.

*My thoughts
and prayers to the family of*

US Army Veteran, Allen Kohler, is “A True American Hero” God Bless†

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - March 31, 2024 at 07:06 AM

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“ There are always a few great mentors that come along in everyone's life. Popeye was one that truly changed my life and made me the person I am today. I owe a lot of my success in life to him and his wife Kathy. I think about all the wisdom and the kindness to others they taught to me. I will always be so very thankful to them. Popeye always made work a fun place to look forward to going to. I will always be truly grateful for him being in my life.

My prayer and thoughts are with his family.

Stan Bright - March 30, 2024 at 07:57 AM

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“ I met Popeye when I was 18 years old, and immediately became part of the family. Some of my best memories were at the house swimming and cooking and laughing with everyone. Never met a better man ❤️❤️

Ruth Ossler - March 29, 2024 at 01:32 PM

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“ We've lost a great friend and pillar of this community. We've so enjoyed your friendship, work ethic and steadfastness over the years. You will be greatly missed but we shall see you soon! Our deepest sympathy and condolences to Kathy, Dave and the whole family.
Ben & Donna Strohmeyer

Ben Strohmeyer - March 29, 2024 at 11:46 AM