



Larry Kimm

September 14, 1948 - March 3, 2021

Larry Kimm of Athens, Alabama went to be with our Lord on March 3, 2021. To many of his friends and family, Larry was also known as LK, Kimmer, Pops, and Papa. He was born on September 14, 1948 in Blairstown, Iowa to Dean and Martha Kimm. Larry is admirably remembered as a loving husband, a man of faith, an avid Bass fisherman, a supportive father, a patriot, and a caring friend.

Larry served as a Marine during the Vietnam War and received a Purple Heart. Larry would share his personal war stories which brought chills to his listeners as he described the perilous patrols he took as point man to secure the areas for his fellow Marines. He knew God was with him as he survived where many others had not and was able to make it home. His character was that of strength, tenacity, and courage.

During the past 6 ½ years, Larry bravely battled Stage 4 cancer and kidney disease. Although life changing, he considered this journey as an opportunity to share with everyone his faith and passions. His commitment to his marriage, family, and God will be cherished forever.

Larry was preceded in death by his father, Dean Kimm of Marengo, IA, sister Reenie Fiser of Marengo, IA, daughter Christine Rodman of Mt. Vernon, IA and his grandson, Austin Tucker of Athens, AL. Larry is survived by his wife of

30 years, Patty Kimm of Athens, AL, his mother, Martha Kimm of Marengo, IA, Uncle Max Kimm of Blainstown, IA, Aunt Audrey (Ron) Yardley of Marengo, IA, Uncle Joe Vislissel of Marengo, IA., His brothers: Bruce (Natalie) Kimm of Cedar Falls, IA, Marve (Leslie) Kimm of Mapleton, MN, Vince (Diane) Kimm of Marengo, IA, and brother-in-law, Larry Fiser of Marengo, IA. His daughters: Laura (Andy) Kimm of Blainstown, IA, Rebecca Tucker in Iowa, and Jeannette (Joe) Atchley of Athens, AL. Sons: DJ (Kim) Tucker of Greenwood, AR., and Robert (Kristy) Tucker of Athens, AL. and son-in-law, Chris Rodman of Mt. Vernon, IA. Larry's grandchildren: Katie Tucker of Greenwood, AR, Carter Rodman, Emerald Neary, Quinn Rodman, Emma Rodman, Alex Tucker, Natalie Tucker, Skyler Rodman, and Andrew Tucker all of Mt. Vernon IA and Athens, AL.

Services will be held on Saturday, March 13th at Limestone Chapel in Athens, AL. Visitation is from noon to 2 pm with a service following. A celebration and sharing of Larry's life will begin at noon, Sunday, March 14th at the Kimm's residence.

A husband, son, brother, father, grandfather, uncle, cousin, mentor, and a great friend to many, Larry Kimm will be cherished in our memories and missed forever in hearts.

Tribute Wall

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“ Missed, Doug Kimm who passed recently.

Irene Ledger - March 09, 2021 at 08:52 PM

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“ He was my very first love and he will always hold a special place in my heart. He had a wonderful family that always welcomed me. I have very fond memories of all of them. We were just young kids but I will always remember him and his wonderful family. May he RIP. Prayers for his wife and children and may their memories and faith in the Lord help them thru this difficult time.

Berta (Rush) Garrett - March 09, 2021 at 08:24 PM

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“ Our deepest condolences to Larry's family. He and I were good buddies back in our younger days. He was a good person. Jack and Micky Patterson, Marengo, Iowa

Jack Patterson - March 09, 2021 at 03:39 PM