



Kevin Joseph Kelly Sr.

June 29, 1948 - February 10, 2021

Kevin Joseph Kelly, Sr., 72, of Eatontown, New Jersey, passed away on February 10, 2021. Born and raised in Brooklyn, New York, Kevin was the son of Thomas and Leona Kelly. After high school, Kevin honorably served in the Navy from 1965 to 1969. Kevin started a long, successful career with Brookdale Community College as an operating engineer running the college's HVAC system. Kevin was an active member and previously served as the commander of the American Legion in Highlands, New Jersey.

Kevin had a wit about him, always making people laugh, having a comeback locked and loaded. His battle with serious medical issues in recent years showed his courage in facing life challenges with a smile. Despite the pain, Kevin stayed strong until the end. His love for his family was unwavering, he adored his grandchildren and loved to tell knock knock jokes to make them giggle. He was a great cook, always making sure to have holiday dinners for his family and cleaning up the pile of dishes afterwards. Kevin always had candy to give out and would send his grandchildren home with bags of goodies and smiles on their faces. Kevin's sense of humor and love for his family will be forever missed.

Kevin was predeceased by his beloved wife Maureen. He is survived by five children Danielle Wingender, Kevin Kelly, Jr, Brian Kelly and his spouse Amy Kelly, Shaun Kelly, and Justin McManus; and grandchildren Aiden and Alyssa Kelly.

A private memorial service will be held in his honor. In lieu of flowers, donations in Kevin's memory may be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital. For online condolences, please visit Kevin's memorial page at www.bongarzonefuneralhome.com

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