



## Kenneth Arthur Bernhardt

October 30, 1946 - October 6, 2012

Kenneth "Ken" A. Bernhardt, 65, of Lanexa, VA passed away Saturday, October 6, 2012.

He retired from the US Navy as Senior Chief submariner. Ken was very active in Boy Scout Troop #340 serving as Scoutmaster.

Ken is survived by his wife of 25 years, Kathy Bernhardt; two sons, Peter and Erik Bernhardt; a daughter, Inge Bernhardt; three grandchildren, Ethan, Mason and Lila; three sisters, three brothers, many nieces, nephews and many dear friends. Ken will be greatly missed.

A funeral mass will be held 2 p.m. Friday, October 12th at Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, 3570 King William Avenue, West Point, VA 23181. Burial will follow in St. Theresa Cemetery. The family will receive friends 6 to 8 p.m., Thursday, October 11th with a Christian vigil at 7 p.m. at Vincent Funeral Home & Cremation Service, 417 11th Street, West Point, VA 23181.

Memorials may be made to Boy Scout Troop #340, 1078 Chelsea Road, RT 635, West Point, VA 23181.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Theresa's Cemetery

2400 King William Avenue  
West Point, VA 23181

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 11. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Vincent Funeral Home, West Point Chapel  
417 11th St  
West Point, VA 23181  
(804) 843-2550

## Service

OCT 12. 2:00 PM (ET)

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church  
3570 King William Avenue  
West Point, VA 23181

# Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Kathy, I was stunned and saddened to hear about the loss of your husband Ken. My heart aches for you and your family at this time. You and your family will be in my prayers.  
Kristine Torrez

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**Kristine Torrez** - October 11, 2012 at 08:35 PM

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**Sarah Neale** - October 10, 2012 at 07:40 PM

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**Sarah Neale** - October 10, 2012 at 02:51 PM

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“ 25 files added to the album Boy Scout Troop 340



Bill Neale - October 10, 2012 at 12:28 PM

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“ Kathy,

*We will miss Ken so very much and want to thank you for sharing his time with us and all of Boy Scout Troop 340. Ken was one of the most selfless and giving men I have had the honor of calling a friend. Whether giving for the cross-country team, the scouts, or in service to his country, Ken was always there. I am grateful for knowing him and will hold dear the many memories and conversations with him; Ken was always great company.*

*Peter,*

*Your Dad and I had hours and hours of conversation about you. He was so proud of you. We both admire your strength, determination, and character. You are his legacy and he will always be with you in spirit. Let your love for your father guide you in every decision you will make in the future. Please know that our family is yours and we are here for you.*

*Bill, Sarah, Matthew, and Lauren Neale*

Bill Neale - October 10, 2012 at 11:57 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Kenneth Arthur Bernhardt.*



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October 10, 2012 at 06:40 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Kenneth Arthur Bernhardt.*



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October 09, 2012 at 06:56 AM



“ *Dearest Kathy and Peter;  
I just heard through the OLMC grapevine about Ken. I am shocked and so very saddened about this. Your husband, Kathy, and your father, Peter, was a very good man. One of the best that I met during my time at OLMC. The love and pride he had for his family just shone like beams of light from every pore of his being. What a blessing he was. I plan on being at the funeral mass. You are in my heartfelt prayers.  
Susan Maddox*

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**Susan Maddox** - October 08, 2012 at 12:33 PM

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*Kathy, my heart aches for you, Peter, and the rest of the family. I was stunned to hear of Ken's passing.*

*Peter, know that his smile and wonderful attitude live on in you. Kathy, you were blessed to have had those wonderful twenty five years with him. Prayers and hugs to you.*

*Pete Prucha*

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**Merrilyn Prucha** - October 11, 2012 at 08:46 AM