



Kenneth V. Kroll

February 25, 2026

Kenny will be remembered for his kindness, calm presence and his uncanny ability to identify any General Motors car by year, make and model. He passed away on February 25, 2026, shortly after his 75th birthday. He was born on February 10, 1951 in Watertown Wisconsin. He grew up in Milwaukee and stayed in the great state Wisconsin his entire life.

He loved his family first and foremost. He never missed a family reunion in Antigo even though he never booked a hotel room in advance. Not one to perform willingly but you could always find him sitting front and center to cheer on the performances. He was a master of the Tillie cheer and had his glove ready for the family softball game. He is survived by his wife Betty (nee Allington) of 44 years, his daughter Jennifer and her husband Sean Behrens. He has two grandchildren, Everett, who inherited his grandpa's love of cars, and Miles, who is a spitting image of a little Kenny Kroll. He was very close with his siblings and spent every holiday celebrating together. His siblings include Jerry and his wife Carole Kroll, Karen and her husband Doug (aka Kenny's BFF) Anderson, Connie and her husband Rick Scherkenbach and Mike and his wife Shelby Kroll. He also has many nieces, nephews, cousins and family friends who will miss him dearly. He is now reunited with his parents Frank and Mille "Tootsie" Kroll.

He worked at Crest Cadillac for 43 years in the parts department. He's been

the proud owner of many different Cadillacs through the years. The most memorable being “Big Red”, his Cadillac Fleetwood 75 (The longest sedan ever made) and most recently his 1965 Cadillac Coupe de ville convertible. You could find him at car shows in the summer catching up with people he’s met in the car industry through the years.

Kenny loved being outside whether it was at the cabin on Post Lake, playing golf or watching the sunset from the back porch at his home in Elkhorn. He loved boating and was an expert driver for water skiing and tubing. As an avid Wisconsin sports fan, Kenny never missed a Brewers or a Packers game. Hopefully Uecker is still calling games so he can tune in when the Brewers play with his beloved dog Cody by his side and a Coca-Cola in hand.

To celebrate his life, please eat a Hershey bar while dancing to The Marshall Tucker Band. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the American Cancer Society.

Visitation Friday, March 13, 2026 from 10:00 – 11:00 AM at SAINT STEPHEN CATHOLIC CHURCH (1441 W. Oakwood Rd., Oak Creek) followed by the celebration of Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00 AM. Entombment St. Adalbert Cemetery.

Rozga Funeral & Cremation Services

Rozga-Walloch Chapel

414-281-7145

Cemetery Details

St. Adalbert Cemetery

3801 S. 6th Street
Milwaukee, WI 53221

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Stephen Church
1441 Oakwood Road
Oak Creek, WI 53154

Mass of Christian Burial

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Tribute Wall

RB

“ I knew Ken from his time at Crest Cadillac. I was a sales rep for Auto Parts & Service, one of the vendors Ken used. Ken was always honest and fair with me.
He shared stories with me about growing up on the far south side of Milwaukee where I also grew up.
Ken had an aura about him; a certain charisma. I'm certain that the gates of Heaven opened wide when Ken arrived.
Rest in peace,
Ray Biedrzycki

Raymond Biedrzycki - March 13 at 10:21 AM

TF

“ The Strange Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kenneth V. Kroll.



The Strange Family - March 11 at 08:42 PM

MM

“ We first met Ken and Betty when we purchased our lake home on Post Lake - directly next door to them. I knew right away that Ken was a special person. We instantly became friends and we spent countless hours together talking and laughing. There was no one who knew more about boats or cars. I eagerly anticipated every trip to the cabin hoping I would be able to see Ken. I will especially miss those times sitting on Ken's front porch, drinking coffee by the lake. We discussed everything - our love of cars, boating, golf or anything going on with his family or mine. He was genuinely interested in everything happening in my life and truly enjoyed our conversations. There will never be another person like Ken. I consider myself blessed to be lucky enough to spend time with him. Rest peacefully my friend. Enjoy the smooth waters, convertible weather and endless lush fairways and greens.

Mike Misterek - March 09 at 10:07 PM

MF

“ Mark and Charlotte Banczak and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kenneth V. Kroll.

Mark and Charlotte Banczak and family - March 09 at 06:47 PM

MF

“ Mark and Charlotte Banczak and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Kenneth V. Kroll.



Mark and Charlotte Banczak and family - March 09 at 06:47 PM

DS

“ We will miss Ken driving thru the neighborhood each spring when the Cadillac came out of winter storage! The smile on Ken's face was priceless! We are so blessed to have neighbors like Ken and Betty! We will have to have a campfire and listen to Marshall Tucker Band and eat a Hershey Bar in your honor Ken! God Bless and rest in peace! Love The Stevers

Dixie and Matt Stever - March 08 at 10:22 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Kenneth V. Kroll.



March 07 at 11:47 AM

LC

“ Love, Sam Cox planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kenneth V. Kroll.

Love, Sam Cox - March 07 at 11:10 AM

LC

“ Love, Sam Cox purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kenneth V. Kroll.



Love, Sam Cox - March 07 at 11:10 AM

GG

“ *The first day I met Ken @ King Cadillac when I was working at Nelson Bros. Pontiac next door, there was an immediate click. His passion for cars was shared by mine and grew to a positive relationship. Ken and Betty shared their trust in myself allowing me to guide them through their real estate needs as their family developed. Always a smile and a positive outlook - a true gentleman and quality human being - until we meet again may you rest in peace my friend. Greg Gensch*

Greg Gensch - March 03 at 01:55 PM