



## Kenneth R. Goethe

September 10, 1944 - October 21, 2022

Kenneth R. Goethe, 78, of Saline, Michigan passed away suddenly on Friday, October 21, 2022. Ken was born in Ann Arbor, Michigan on September 10, 1944 to the late Donald and Bernice (Powell) Goethe. On November 26, 1966, he married Judy Spaulding of Harrodsburg, KY, and she survives. Ken is also survived by his two children, Angela (Timothy) Griffin of Haslett, MI, and Cara Fettig of Saline, MI. He also had four grandchildren, Joshua and Madeline Griffin and Griffin (Stu) and Gabriella Fettig. He is also survived by his sister, Vickie Solik of Onsted, MI. Ken was preceded in death by his parents and his sister, Ellen Murray.

Ken proudly served his country in the United States Army and was a veteran of the Vietnam War. After an honorable discharge, he found his career in the automotive industry and worked for Ford Motor Company, Rawsonville plant, for 30 years. He enjoyed fishing (catch and release only!), cars, a good cigar and apple pie. His boisterous laugh and wide grin will be forever missed.

Funeral Services will take place on Thursday, October 27, 2022 at 1:00 P.M. at the First Presbyterian Church of Saline with Pastor Kimberly Secrist Ashby officiating. Burial will take place in the Oakwood Cemetery following the service. Light food and refreshments will also be provided at the church following the service. Friends may join the family for a time of visitation from 12:00 P.M. until the time of service at 1:00 P.M. In lieu of flowers, memorial

contributions in Ken's name may be made to the Disabled American Veterans or to the First Presbyterian Church of Saline. To leave a memory you have of Ken, to sign his guestbook, or for directions please visit [www.rbfhsaline.com](http://www.rbfhsaline.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

227 West Michigan Ave  
Saline, MI 48176

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 27. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church of Saline  
143 E. Michigan Avenue  
Saline, MI 48176  
<http://salinepres.org/>

## Funeral Service

OCT 27. 1:00 PM - 1:45 PM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church of Saline  
143 E. Michigan Avenue  
Saline, MI 48176  
<http://salinepres.org/>

## Graveside Service

OCT 27. 2:05 PM - 2:20 PM (ET)

Oakwood Cemetery  
227 West Michigan Ave  
Saline, MI 48176



# Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth R. Goethe*

October 23, 2023 at 01:07 PM



“ *Dr. Griffin,  
The triage APPs send our condolences to you and your family. In lieu of flowers, we have donated to the First Presbyterian Church of Saline in your father's memory.*

**Sparrow Triage APP** - October 31, 2022 at 03:32 AM



“ *Dear Judy, Angela, Cara and family,*

*I am very saddened to see that Ken has passed suddenly. Husband, daddy and papa, it hurts to lose that that gave us love and life. Hoping happy memories of times gone by carry you through this difficult time. Hugs, kind thoughts and prayers headed your way.*

*Carter Bishop III*

**Carter Bishop** - October 28, 2022 at 06:09 AM



“ *Judy Sines lit a candle in memory of Kenneth R. Goethe*



**judy Sines** - October 27, 2022 at 09:37 AM

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“ *My Uncle Ken was also very nice to me, even though we did not see each other often. He will be missed. I love you* 💜



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**Jessica McGauley** - October 26, 2022 at 07:15 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kenneth R. Goethe.*



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October 25, 2022 at 08:25 PM

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“ *Vickie lit a candle in memory of Kenneth R. Goethe*



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**Vickie** - October 24, 2022 at 09:16 AM

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“ *R.I.P.*

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**Vickie** - October 24, 2022 at 09:15 AM

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“ *Angela Reynolds lit a candle in memory of  
Kenneth R. Goethe*



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**Angela Reynolds** - October 23, 2022 at 03:57 PM

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“ *Shannon and I loved our Sunday morning Saline Inn breakfasts! He  
was one of a kind!*

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**Angela Reynolds** - October 23, 2022 at 03:56 PM