



## Kenny Sogar

May 29, 1960 - November 22, 2016

Kenny Sogar, 56  
Kearney resident

Kenny Sogar, 56 of Kearney died Tuesday, November 22, 2016 at CHI Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held 10:30 am Saturday, November 26, 2016 at St. James Catholic Church with the Rev. Art Faesser officiating. Visitation will be 6:00 to 7:00 pm Friday with a Vigil/Prayer Service beginning at 7:00 pm all at the Church. Memorials are suggested to his boys college fund.

Burial will take place 11:00 am Tuesday at the Queen of Heaven Cemetery in Hillside, IL.

In Lieu of Flowers, memorials are suggested to the "Sogar Education Fund"  
c/o Exchange bank

3310 2nd Avenue, Kearney NE 68847. Condolences may be shared online at [www.osrfh.com](http://www.osrfh.com). O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Kenny was employed at the University of Nebraska-Kearney as the Director of Information Technology Services for the College of Natural and Social Sciences.

Kenny Sogar, 56, of Kearney, passed away Tuesday, November 22, 2016. He is survived by his wife, Christina, his three sons: Brendan, Stefan and Robert; brothers Steve, Mike and Jim; his niece, Alice and many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Steve and Alice Sogar of Hillside, Illinois.

# Previous Events

## Vigil / Prayer Service

NOV **25**. 7:00 PM (CT)

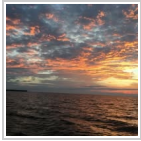
St. James Catholic Church  
3801 Avenue A  
Kearney, NE 68847

## Mass of Christian Burial

NOV **26**. 10:30 AM (CT)

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3801 Avenue A  
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# Tribute Wall



“ I blocked for him at Proviso West...an intelligent, kind, soul. I spoke with him a few years back. Gone too soon--see you down the road buddy. Marty Haggerty

Martin Haggerty - June 27, 2024 at 04:35 AM



“ Kenny was a wonderful man! I only knew him for the last year or two of his time on Earth, but I still think of him from time to time and have not forgotten his abundant positivity and energy. A kind man, he seemed to live to serve others.

Nickolas Hein - April 29, 2024 at 12:23 PM



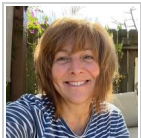
“ I was just thinking of Ken, and saw his obituary. Ken and I were roommates at SIU-Carbondale back in the Fall of 1978. A gentle soul. Gone too early. RIP Ken. Your roommate, Mike

Michael Grady - May 07, 2023 at 10:38 AM



“ Kenny Sogar

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ We are so sadden to hear about this! Both Tina and Kenny always had their boys best interest in mind. We got to know the Sogar Family playing baseball. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you all!

Andrea McLarty - January 16, 2017 at 09:05 PM

VB

“ Kenny has constantly been on my mind since I knew of his passing away. His death came as a devastating news to me. I was out of country for a few months. When I left, Kenny sounded, as always, very happy and healthy. I recall he was complaining of little coughing - a usual sign of virus going around campus, nothing more. I didn't know when I would return to campus, I will not see him.

*I always found him very helpful and more than willing to solve a problem - all with great smile. Sometimes he would talk about organic farming he was fond of while the computer was running a program to fix a problem. He told me once all that a healthy crop needed was good soil, water, and the great sunshine Nebraska is blessed with. Who knew Kenny's health that he took care of so well would deteriorate fast and he would be dear to God so early leaving many around him deeply appalled. Kenny will be missed by his family and friends alike and will be welcome in God's Kingdom where he will resume assisting others, again with great smile.*

*Vijendra Boken, Kearney, NE*

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**Vijendra Boken** - January 02, 2017 at 03:56 PM

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“ Kenny was a great colleague. He showed a true passion for his work and was eager to go the extra mile to make things the best they could be. I know he will be missed both by his family at home and at UNK.

*- Noah Rogoff*

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**Noah Rogoff** - November 30, 2016 at 01:38 PM

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“ As with the vast majority of memories of guys I knew at Proviso West High School, my recollection revolves around sports. Ken had a rocket for an arm, and although he played quarterback, NOT ONE of us defensive backs wanted to line up across from him in "one on one" tackling drills. God Bless Kenny, may you Rest In Peace.  
*Mark Udoni, Class of '78.*

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**mark udoni** - November 29, 2016 at 02:29 PM

JS

“ Although no words can ease your pain, may it comfort you to know that you Christina, Brenden, Stefan and Robert will be in my thoughts and prayers. May he rest in peace in the arms of angel.

*Love, Cousin Judi DeLano Stucky.*

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**Judi Stucky** - November 27, 2016 at 07:16 PM

MP

“ We will always remember Kenny as a profoundly devoted family man. He loved being a dad and worked extremely hard to give Brendan, Stefan and Robert amazing experiences and memories to last a lifetime. He was an inspiration to us and we will miss him very much. *The Prond Family*

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**Melissa Prond** - November 25, 2016 at 12:34 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kenny Sogar.



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November 25, 2016 at 11:16 AM

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“ BSA Troop 136 purchased the Simply Elegant Sp  
athiphyllum for the family of Kenny Sogar.



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**BSA Troop 136** - November 24, 2016 at 12:56 PM

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**Rex Bavousett** - November 24, 2016 at 12:02 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for  
the family of Kenny Sogar.



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November 24, 2016 at 11:13 AM

TK

“ Prayers and thoughts to you Christina, Brendan, Stefan and Robert.  
So sorry for your loss. Krepel Family

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**Tracy Krepel** - November 23, 2016 at 09:43 PM