



## Douglas Kull

September 12, 1951 - July 17, 2024

Douglas Kull, 72, of Louisville Kentucky passed away on July 17, 2024, surrounded by family. He was born to Imogene and James Kull on September 12, 1951, in Beech Grove, Indiana. He moved to Jeffersontown KY in 1959. He was a graduate of Eastern High School class of 1969. Douglas married the love of his life Janet Ford on January 23, 1982. He worked in the printing ink industry for over 40 years. He was in sales and co-owned National Printing Ink, later Hostmann Steinberg. He was an active member of Christ Lutheran for over 60 years. For many of those years he played on the men's softball team, men's bowling league and was head usher at 8:30 service. He enjoyed gardening, playing poker with friends and had a love of IndyCar racing. He attended 51 Indianapolis 500 races. He was preceded in death by his parents, Douglas is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, Janet Kull; daughter, Melissa Turpen (Nick); son, Christopher Kull (Laura); granddaughters, Molly & Nora, and step grandchildren Connor & Peyton; brother, Michael Kull (Kathy), many nieces and nephews and a host of family and friends. Visitation will be from 2-8pm on Tuesday, July 23, 2024, at Owen Funeral Home 9218 Taylorsville Road, Louisville KY 40299. Funeral service will be at 10am on Wednesday, July 24, 2024, at Christ Lutheran Church with burial at Grove Hill cemetery in Shelbyville Kentucky. Expressions of sympathy can be made to his church Christ Lutheran in Jeffersontown, Kentucky.

# Cemetery Details

## Grove Hill Cemetery

Shelbyville, KY 40065

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 23. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Owen Funeral Home-Jeffersontown  
9318 Taylorsville Road  
Louisville, KY 40299  
(502) 266-9655

## Funeral Service

JUL 24. 10:00 AM (ET)

Christ Lutheran Church  
9212 Taylorsville Road  
Louisville, KY 40299

# Tribute Wall

JT

“ Janet T. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Douglas Kull.

Janet T. - July 23, 2024 at 12:37 PM

GJ

“ So sorry for your loss, my thought and prayer are with all the family !! Doug was a very special man!! Always had a smile and a pleasant word for all .Ginny Jones.



Ginny Jones - July 22, 2024 at 09:25 PM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Douglas Kull.



July 22, 2024 at 07:47 AM

HU

“ Huffs planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Douglas Kull.

Huffs - July 22, 2024 at 07:47 AM

MF

“ Michael and Tina Faulkenberg purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Douglas Kull.



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Michael and Tina Faulkenberg - July 21, 2024 at 09:47 AM

MF

“ Michael and Tina Faulkenberg planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Douglas Kull.

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Michael and Tina Faulkenberg - July 21, 2024 at 09:47 AM

SB

“ Sandra and Bettie purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Douglas Kull.



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Sandra and Bettie - July 20, 2024 at 06:05 PM

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“ Sandra and Bettie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Douglas Kull.

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Sandra and Bettie - July 20, 2024 at 06:05 PM

LS

“Wow ! I was 6 when I met Doug and lived next to his family until we both moved out on our own. We played until late in the night, hide n seek, catchers, army too Vicki and I were nurses. We waded in the creek, caught fireflies and walked the tracks. In the winter we walked on frozen water and had snowball fights - mostly we had fun!

He loved dogs and so did we - I can see his Boston terrier Puddles I think was its name.

Doug was a great friend and I have so many great memories of him! When I graduated from College his gift to me was the Indi500 a great memory of a fun day! When my college roommates decided we should travel out west - but our parents were afraid for us to head out just 3 girls - so I asked Doug and my cousin Tommy to go with us - we had a blast and could never imagine the fun we experienced from Colorado to LasVegas we camped and created our own adventure! 13 states in 21 days - Doug was calm and steady with 3 crazy girls - it was one of the best experiences of my life.

When I think of Doug I think of childhood gone by and a forever friend ! The quiet days of summer and the kindness of the Kull boys! Interesting as well Doug and I both were in very bad car accidents the same summer I was always so grateful he was protected by the Lord on that day - we would have lost a very kind good man of God. But today I am so relieved he is no longer in pain and his family will be able to rest in the blessing they will see him again.

I am probably only sad that life creates distance and we lose contact with each other but to his family - I was so lucky to call Doug my friend!

Linda Reid Schweickhardt

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**linda schweickhardt** - July 20, 2024 at 05:17 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Douglas Kull.* ”



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July 20, 2024 at 02:29 PM