



Rev. Kenneth R. York

April 12, 1939 - November 19, 2018

Rev. Kenneth R. York, 79, of Port St. Lucie, FL passed away on November 19, 2018 at St. Lucie Medical Center after an extended illness. His family was at his side.

He was born on April 12, 1939 in New Castle, Indiana to the late Truman Lewis and Verta (Dobbs) York.

He grew up in New Castle, attended N.C. High School and Indian River College in Fort Pierce, FL. He was a U.S. Marine Veteran.

He operated a Roofing and Painting business in the Fort Pierce area for many years. He also retired from the St. Lucie Nuclear Plant.

He was Pastor and Founder of Sound the Alarm Outreach Ministries. He had a presentation of the Book of Revelations he showed in many churches. He loved going on mission trips.

He was a devoted husband and father. He loved family gatherings, golfing, fishing and riding his bike.

He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Julia Bernice (Shelton) York; 1 daughter, Tina (Rick) Macklem of Fort Pierce, FL; 2 sons, Kenneth (Acha) York, Jr. of Port St. Lucie, FL and Jimmy York of Vero Beach, FL; 5 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; sister, Carol (Pete) Freeman of Warsaw, IN; sister-in-law, Pat York of Etna Green, IN; several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and 1 brother, Ron York.

A Celebration of His Life will be held at a later date.

Comments



“ So sorry to hear that Ken York passed away. I will miss seeing him and his wife across the street in the summer time.



Nancy Antle - December 07 at 10:16 AM



“ I remember walking into the church for the first time and being just warmly welcomed! Pastor York was such a great man and always so kind. I also remember waking up from my appendix surgery to him sitting by my bed holding my hand. We prayed together and he just brought comfort back to me when I was terrified. Alex, I am so sorry for your loss!! My heart truly goes out to you!



Brian Oldham - December 05 at 03:25 PM



“ My heart goes out to you guys Uncle Ken was it awesome man he's off to his wife he loved his children but most of all he was a man of God rest in peace Uncle Ken now you're in no more pain I pray for your family until I see you again

Ann York - December 02 at 05:51 AM



“ Kenny Jr : So sorry to hear about your Dad. Not sure if you remember me from Westwood HS 79-81. God bless you & your family.



Narlenne Peterson Beddingfield - December 01 at 01:37 PM



“ Bro. Ken was a wonderful ,Godly man who loved everyone he met ! We will always be grateful for the time we spent with him and knew him as our pastor ... Rest with Jesus Bro. Kenyou earned it !! Our condolences to the family Leonard and Joan Tungate

Joan Tungate - December 01 at 09:56 AM



“ So sorry to hear of Kenneth's passing. May God give Your Family Strength to cope with Your loss.
Kenneth was a very caring and compassionate life.
I will always remember the kind things he did for me.
May Kenneth Rest in Eternal Peace.
My sincere condolences to the York Family.
Joan Vescera

Joan Vescera - December 01 at 08:03 PM



“ Jane York Kuhn sends her condolences and she was very sad to hear of Kenny's passing.
Prayers to the family

Lisa Patterson - December 01 at 10:36 PM



“ One of my fav stories K en told me about was when he was in South America, he was so scared of snakes he could hardly sleep because the hut he stayed in had big spaces between the slats in the floor,He went to sleep and God showed him a vison of a whole row of snakes thrown over a board with their heads cut off. He said he was never afraid of them after that. God watched over him on every missionary trip. Tears come to my eyes when I remember him talking about a village way back in the jungle that every one of them were saved. I know why God sent him.

Carol Freeman - December 02 at 08:28 PM



“ Kenneth York was one of my very favorite first cousins. He was one of the kindest human beings I have ever met. I have so many good memories including about four years ago when he rode down to Kentucky with another cousin and me. We had a cousin's reunion in Albany where our fathers came from. A little more than a year ago I had the pleasure to drive him to Warsaw to visit his dear mother, Verta. We had such a good day visiting with his mom and sister and brother-in-law. I also got to work with him on translating his book

into Spanish (with the help of a man in Mexico City.) Kenneth was so happy to have that done so he could share the truth with the Spanish speaking population in his area. Bernice and family, I am so sorry for your loss and our loss in the entire York family. I know we will meet him again someday in the not too distant future.RIP dear cousin.

Barbara York Durbin - December 05 at 07:09 PM