



## Kenneth Leroy Kelley

March 23, 1946 - February 19, 2025

Kenneth Kelley, age 78, entered into his eternal rest on Wednesday, February 19, 2025, at his home in Springfield, LA. Known to all as Kelley, he was born in Jamestown, NY, on March 23, 1946, to his parents, the late Duane Newton Kelley and Evelyn May Prosser Kelley.

Kelley was the devoted husband of 52 years to the late Dora Kelley and the proud father of Doreen E. Kelley and Alisha Marie Kelley. He was the loving grandfather of Kenneth (Haley) Hart, Kelley Baham, and Karley Baham.

He was a man of few words as he would sit quietly by observing the world around him and snickering. His favorite pastime was watching NASCAR racing. Always and forever a Richard Petty fan, he even had a Petty blue colored van. His favorite pastimes were relaxing at Big B's Lounge with his wife and friends and barbecuing with his family.

After serving in the Air Force, he found his way to Louisiana and met the love of his life, Dora. He retired as the furniture repair and delivery man from Cort Furniture Rental in Baton Rouge, LA.

Besides his parents, Kelley was also preceded in death by his wife, Doraldena Coats Kelley; brothers, Duane Richard Kelley and Leon Warren Kelley; sisters, Shirley Lee Kelley Colter and Doreen Delinda Kelley.

He is survived by his daughters, Doreen E. Kelley and Alisha Marie Kelley; grandchildren, Kenneth (Haley) Hart, Kelley Baham, and Karley Baham; sisters, Sharon Peck, Sandy Simon, Delinda Cline, Dora Hogle, numerous nieces & nephews, dear friend, Erin March, and other relatives and friends.

A cremation was held and per his request, there will be no public services.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Best daddy ever thank you Lord for letting me be his daughter* ❤️

**Alisha Kelley** - February 26, 2025 at 04:15 PM



“ *Dear Family in Louisiana,wish I could be there with you all at this time.  
Ken I'll always be 11 years younger than you as you always reminded me that you were 11 years older than me. I'll miss you and forever remember all the times we've had with the rest of the family. Give my love to all in Heaven . I love you Big Brother .. your little sister Dora Hogle*

**Dora Hogle** - February 26, 2025 at 03:45 PM



**Alisha Kelley** - February 26, 2025 at 04:12 PM



“ *Dora Hogle lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Leroy Kelley*



**Dora Hogle** - February 26, 2025 at 03:40 PM

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“ Sharon Peck lit a candle in memory of  
Kenneth Leroy Kelley



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**Sharon Peck** - February 26, 2025 at 03:21 PM

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“ My Dear Brother Ken ❤️ You will Forever be in My Heart ❤️ Big  
Hugs to My Louisiana Family

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**Sharon Peck** - February 26, 2025 at 03:21 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family.

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**Julie Arnold** - February 24, 2025 at 09:58 AM