



## Roy W King Jr.

August 29, 1942 - August 5, 2017

Roy King, Jr., 74, Kansas City, Missouri, departed this life August 5, 2017. He was born August 29, 1942, in Kansas City, Missouri, to Roy W. King, Sr. and Katie Viola Detweiler King.

Roy graduated from Argentine High School in 1960. He was an artist even as a child and attended art school in Kansas City.

Roy married the love of his life, Gerry Nell Adams, in 1963. They celebrated their 54th wedding anniversary this year. They had two children, Sherry Denae in 1966 and Stephen Charles in 1968. Roy and Gerry lived in several places over the course of their marriage, always creating a beautiful home together. They were members of Rainbow Boulevard Mennonite Church.

Roy worked as an engraver for Hallmark in the early 60's and then branched into business for himself designing and manufacturing high end furniture and cabinetry for some of Kansas City's finest homes. As his career progressed, he focused mainly on the design aspect, spending hours on end at his drawing board.

Roy and Gerry loved and restored antique cars and were active members of the Vintage Chevrolet Car Club and Golden Oldies of America. They enjoyed world travel with friends and family and accumulated many happy adventure

memories over the years. "Bubba and Momma" spent lots of time with their grandsons playing, travelling and attending extra-curricular activities.

Roy leaves his wife Gerry; daughter Sherry Goering (Jonas); grandsons, Jacob and Joel; and sister Nancy King.

He was preceded in death by his parents. Roy and Gerry suffered tragedy in 1991, losing their son, Stephen Charles.

Services for Roy will be held Saturday, August 12, at 2 p.m. at Overland Park Christian Church, 7600 West 75th Street, Overland Park KS 66204.

Fellowship follows at the church.

Memorial contributions may be made in Roy's name to the Alzheimer's Association, 3846 W. 75th St. Prairie Village, KS 66208

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

AUG **12**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Overland Park Christian Church  
7600 West 75th Street  
Overland Park, KS 66204

# Tribute Wall



“ Roy W King Jr.

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM

JB

*I just found out about Roy's passing ...He was such a talented Man and so kind I worked with him for the first time over 32 years ago ...He was a Mentor that I truly looked up to and he did many Beautiful Kitchens and Fireplaces for Homes we built through the years ...The workmanship and craftsmanship was truly InComparable as was Roy as Man who I truly looked up to who Greatly Loved his Family ...Gerry and his children were so Important to him... His sense of humor and kindness will be long remembered ...I'm truly sorry for His loss ...He was one of the Good Ones! Prayers for Gerry , his daughter and all those who knew and loved him*  
*Jackie Brown*

**Jackie Brown** - March 11, 2024 at 06:08 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Roy W King Jr..



August 11, 2017 at 10:27 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Roy W King Jr..



August 10, 2017 at 01:25 PM

PK

“ Gerry and family,

*There are no words to take your sadness away when you've lost someone dear. Please know we are thinking of you and wishing you comfort and strength during the days ahead. Roy was such a wonderful wonderful man. May his memory ever be eternal.*  
*Polly and Thomas Kokourda*

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**Polly Kokourda** - August 09, 2017 at 02:17 PM

CH

“ Dear Gerry and family, I send you much love and my heartfelt sympathy. My prayer is that God will grant you peace as you mourn the most sad passing of your love, Roy. May the fond memories you have sustain you now and in the days ahead as our Lord and Savior walks with you on this journey of healing. Heaven has opened it's door to an amazing man where he will suffer no more. Peace be with you.

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**Cindy Hudson** - August 08, 2017 at 01:25 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Roy W King Jr..



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August 08, 2017 at 12:09 PM

DG

“ Deanna & Greg Graves purchased the Beautiful i  
n Blue for the family of Roy W King Jr..



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**Deanna & Greg Graves** - August 08, 2017 at 06:24 AM

DG

“ No words however kindly meant, can soothe your pain away, but  
may the thoughts around you help you make it through today. And  
may each day that passes, bring you hope and comfort too, through  
memories and the heartfelt prayers of friends who mourn with you.  
Thinking of you all!!  
Deanna & Greg Graves

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**Deanna Graves** - August 08, 2017 at 05:18 AM

CR

“ Dear Gerry and Family,  
Our thoughts, love, and prayers are with you. May your beautiful  
memories sustain you all during this difficult time.  
Bernie and Cathie Runnebaum

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**Catherine Runnebaum** - August 07, 2017 at 09:20 PM

SU

“ We have lost a truly great guy when Roy passed. We will miss you  
so much. All our love and prayers to Gerry, Sherry, Jonas, Jacob,  
Joel and Nancy.

*Jack and Sharon Ulrich*

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**sharon ulrich** - August 07, 2017 at 08:54 PM

DJ

“ *Dear Gerry, We want you to know that we are really sorry to hear about Roy, he was a wonderful man. May he rest in peace. Debbie & Robert Johnson, Stilwell*

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**Debbie Johnson** - August 07, 2017 at 05:24 PM