



Kevin F. McCarthy

February 3, 1946 - September 24, 2019

Kevin F. McCarthy, 73, passed away September 24, 2019. His loving wife Susan Hurd McCarthy, who he was married to for 37 years, survives him, as well as daughters, Elly (Nolan) Harris, their children, Jack and Cole, Ashley (Bret Barker) McCarthy, and their children, Scout and Riley. Kevin is also survived by step-children, Jeffrey Moore, Scott and Tammy Moore, and their children, Madison and Bane; three brothers, Michael, Jeffrey, and Peter (Kelly), as well as numerous nieces and nephews also survive Kevin. He is a 4th generation Puebloan. He was a graduate of Central High and Colorado University. McCarthy had a long and distinguished career in funeral service. He entered the family business in 1972 with his father George. He left the business in 2005 and shortly after that became the CEO and President of Roselawn Funeral Home and Cemetery, which was the pride of his life. McCarthy was active in community affairs, most notably Parkview Hospital from 1978 to 1996, where he was the Starlight Gala honoree in 1991 and most recently Pueblo Water Board from 1988 to December 2019. He was a member of the Pikes Peak Range Riders. Mass of the Resurrection will be, 10:00am, Saturday, September 28, 2019 at St. Joseph Church. At the family's request no food or flowers. Memorial donations may be made in McCarthy's name to the Roselawn foundation. Online condolences can be made at roselawnpueblo.org

Previous Events

Mass of the Resurrection

SEP **28**. 10:00 AM (MT)

St. Joseph Church
1145 Aspen
Pueblo, CO

Tribute Wall

ER

“ Susan and family, I just heard of Kevin's passing and am so sad. Many of my nearly 50 years in funeral service were shared with Kevin at the helm, guiding, teaching, encouraging, and bringing out the best in everyone who shared this noble profession. I'll never forget him. Rest in God's peace, Kevin and "thank you".

Elgerine Ready - October 17, 2019 at 01:00 AM

GM

“ Susan and Family,
We are so sorry for your loss. Kevin was a very special man with an amazing personality. He was so well respected and willing to share his incredible knowledge with being involved in making Pueblo a better place to live. He will not only be missed by all of you but also by the many whose lives he touched. It was a privileged to know him and I will miss his friendly greetings with his vibrant smile and hugs.
May God bless you all with peace and comfort at this sad time.
Very sincerely,
Helen and Gordon Murley

Gordon and Helen Murley - October 08, 2019 at 04:06 PM

GP

“ Susan and Family, So sad to hear about Kevin. Many, many years ago during the Almont portion of Kevin's life, I was fortunate to have Kevin as my boss. (Don't tell Dave Dolsen, but Kevin was my favorite male boss!) Even though funerals are a serious business, I truly enjoyed my time working with Kevin, George, and Pete. What I learned in those 17 years really helped propel me in my future accounting career. I can still recite one of Kevin's many humorous limericks. We often heard more of them when he had a bit more to drink. (: We had many fun company parties. Kevin always seemed to find joy in life, so as you walk through this time of grief, take time to treasure the wonderful memorable moments that zany Kevin gave you! Love, Gayle Pettinari

Gayle Pettinari - October 06, 2019 at 02:43 PM

JF

“ Kevin was a funny guy. With a serious face he would make everybody laugh. I'm so sorry I didn't know he was sick. I saw him in the park with a dog a few years ago. We will all remember Kevin forever. Heartfelt condolences, Christy Furman

Jane Christy Furman - September 29, 2019 at 05:46 PM

LK

“ Dear Susan and Family:

My heartfelt condolences to you and the family. Kevin had a rare ability to make a person feel as if our presence was a joy to him. And then we simply wanted to hang around to rejoice in his smile and brilliant sense of humor. He will be missed. Truly, a special soul.

Linda Kirscht

Linda Kirscht - September 28, 2019 at 03:59 PM

JP

“ *Susan and Family*

Kevin was a special person who never failed to greet me with a "Hello Tiny". .

Over about a 3 year period in the early 80's he handled the funeral services for both my parents and my aunt and uncle. A difficult time that he helped me through with genuine grace and concern.

He was instrumental in asking me to join the Parkview Medical Board in 1984 and he was an incredible force in helping the hospital become a preferred provider in Pueblo.

Kevin always put "Pueblo First".

He will be missed.

John Panepinto

JOHN PANEPINTO - September 27, 2019 at 10:56 PM

CP

“ *Kevin was a very special person to me from the first time I met him as a student in my math class at Keating to the last time I saw him in his job at Roselawn. He was always helping other people achieve their needs. We were Kiwanians together and I appreciated his leadership with the youth programs. He treated my mother as if she was his wonderful Grandmother as they planned her funeral services. His delightful laugh and big smile lifted many a heart. I will cherish the memories I have of him until my last day.*

May the Lord bless your family during this difficult time.

A Friend, Curt Phillips

Curtis E Phillips - September 27, 2019 at 08:18 PM

AB

“ Susan and family, Kevin was a remarkable man. He always had a smile and was respected by so many people. Your family and all his friends will miss him as well as the Pueblo Community. The sadness of saying goodbye is the peace of knowing you're connected forever in love and Kevin is at peace. With our deepest sympathy, Alice and Orié

ALICE BIRCH - September 27, 2019 at 04:12 PM



“ Damn, Kev. You will be missed. Thank you for opening up a little sports bar and grill called "Andy McCarthy's" that turned out to be the best gift ever for Jon and me. Without you and others taking the step to make that place a reality, Jon and I never would have met. Jon would never would have had the opportunities for the next 10 years that he had. You were special. I will never forget how everytime you saw me, you managed to plant a kiss on my forehead in the same exact spot everytime and say, "What's up, kid?" We will have a Coors Light in your honor today. Thank you for everything.

Nikki Carter-Bougeno - September 26, 2019 at 06:38 PM

BK

“ To Susan and Kevin's family: Kevin is one of God's Special Souls. I considered it a special honor to be a friend of Kevin's. I will cherish the fun memories of being with my friends, Kevin and Susan. Those memories will bring a smile and a feeling of joy. Kevin lived a life of doing God's work here on earth.

Bob Kirscht - September 26, 2019 at 05:14 PM

LL

“ Susan, I just learned of Kevin's passing. So sorry for you and your family. I was witness to how happy he made you. 37 years! I know you will remember and cherish the numerous good times you had together. Take good care of yourself . I wish I could be in Colorado for the memorial service. Love, Lil Lash

Lillian Lash - September 26, 2019 at 02:42 PM

DO

“ I knew Kevin from the Almont days, that was many years ago. I worked under Kevin's direction until around 2005, and I'm still in the funeral industry because of him. He was my inspiration and mentor. He will be greatly missed by many.

Delphine Ortega - September 26, 2019 at 12:37 PM

JB

“ Kevin was my mentor, my teacher, and my friend. Kevin and his father George inspired me to begin a new career in funeral service in 1989, and I continue in the profession today. He was truly one-of-a-kind.

John Baker - September 25, 2019 at 11:23 PM

BM

“ Kevin was a special man , so much talent , he was caring , concerned , & willing to help out in any way he could , thoughts & prayers to the family & friends . RIP, he will be missed . Bob Marino

Bob Marino - September 25, 2019 at 09:15 PM

JP

Susan, Scott and all members of Kevin's family, Sending my sincere condolences to all of. Many prayers and sympathies . He was a very nice man and will be fondly remembered by all who knew him. May God comfort you in your time of grief. Many prayers and much love.
Jeanie Port

Jeanie Port - September 25, 2019 at 09:41 PM

SL

Susan, Scott, Jeff, Elly and Ashley and all of the family, my deepest condolences to you. Kevin was a wonderful, kind soul. I remember him always being excited and interesting when our paths crossed. Blessings and love to each and all of you.
Steven Laman

Steven Laman - September 26, 2019 at 10:57 AM

PS

Kevin had one of the best laughs ever. Thinking of all the family and friends he leaves behind.
Pattie Sweeney

Pattie Sweeney - September 27, 2019 at 01:05 AM

DW

I worked for George F. McCarthy Almont Funeral Home in the mid-70's while attending the then-University of Southern Colorado. What an honor it was to work for the legendary George McCarthy and his son, the now equally legendary Kevin McCarthy. They were true gentlemen and professionals who deeply loved Pueblo. --Dick Wadhams

Dick Wadhams - September 28, 2019 at 08:56 AM