



Keith B. Engler

November 6, 1952 - February 28, 2016

Keith B. Engler, 63, of Napoleon, Ohio died peacefully on Sunday, February 28, 2016 at the Henry County Hospital surrounded by his loving family. He was born November 06, 1952 in Napoleon, Ohio to the late Burdette and Vivilyn (Beard) Engler. He met the love of his life in the All-Ohio State Fair Youth Choir which toured Europe and on June 16, 1973, he married Janet K. Burkett.

Keith worked for Ridgeville Elevator for 21 years. He was a certified crop advisor, licensed custom applicator and also was the plant manager at Gerald Ag Plant. He attended The Ohio State University and was an avid follower of the OSU football team and worked as a Red-Coat Usher at the stadium. He was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church, Napoleon where he was a past president and vice-president of the congregation. He was also member of St. Paul Board of Elders, Constitution Committee, Adult Choir, and the Board of Education. He was a member of Alpha Gamma Sigma Agricultural Fraternity, American Society of Agronomy, past member of the Board of Directors of Henry County Fair Foundation, past Secretary/Treasurer and Board member of Napoleon Optimist Club, and member/Chairman of Board of Public Affairs for the City of Napoleon, and was a former 4H Club advisor. He was a licensed football official for 40 years, licensed basketball official for 26 years, and a member of Ohio Football Rules Advisory Committee. He also had a love of singing and was very active in musicals after high school with the Maumee Valley Civic Theater and St. Paul Lutheran Church and School.

He is survived by his wife, Janet; daughters, Angela Baker and Jennifer (Denny) Milligan; grandchildren, Colin, David, and Emily Baker, Cassidy, Carley, Brooklyn, and Grace Milligan; sister, Cheryl (Roger) Hicksted; and brother, Lyndon Engler. He was preceded in death by sisters, Neila Keil and Anita Head.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 03 at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Napoleon. Interment will follow at Glenwood Cemetery.

Visitation will be held Wednesday from 1-4 & 6-8 p.m. at Rodenberger Funeral Home, Napoleon and Thursday from 10 - 11 a.m. at the church.

Memorials are suggested to St. Paul Lutheran Church, Buckeye Cruise for Cancer Fund A Need: Online memorial <http://buckeyecruise.com/fundaneed.asp>, or Henry County Home Health & Hospice.

Online condolences may be made at www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Glenwood Cemetery

Napoleon, OH 43545

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Napoleon Funeral Home
1010 Westmoreland Avenue
Napoleon, OH 43545
(419) 592-2333
help@rodenbergergray.com

Visitation

MAR 2. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Napoleon Funeral Home
1010 Westmoreland Avenue
Napoleon, OH 43545
(419) 592-2333
help@rodenbergergray.com

Visitation

MAR 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Paul Lutheran Church
1075 Glenwood Ave.
Napoleon, OH 43545

Service

MAR 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Paul Lutheran Church
1075 Glenwood Ave.
Napoleon, OH 43545

Tribute Wall

BT

“ So very sorry for your loss. I know how devastating this has been for him and for you all. I am saddened for your loss of this wonderful Husband, Father and Grandfather, but I feel happy that he is at peace and out of pain. I'm sure that great smile of his will be looking down proudly to all his family in everything you do in your lives. May you find comfort in all your wonderful memories and find joy in all the times he made you laugh. Love to you all



Barbara and Denny Timmerman

Barbara Timmerman - March 05, 2016 at 09:18 AM

MW

“ Dear Janet,
I just heard about Keith and am praying you have much peace and joy in knowing he loved The Lord and now gets to be with Him. I always thought your life with Keith seemed so what a Christian marriage should be. You two have been an inspiration, and I am sure your faith will continue to inspire others. If there is anything you would like of me, please just say. God bless you. Marilyn Wagner

marilyn wagner - March 05, 2016 at 06:28 AM

LG

“ Janet and Girls,
I'm so very sorry for the loss of your wonderful Husband and Father. May the Lord grant you strength to get through the rough days ahead. I'm praying for your family! My love to you!



Lori Goodrich - March 02, 2016 at 04:09 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Keith B. Engler.*



March 02, 2016 at 08:32 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Keith B. Engler.*



March 02, 2016 at 04:12 AM



“ *Janet,*

We're so very sorry for your loss of Keith. You and your family are in our prayers.

Kathy (Millen) Garvin and family

Kathy Millen Garvin - March 01, 2016 at 02:35 PM



“ *from your providers in hardin county purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Keith B. Engler.*



from your providers in hardin county - March 01, 2016 at 12:53 PM

MR

“ Marilyn J Ring purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Keith B. Engler.



Marilyn J Ring - March 01, 2016 at 07:49 AM

GK

“ Janet,

So sorry to hear about Keith. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the girls.

May the Lord's peace give you strength .

Blessings, Norm & Gale

Gale Koy - March 01, 2016 at 07:42 AM

KB

“ Kellie Burks lit a candle in memory of Keith B. Engler



Kellie Burks - February 29, 2016 at 09:34 PM



“ Janet & Family,

We are so sorry for the loss of your wonderful husband and father!

May you know that you are in our thoughts and prayers through this difficult time. Thank you for all of the fall Friday nights that we spent together, we are forever grateful for those times. Love & peace to all of you, Bob & Joan Seaman

Bob Seaman - February 29, 2016 at 09:02 PM

PR

“ Dear Janet.. So sorry to hear of Keith's Passing. You and your family in our thoughts and prayers...Pat and Becky Rothgery

Patrick Rothgery - February 29, 2016 at 08:24 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Keith B. Engler.



February 29, 2016 at 08:20 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Keith B. Engler.



February 29, 2016 at 07:54 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Keith B. Engler.



February 29, 2016 at 05:57 PM

NP

“ Janet & Family, I am so very sorry to hear of Keith's passing. I have fond memories of you and Keith at Relay and at the survivor's dinner. You have my deepest sympathy and will be in my thoughts and prayers. Sincerely, Nancy Perry

Nancy Perry - February 29, 2016 at 05:04 PM

CS

“ Dear Janet and Family - Our sympathy at this time. May the memories of Keith keep your hearts full forever....and May God grant you all peace. Sincerely, Carol and Andy Small

Carol Small - February 29, 2016 at 12:40 PM

KE

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kelly - February 29, 2016 at 10:05 AM

JS

What a great picture of a great guy. I wish I had gotten to know him better. What a huge loss of a brave and honorable community man.

Joe Steager - February 29, 2016 at 02:25 PM