



## Neil McKenzie

January 10, 1941 - June 23, 2021

Neil Duane McKenzie, 80, Willard KS, passed away Wednesday, June 23, 2021.

Neil was born January 10, 1941, in Valencia KS to Oscar and Vesta Keeton McKenzie. He graduated from Rossville High School in 1959, attended Emporia State University and graduated from Washburn University in 1963 earning a Bachelor of Business Administration degree. Neil served our country in the US Army. On July 3, 1964, Neil and Nancy Lee Shrimplin were united in marriage enjoying just shy of 57 years together.

Neil was an industrial engineer for Goodyear Tire. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Silver Lake KS for more than 50 years.

Survivors include his wife, Nancy; children, Emily McLamb (Hilton), Alan McKenzie (Christi) and Paul McKenzie; six grandchildren, Jasmine, Monica and Erin McLamb, Jordan, Scott and Nicholas McKenzie; six great-grandchildren, Mia McLamb, Ivan, Josephine, Caroline, Harper and Beau McKenzie; and brothers, Clyde and Ray McKenzie.

Graveside service for Mr. McKenzie will be Tuesday, June 29, 10 a.m. at Valencia Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Masonic Lake Lodge No. 50 or Shriners Hospitals for Children and sent in care of Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

Condolences may be sent online to [www.kevinbrennanfamily.com](http://www.kevinbrennanfamily.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Valencia Cemetery

Topeka, KS 66615

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

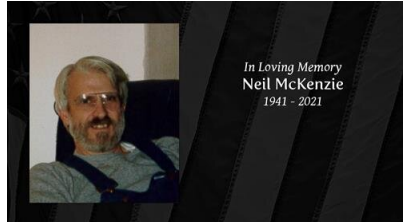
JUN **29**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Valencia Cemetery  
Topeka, KS 66615

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Neil McKenzie*



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**Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home** - June 27, 2021 at 03:53 PM



“ *Neil McKenzie*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Nancy and family,*

*So sorry for your loss.*

*Steve Carver*

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**Steve Carver** - June 29, 2021 at 09:13 AM

SG

“ *Nancy and Family,  
This note of sincere condolence to you folks in the loss of Neil. We knew him most in his retirement walks around Willard with his dog. We enjoyed his friendship very much!*

*Please know of our sincere prayers at this time!*  
Steve Gee

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**Steve Gee** - June 27, 2021 at 03:52 PM

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“ *Neil and I worked together throughout the 2010 Census and I've always believed he was one of the nicest people I've ever met. Honorable, trustworthy, and a great sense of humor, it was a pleasure working with him. He took great pride in his work and was always helpful to others. I have thought of him often over the years. I know you must feel a great loss. He was a special man.*

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**Karyl-Ann Roehl** - June 27, 2021 at 03:06 PM

HS

“ *Rest Neil, until you hear at dawn,  
the low, clear reveille of God.*

*Thank you for your service to this nation. U.S.  
Army.*



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**Harry Simpson** - June 27, 2021 at 02:56 PM

EH

“ Nancy and Family,  
*It is with Sorrow hearing of Neil's passing, enjoyed having the opportunity of seeing and catching up with him during our past 60th Class Reunion. May the Peace of Our Lord be with you and your family during this time of loss.*  
*Ed (Sandi) Humston (RHS Class of 59) Silver Lake (Ks)*

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**Edward Humston** - June 27, 2021 at 01:55 PM

MR

“ Nancy,  
*I am so blessed to have been able to spend time with Neil over the pass 10 years. His positive outlook and kindness for others has left an impression on me. He will be missed. Here is a photo of us helping spread mulch at the park in Silver Lake a few years ago. My thoughts are with you and your family during this time.*

*Mark Reeder*



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**Mark Reeder** - June 25, 2021 at 10:26 AM

LD

“ Nancy,  
*I am so sorry to hear that Neil passed. He was such a wonderful neighbor. My thoughts are with you and your family.*

*Lynne Roduner Diehl*

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**Lynne Diehl** - June 24, 2021 at 10:19 AM

SR

*Nancy and family, we are so sorry to hear that Neil passed. He was a wonderful and kind man. Such a encouraging deacon in the church and will dearly be missed. Craig & Sandra Reddick.*

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**Sandra Reddick** - June 27, 2021 at 04:42 PM

KI

*Nancy, Emily, Alan and Paul:*

*I am so sorry to hear of Neil's passing. I remember him as always being so happy and funny when I would come up to visit and spend the night. The world will not be the same without him. Just know that he is watching out for you and walking beside each and everyone of you now.*

*Sincerely, Brenda (Myers) Immenschuh*

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**Kyleah Immenschuh** - June 28, 2021 at 11:26 AM

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*Nancy & Family*

*Sad to hear of Neil's passing. He will be missed in the city of Willard. He was always there to do what he could for our town.*

*Mike & Laura Lord*

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**Micheal Lord** - June 28, 2021 at 09:12 PM