



Kevin J. Foley

August 24, 1943 - January 17, 2015

Colonie - Kevin J Foley, 71, passed away peacefully with his loving family by his side on January 17, 2015.

Born in Albany on August 24, 1943, Kevin is the son of the late Robert and Josephine Kissane Foley.

A lifelong resident of Colonie, Kevin is survived by his wife of 45 years, Doris, and their three children Michael (Deborah) Foley, Nicole (Danny Ray) Kraft and Dennis (Lindsay) Foley; the dear 'Papa' to grandchildren Jackson, Faith, Connor, Caitlyn, and Griffin. Kevin is the eldest brother to Sheila (James) Jordan, Eileen (Ronald) Guiry, Joan (Doug) Gottwald, Kathleen (Clinton) Whittemore and Brendan Foley. Kevin is brother in-law to Maynard (Barbara) Daigle, Louella (Joseph) Russo and Carline (Robert) Davenport. He is the loving uncle to 15 nieces and nephews that live across the US and abroad.

Kevin attended the Vincentian Institute in Albany. His career spanned 38 years, the majority of time spent at SUNY Central Administration. Kevin was an active PEF Union Leader, serving on the Executive Board for many years. He was a long time member of the West Albany Rod & Gun Club and Ancient Order of Hibernians. Kevin was active in retirement, spending winters in Florida, travelling, and managing real estate.

A parishioner of Christ our Light in Colonie, Kevin's faith played an important role in his life. Kevin enjoyed spending time with his family at their camp in the Adirondacks, boating on the lake and campfires with the grand kids are cherished memories. Kevin enjoyed life and had the blessing of many lifelong friends. He was known for his quick wit and generosity.

The family would like to thank some of the special health care professionals that worked with Kevin over the past 25 years – Dr. Horne, Dr. El-Hajjar, Cathy Pothier, and the Rubin Dialysis Center staff. His family is grateful for the wonderful gift of time that they provided. They also extend their sincere appreciation to Dr. Depan and the Cardiology staff at Albany Med, who provided dedicated and compassionate care over the past month. In particular, we thank the wonderful nurses in the Cardio Pulmonary Surgery Unit who took care of Kevin and the family.

Funeral services Tuesday, January 20, 2015 at 9:45 am from the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany thence to Blessed Sacrament Church, Albany at 10:30 am where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated.

Relatives and friends are invited and may visit Monday, January 19, 2015 4:00 to 7:00 pm in the funeral home.

Interment Our Lady of Angels Cemetery.

To leave a message for the family, obtain directions or view other helpful services, please visit www.McveighFuneralHome.com

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Northeast Kidney Foundation at healthykidneys.org in Kevin's honor.

Cemetery Details

Our Lady of Angels Cemetery

1389 Central Ave
Albany, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **19**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.
208 N Allen St
Albany, NY 12206
(518) 489-0188
info@mcveighfuneralhome.com
<http://www.McveighFuneralHome.com>

Service

JAN **20**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Blessed Sacrament Church
607 Central Ave (Father John Bradley Way)
Albany, NY 12206
(518) 489-0188
info@mcveighfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Kevin J. Foley*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *To family: May the words at Isaiah 25:8 bring you comfort during this difficult time " He will swallow up death forever, And the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all face."*



Montana Mackenzie - October 23, 2015 at 05:59 PM



“ *Doris, Mike, Dennis & Nicole,*

My heartfelt condolences go out to you and your family. May fond memories bring you comfort during this difficult time in your life. I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers.

Paul "PJ" Martino

Paul Martino - January 23, 2015 at 03:15 PM



“ *Doris, Mike, Nicole and Dennis,*

My condolences for your loss. You are all in my thoughts and hope that you are doing as best you can during this difficult time. He has left behind a tremendous legacy.

Chris Long

Chris Long - January 21, 2015 at 12:23 PM

DM

“ *Doris, Mike, Dennis & Nicole,
I am so sorry for your loss. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*

Donna Martino

Donna Martino - January 21, 2015 at 12:01 PM

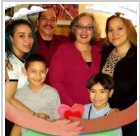
MF

“ *Dear Doris and Sheila. so sorry on the loss of Kevin. Our thoughts
and*

*prayers are with you all, I remember the last time I saw Kevin , it
was at
Price Chopper and we had a nice conversation. He was always with
a
smile. He will be remembered.*

Marie and Tony Forenzo

Marie Forenzo - January 20, 2015 at 06:16 PM



“ *Nicole and Family ~~*

My Sincere and Deepest Condolences to all of you during this time.

My thoughts and prayers are with your Family during this time.

Rest in Peace Kevin J. Foley

Debra Ramirez from USEPA

Debra N Edmund Ramirez - January 20, 2015 at 09:25 AM

CC

“ To the Foley Family, so sorry about your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and family. Carmen Castro from EPA

Carmen Castro - January 20, 2015 at 09:09 AM

DB

“ Doris and family,
Thinking of you at this time. I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers. So sorry for your loss.

Donna Bleichert - January 20, 2015 at 08:43 AM

LF

“ Dear Kate and Family,
Please know that my prayers and thoughts are with you today and always. Knowing your family I know how important God is in your lives and I know you believe Kevin is finally home. I pray that God will continue to give you the grace for the coming days and watch over all of you.
Lynn Zink Fowle

Lynn Zink Fowler - January 19, 2015 at 07:25 AM

JD

“ We will miss you tons Uncle Fox!!! Thanks for all the wonderful memories and laughter. Love, Janice and Darrin

Janice Daigle - January 18, 2015 at 04:04 PM

SK

“ Our hearts reach out to yours, with love, with sympathy, with caring. Thinking of you at this difficult time.



Sherry Kraft - January 18, 2015 at 03:49 PM

BP

Doris, Michael, Nicole and Dennis sorry I cannot be with you as you know I am in Florida for a few weeks my fondness thoughts are with all of you, Kevin was a great friend and I will miss him dearly, Bob Paul

Bob Paul - January 19, 2015 at 09:30 AM

EG

Doris, Mike, Nicole and Dennis As sad as yesterday was, I am sure Kevin was smiling down on us as we gathered to celebrate his life and who he was to each of us. He will always be in our hearts and remembered for his wit, caring and colorful accounts of his political "beliefs". I will miss him but God is taking care of him for us now. Salainte, Kev.

Eileen Foley Guiry - January 21, 2015 at 08:46 AM