



## Kenneth Leo Quigley

February 28, 1947 - January 16, 2025

Kenneth "Kenny" Leo Quigley, born February 28, 1947, passed away peacefully on January 16, 2025 at the age of 77, after a courageous and fierce battle with bone cancer. Ken is survived by Eileen, his loving spouse of 26 years, his daughter, Nickie Schaffer, granddaughters Reyana and Lily Schaffer; son, Josh, grandson Bodie; step-son, Richard Hillestad; step-daughter, Sondra Hillestad and granddaughters Isabelle and Aurora Hillestad; brother Donald (Bonnie} Quigley; Raymond (Barb) Quigley; sister-in-law Annita Quigley and many nieces and nephews.

Ken was preceded in death by his parents Francis and Anne Quigley and Brother Richard Quigley.

Ken grew up on a dairy farm in Forest Lake, MN. He joined the Army in 1968 and was a Screaming Eagle of the 101st Airborne division through two tours in Vietnam until his honorable discharge in 1970. He loved his family, photography, building and fixing things, being of service to others, his Faith and God.

Ken's staunch Catholic Faith sustained him throughout his life. He will be missed by many for his authenticity and steady, colorful presence.

Funeral services will be held on January 23, 2025 at St Gabriel the Archangle

Catholic Church, 1310 Main St, Hopkins MN. Visitation will be from 9:00 to 10:00 with Mass to follow at 10:00.

Interment Fort Snelling National Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Fort Snelling National Cemetery

7601 34th Avenue South  
Minneapolis, MN 55450

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **23**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Gabriel the Archangel Catholic Church  
1310 Mainstreet  
Hopkins, MN 55343

## Mass of Christian Burial

JAN **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Gabriel the Archangel Catholic Church  
1310 Mainstreet  
Hopkins, MN 55343

## Graveside Service

JAN **24**. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Fort Snelling National Cemetery  
7601 34th Avenue South  
Minneapolis, MN 55450



# Tribute Wall

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“ I have so many fond childhood memories with the K of C family at St. Joe's functions and at the hall. Ken was always involved and engaged and such a positive presence - it's impossible to not think of him when I look back on those days. I very much enjoyed catching up with him as an adult as he was always so curious and eager to hear about our family. My condolences to the Quigley crew and beyond, Ken will be missed. - Dave Molzahn

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**Dave Molzahn** - January 23, 2025 at 05:04 PM

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*Thanks Dave!*

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**Nickie Quigley** - February 05, 2025 at 09:03 AM