



Karl Edward Zimmerman

May 18, 1933 - January 3, 2019

Karl Edward Zimmerman, age 85, of Jeffersonville, IN, formerly of Henderson, KY and Evansville, IN passed away peacefully at 7:35 a.m. Thursday, January 3, 2019 at Hillcrest Village in Jeffersonville, IN.

He was born May 18, 1933, in Belleville, Illinois to Fred and Mary (Mattern) Zimmerman and was the youngest of six siblings. At a young age the family moved to Bakersfield, CA. He graduated in 1951 from Graces Memorial High School. He worked as sales manager at Archway Cookies in Corona, CA from 1955 to 1961. He had a special interest in training horses which brought him to a local stable where he met his future wife, Ginny Clay. They were married on June 22, 1958 in Los Angeles, CA. and together they had 2 children and lived in Norco, CA. The family moved in 1961 with an opportunity to train cutting horses at the Hulling Ranch in Smithton, IL. In 1966 they moved to Evansville, IN where he worked his way up from salesman to Vice President of Schroeders Wholesale. By 1972 they bought 12 acres in Robards, KY, built a house and eventually a successful dog training and boarding kennel business, Misty Acres Kennel, which they ran for 33 years. With his love of jazz music, he became involved with Old Dam Community Band, traveling and playing with the band on many occasions to special events. The saxophone was his favorite instrument, however he also played clarinet, piano, and flute. Karl was preceded in death by his parents Frederick and Mary Zimmerman and siblings.

He is survived by his former wife Ginny of Yorba Linda, CA, daughter Terri

Johnson (Harlan) of Chewelah, WA, son Patrick Zimmerman (Robin) of Jeffersonville, IN, and 4 grandchildren; Ryan, Jenny, Walker, and Landon. Relatives and friends are invited to Karl's Life Celebration from 10:00 a.m. until the service time on Friday, January 11, 2019 at Benton-Glunt Funeral Home in Henderson, KY. The funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday at the funeral home with Father Bernie Etienne officiating. Burial will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Henderson, KY.

Expressions of sympathy may take form of contributions to Southern Care Hospice, 3602 Northgate Ct #27, New Albany, IN 47150.

Arrangements entrusted to Benton-Glunt Funeral Home, A Life Celebration® Home, online condolences may be made at www.bentonglunt.com

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

8136 Highway 2084 S
Henderson, KY 42420
(270) 826-9623
roselawn@ccol.net
<http://www.bentonglunt.com/>

Previous Events

Life Celebration

JAN 11. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt Funeral Home
629 S. Green Street
Henderson, KY 42420

Funeral Service

JAN 11. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Karl Edward Zimmerman*



Benton-Glunt Funeral Home - January 17, 2019 at 12:09 PM



“ *Karl Edward Zimmerman*

November 29, 2022 at 08:01 AM



“ *Karl was a very pleasant individual & we send our sympathy to the family. Fred & Wanda Barnett*

Fred & Wanda Barnett - January 11, 2019 at 12:27 PM



“ *Corky was a kind and gentle soul. He was loved by all who worked for him. My sympathy to his family. Katy Corson Castle*

Kaye Castle - January 10, 2019 at 08:37 PM



“ 69 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Benton-Glunt Funeral Home - January 10, 2019 at 01:11 PM



“ *Roman Zimmerman's Children purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Karl Edward Zimmerman.*



Roman Zimmerman's Children - January 08, 2019 at 01:59 PM



“ *The children of Marie Zimmerman Hulling purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Karl Edward Zimmerman.*



The children of Marie Zimmerman Hulling - January 08, 2019 at 12:38 PM

MM

“ I met Karl through the dog community. He was always so generous with his time and his knowledge of dog training. I will miss him very much..

Mary Mullen - January 08, 2019 at 08:39 AM

KP

“ I had the pleasure of knowing Karl from meeting in the dog world. What an awesome trainer he was. I will always treasure the times we trained together and learned, oh he was such a good teacher too!! I'm so very sorry for your loss of Karl, my thoughts are with the family.

Kara Paul - January 07, 2019 at 09:49 PM

CB

“ I met Karl in 1995 or 1996 when I first moved to Henderson from NC. At first we did tracking together and then when I got a Labrador we spent many hours training in the field. He was a great help and didn't mind helping with anything. Loved listening to his stories about his artistic grandson and his former riding days. He will be missed.

Catherine Blackburn - January 07, 2019 at 08:05 PM

BS

Karl was my Uncle Karl. I will always lovingly and fondly remember him as such a kind and gentle man ... two attributes I most admire in anyone. I will miss him but know he is home with his parents and siblings. Love you, Uncle Karl. Barb

Barbra Schulte - January 07, 2019 at 09:44 PM