



## Mr. Kurt Mackey

June 9, 1949 - June 11, 2024

Mr. Kurt Lee Mackey, Sr., 75, of Peoria, IL passed at 9:53 am on Tuesday, June 11, 2024 at his residence surrounded by his family.

Kurt was born on June 9, 1949 in Canton, IL to Azell and Herscile Louise (Tyler) Mackey. He graduated from Canton High School. Kurt was known for his ability to play State Park Baseball. Kurt excelled athletically in baseball and softball in his later years. He acted as a volunteer football coach in Canton, IL. He was known for street racing every now and then. He bought his '70 Chevelle off the lot. Kurt's other hobbies included bowling, fishing and cooking. He enjoyed spending time with his family and watching them enjoy themselves he always said "It warmed his heart." His main purpose in life was loving and spending time with his kids.

Kurt leaves to cherish his precious memories one daughter, Kurshawna Mackey of Hazelwood, MO; three sons, Kurt Mackey, Tyler Johnson and Kevon Lee Mackey all of Peoria, IL; two sisters, Anita (the Rev. Monroe) Bailey and Lynn (Scott) Wirebaugh both of Canton, IL; two brothers, Samuel Mackey and Joe Mackey both of Canton, IL; 11 grandchildren; his special friend, Carolyn Reynolds; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends who adored him. He is preceded in death by his parents; one son, Todd R. Mackey; one grandson, Tramell Mackey; one son-in-law, Amon R. West; two sisters and one brother.

A private memorial service will be held by the family.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with the arrangements. Online condolences may be made at [simonsmortuary.com](http://simonsmortuary.com)

# Tribute Wall

KP

“ Rest in peace Kurt. So many funny and happy memories from our days in Canton.

*Larry and Karen Pickett*

Karen Pickett - July 06, 2024 at 08:26 AM

JJ

*What a sad time. I knew Kurt since we were boys. I am going to miss my friend I was last at his house about 3 months ago .and his son was there ,he said he was not expected to live long made me very sad,I am going to miss Kurt,what Great Life,of memories with him,i learned,about his passing today from my uncle,Phil offutt,he was Told by Mike,i Loved Kurt as a brother and Family ,Friend as i do all those Great Friends the Mackey's .Going to very much miss you old Buddy.*

James Offutt Jr - August 11, 2024 at 05:20 PM

VK

“ To the family of Kurt Mackey - You have my deepest sympathy for the loss of your loved one. I've known Kurt since we were kids. He was always a good natured person. We had lots of fun. He will be missed. May God grant him rest and you peace and comfort.



Vickie Kingcade-King - July 01, 2024 at 03:48 PM

AN

“ Anita younger sister, Kurt was always getting in trouble or getting one of us. One day he made me so mad I through a hair brush at him, but I love you.

Anita - June 29, 2024 at 02:49 PM

PA

“ To my Cousin Anita Bailey and family, my heart go out to you all in your time of loss.. God will always give you the strength and to carry you like He always has done.. My condolences and prayers.. Hugs, Love you all



Pamela - June 27, 2024 at 10:48 PM

SH

“ We always enjoyed talking to Kurt he always had something to say you will be missed love you all

Susette/nick halbert@family - June 27, 2024 at 07:16 PM

CT

“ Met you in Mrs. King's first grade classroom at Hulit School. You were always great to be around and I envied your basketball skills. The world will be a little smaller without you. I have no doubt we will share great memories of you at the 55th reunion in August. Love and memories, Kurt!

Charlie Taraboletti - June 27, 2024 at 05:34 PM

PP

“ Sending our condolences to the Mackey family. Kurt will truly be missed. 🙏

George & Patsy Lewis

Patricia Pickett-Lewis - June 27, 2024 at 02:46 PM

JT

“ Fly High Kurt, Fly High. The Family is well with God's choosing. Rest Easy you will be missed ❤️💕

Judy Taylor - June 27, 2024 at 02:18 PM

KA

“ Karen Ashby sent a virtual gift in memory of Kurt Mackey



Karen Ashby - June 27, 2024 at 01:01 AM

CR

“ Take your Rest Kurt I will forever cherish our memories that we shared  
Love you always your  
Carolyn❤️

Carolyn Reynolds - June 26, 2024 at 12:28 PM



“ Vicky Gagliardi lit a candle in memory of Mr. Kurt Mackey



Vicky Gagliardi - June 25, 2024 at 12:46 AM



“ I will miss you my friend RIP

Vicky Gagliardi - June 25, 2024 at 12:44 AM

CR

“ Take your rest Kurt I will always cherish the moments and memories that we shared together ❤️



Carolyn Reynolds - June 24, 2024 at 06:03 PM

DH

Praying for the family

Delores Humes - July 02, 2024 at 07:57 AM

AL

“ Annette Lucy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Kurt Mackey



Annette Lucy - June 24, 2024 at 12:59 PM



“ Lloyd Eldon Leezer Jr. lit a candle in memory of Mr. Kurt Mackey



Lloyd Eldon Leezer Jr. - June 23, 2024 at 02:41 PM

RF

“ *Rena Webster Horton & Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Kurt Mackey*



**Rena Webster Horton & Family** - June 21, 2024 at 07:02 PM

SH

*He a good man*

**Sam hicks** - June 24, 2024 at 02:24 AM

SH

*Rip Big Kurt Mackey*

**Sam hicks** - June 24, 2024 at 02:25 AM

SJ

*Great Friend*

**Sidney Carey Jr.** - June 25, 2024 at 12:51 PM

AP

*Well packman..you had a good run..you lived it ..how you wanted to..we had some good times man...never a dull moment with Kurt Mackey... I'll catch some socolie for you.. rest on brother... we ain't far behind you...never did have that suduko contest...later brah.....*

**Al Petty** - July 02, 2024 at 08:39 AM