



Eric L. Kershner

April 20, 1944 - February 27, 2023

Eric L. Kershner, 78, passed away on Monday, February 27, 2023, in Sebring, Florida after living with Parkinson's for 8 years.

Eric was born on April 20, 1944, in Williamsport, PA to William Allen and Irene Ellis Kershner.

Eric was a proud member of the Towanda High School Class of 1963 and subsequently served with the U.S. Army from 1964 to 1966. Eric worked for E.I. Dupont for 34 years before retiring in 2001 when he enjoyed wintering in Sebring.

Eric was a PIAA umpire for high school softball, PIAA referee for high school volleyball and a volunteer umpire for Little League softball for many years. He was very proud of being chosen to be an umpire for the State Softball finals in Chambersburg, PA.

Eric is survived by the love of his life, his wife, Gaile of 53 years, daughter, Julie Wickwire (Tracey), son Benjamin Kershner, grandsons, Myles & Wesley Kershner and Jason Wickwire, brother and sister-in-law Allen (Midge)

Kershner, sister-in-law, Gayle Kershner, sister-in-law Rebecca Alexander, sister-in-law & brother-in-law Gwen (Chip) Lee, sister-in-law Joan Taylor, brother-in-law Gary Foster along with many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Eric was preceded in death by his parents, William & Irene Kershner, In-laws Nathan & Viola Benjamin, brothers, George (Hoppi) and Edward Kershner, sisters, Yvonne Betts and Lucille Buffington, sister-in-law Alice Foster, and brother-in-law Wayne Alexander.

Eric was a lifetime member of the Towanda Elks Club, Towanda American Legion, Beirne-Webster VFW Post #1568, Sebring AM Vets Post 21 and the Towanda Gun Club.

The family suggest that contributions be directed to The Liberty Corners Church, c/o Gwen Lee, 91 Hill Road, Towanda, PA 18848 in memory of Eric L. Kershner.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Dowden Funeral Home of Sebring. Celebration of Life and Interment will be done at the convenience of the family.

Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting www.bowenfuneralhomes.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Eric L. Kershner*

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *Eric L. Kershner*

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *Eric L. Kershner*

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *Eric L. Kershner*

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ *Eric L. Kershner*

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM

JR

“ Our deepest sympathy to Gaile & the entire Kershner family on the loss of Eric. I (Sandy) lived across the street from Bill & Irene Kershner & grew up with their children. I have a lot of fond memories of those days. I will always appreciate Eric & Gaile having the reunion of the second-ward kids several years ago. it was so good to see everyone. Eric was loved by many people & will never be forgotten.

All our love!

Jim and Sandy (Dunfee) Ross

Jim & Sandy Ross - March 29, 2023 at 10:00 PM

JD

“ So many fun nights sitting on the front steps just hanging out as kids, one of my closest friends growing up. Rest in peace Eric! Yogi Dunn

J. David Dunn - March 21, 2023 at 05:20 PM

PT

“ Peggy and lit a candle in memory of Eric Kershner



Peggy and Tom - March 21, 2023 at 08:50 AM

KL

“ So sorry about this loss of Eric. I'm sure that he will be missed!

Kathy LeStrange - March 04, 2023 at 12:22 PM

WP

“ Gail, my thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family for the loss of your love one. Eric will be missed.

Wayne Persun - March 04, 2023 at 09:54 AM

VS

“ Please accept our deepest sympathies.

VFW Post 1536 Sayre - March 03, 2023 at 05:20 PM

MS

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. With all our sympathy. Fred and Muisje

margueriet and fred Smith - March 03, 2023 at 12:47 PM

DS

“ Gaile and family so sorry for your loss, my prayers and thoughts are with you. Dorothy Shay Sauro

Dorothy Shay Sauro - March 03, 2023 at 10:21 AM

DS

“ Dorothy Sauro lit a candle in memory of Eric Kershner



Dorothy Shay Sauro - March 03, 2023 at 10:04 AM