



Donald Kent Owings (DK)

May 14, 1950 - May 27, 2025

Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch

After a battle not fighting, but living with cancer, Donald Kent (D.K.) Owings, 75, of Byhalia, MS passed away on Tuesday, May 27, 2025. Friends are invited to a visitation with the family on Monday, June 2, 2025 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. with U.S. Army Military Honors observed at noon, all at Coleman Funeral Home. Interment will be at a later date at West Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery.

D.K. was born on May 14, 1950 in Tipton County, TN to June and Oscar Owings. He was a graduate of Frayser High School in Memphis, TN. D.K. attended U.T. Martin before serving honorably in the United States Army during the Vietnam War. D.K. was employed with the Canadian National Railroad at the time of his retirement. He lived a life full of adventure whether it was riding his Harley, spending time camping or kayaking, or running and competing in triathlons. D.K. also found pleasure in quiet moments reading, composing short stories, listening to music, and time spent with his four-legged friends.

Left to cherish D.K.'s memory are his sisters, Charlotte Owings Brawley Mason of Paducah, KY and Amy Owings Shilling of Bartlett, TN; his brother, Mike Owings (Glenda) of Bay St. Louis, MS; brother/best friend, Tanios "Tony"

Kareh, and an abundance of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends from Tony's Market.

D.K. was preceded in death by his mother, June Duke Owings; father, Oscar Curtis Owings; and his sister, Janet Lammey Owings Howell.

In lieu of traditional flowers, the family requests that donations be made in D.K.'s honor to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital (www.stjude.org).

In honor of D.K. Owing's service to our country, the flag of the United States Army will be flown at Coleman Funeral Home on the day of the services.

Online condolences can be left on D.K.'s tribute page at www.colemanfuneralhomeob.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 2. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



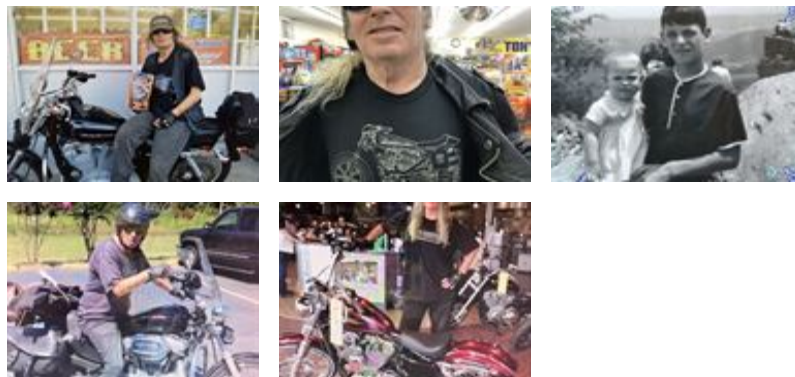
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