



## Philip J. Koehler, Sr.

March 5, 1961 - May 21, 2021

Albany - Philip J. Koehler, Sr., age 60, son of the late Edward and Marcella Koehler, passed away May 21, 2021. He was a lifelong Albany resident, long time employee of the City of Albany, member of Local Laborers Union 190, and loved spending time with his family in the Adirondacks, especially Schroon Lake.

He is survived by his wife, Diane, son Philip, daughter Samantha, brothers Kevin (Barbara), Brian (Mary), several nieces and nephews, predeceased by brother Edward and sister Mary.

Private services were held by the family.

To leave Philip's family a message on their guestbook, please visit [www.mcveighfuneralhome.com](http://www.mcveighfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Philip J. Koehler, Sr.*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *Diane Koehler lit a candle in memory of Philip J. Koehler, Sr.*



**Diane Koehler** - June 19, 2023 at 03:20 PM



*Miss you so much my love. Always in are Hearts . Philip Jr, Samantha, Diane.*

**Diane Koehler** - June 19, 2023 at 03:23 PM



“ *Diane Koehler lit a candle in memory of Philip J. Koehler, Sr.*



**Diane Koehler** - June 19, 2023 at 03:19 PM



“ *Rest In Peace My Friend*

**Jim Jordan** - June 05, 2021 at 04:49 AM

MN

“ To the Koehler Family on behalf of the Nagengast Family, we send our deepest sympathy. Growing up around the block on Yates Street, my brother Tommy hung w Phil.  
We sure had alot of fun and memories from those days. RIP Philip

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**MJ Nagengast** - May 30, 2021 at 12:57 PM

KB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Koehler family at this time.  
Kathy and Mike Bertram

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**Kathy Bertram** - May 30, 2021 at 10:37 AM

RB

“ PHIL, WE HAD MANY GOOD DAYS WORKING TOGETHER AT BLEECKER STADIUM. YOU WERE THE SPARK PLUG OF THE WORK CREW WITH YOUR GREAT STORIES OF LIFE AS A YOUNG ROMANTIC MAN WITH ALL THE BEAUTIFUL YOUNG GIRLS IN ALBANY. I GREATLY LIKED YOUR SPONKEY SELF CONFIDENCE. HAPPY IN LATER YEARS TO CONFIDENTLY AS COMMISSIONER OF PARKS AND RECREATION TO MAKE YOU PARK FOREMAN AT THE SPRAWLING AND VERY HEAVILY USED WEST-LAND HILLS UPTOWN PARK AND RECREATIONAL FACILITY. OF ALL THE YOUNG PEOPLE WHO WORKED AT BLEECKER STADIUM I WILL REMEMBER YOU MOST AND OF COURSE YOUR ENTERTAINING ACT OF THE DAY! MAY GOD IN HIS INFINITE LOVE AND MERCY WELCOME A MOST ENTERTAINING AND COCK SURE GUY LIKE YOU INTO THE ETERNAL REWARD OF HEAVEN! FORMER COMMISSIONER OF PARKS AND RECREATION DICK BARRETT

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**RICHARD J. BARRETT** - May 30, 2021 at 08:32 AM

KV

*RIP Phil , we shared a lot of laughs.*

Kevin Vita - June 02, 2021 at 07:56 AM

BR

“ So very sorry for the loss that your family is going through. Your father was a good man and a union brother an Albany native and raised one heck of a son!!! Thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time!!! My father sends his deepest condolences.

Brett Rosd - May 29, 2021 at 08:48 AM

JT

“ I am deeply sorry for the loss of my lifelong friend and brother Phil. From age 4 he was always a star in my eyes. I will look up at night and remember the years we spent together. I have so many good memories of him they will last forever. Til then God Bless. JT

John Taylor - May 29, 2021 at 12:48 AM

DO

“ Sending my deepest sympathy to family and friends of our life-long friend, Phill Koehler Sr. Most of my memories are grade-school/high-school age years when our family (Taylor family) lived across the street from Koehler family. Our families had many great times together; kids and parents. It would be easy to write a book about the GOOD OLD DAYS on Ontario St. 🙏 We were very blessed to have spent some our best years as friends and neighbors. My Mom and Phill's Mom and Dad were best friends so it was only natural for us children to be close too; same ages. God Bless the Koehler Family; those who have passed on and those here on earth. We'll all see our loved ones again; it's not the end. We'll always have our memories, love and a special place in our hearts.

🙏🙏🙏 Donna Taylor 🙏

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Donna - May 28, 2021 at 01:33 PM