



Kirk J. Tuttle

May 3, 1958 - June 12, 2019

Kirk Joseph Tuttle was born on May 3, 1958, in Spokane, WA to Jim and Gloria Tuttle. He married Kristin K. Cameron on Sept. 13, 1980, in Goldendale, WA. Kirk graduated from Goldendale High School and then Central Washington University with a Bachelor of Arts degree. He worked in banking 30+ years, the majority of those at Washington Trust Bank in Wenatchee.

Kirk is survived by his wife Kristin. Daughters: Kaycie Tuttle, Katlynn Hedgecock (Nick) and Karinne Whitehall (Grant). Grandchildren: Bo, McKenna, Quinn, Easton, Eli and Rigden. Siblings: Mark Tuttle, Diane Lowe (Royce), Jeff Tuttle (Lynn), Vickie Short (Mike) and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Jimmy.

Funeral mass will be held at Holy Apostles Church in East Wenatchee on Thursday, June 20, 2019, at 1:00 pm preceded by a rosary at 12:30 pm. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to Alatheia Riding Center or the charity of your choice.

Kirk always enjoyed sports and played football and baseball in high school. He coached many of his daughters' softball, basketball and soccer teams. He loved hunting and fishing and enjoyed many trips with friends and family. He was a 30+ year member of Holy Apostles Parish, a member a Knights of

Columbus, Exchange Club and United Way.

Kirk was an amazing family man. He loved his daughters so much and was a wonderful provider. He loved coaching and thought very highly of all the girls he coached and their families became part of our family. After his girls were grown, he enjoyed coaching first and second grade girls basketball.

We are thankful for all the special memories he provided our family including vacations, AAU and select soccer trips, hunting with the girls, family and extended family times. He was a special man who truly enjoyed people and never knew a stranger.

To be greatly loved by your wife, girls and grand kids was what he was most thankful for and we who loved him, including friends and extended family, are so thankful and comforted he is with our precious Lord now, safe and watching over us. He will always be in our hearts.

Previous Events

Mass

JUN **20**. 1:00 PM (PT)

Holy Apostles Catholic Church
1315 8th Street
East Wenatchee, WA 98802
(509) 884-5444
<http://www.holyapostlesew.tripod.com>

Tribute Wall

GB

“ Greg Brault lit a candle in memory of Kirk J. Tuttle



Greg Brault - June 25, 2019 at 09:09 PM

PT

“ Kristi, Kaycie, Katlynn, Karinne,
We were so sorry to read of Kirk's passing. We have many fond memories of you all when Katlynn and Randee played select soccer for Kurt and Kari. Kirk was a fun guy to be around. We are so sorry for your loss.

Pat, Kacee and Randee Tomchick

Pat Tomchick - June 24, 2019 at 03:03 PM

DC

“ Oh Kristi I am so sorry to hear of your loss and wish there was something else to say.that would be of some comfort to you. Hugs from, Dorothy Copeland

Dorothy Copeland - June 20, 2019 at 08:03 PM

DS

“ Prayers for you all.

Dorene Sannes - June 20, 2019 at 12:26 PM

WB

“ Prayers for your family



Winston Berglund - June 18, 2019 at 05:21 PM

SB

“ I'm so saddened and shocked to read of Kirks passing at such a young age. My thoughts and prayers go out to all of your family during this very difficult time. Your entire family made a huge impact on our family while living in East Wenatchee. So much, we asked Kirk and Kristi to be the girls god parents. Such a great example of Christ's love, centered around a very loving family. Love to you all.

Shelley Bond - June 18, 2019 at 01:04 PM

LM

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Always remember Kurt for his friendly nod and wave. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Lois and Mike Munro - June 17, 2019 at 05:43 PM

TF

“ So sorry to hear if this unexpected news. Prayers to our friends the Tuttle family.



Todd and Teri Snyder Family - June 17, 2019 at 09:35 AM

Rocky
Graham

“ Rocky Graham lit a candle in memory of Kirk
J. Tuttle



Rocky Graham - June 15, 2019 at 06:41 PM

MB

“ Mel Birmingham lit a candle in memory of Kirk
J. Tuttle



Mel Birmingham - June 15, 2019 at 04:59 PM

RW

“ Kirk was a generous, kind, happy soul. He will be missed.

Rufus Woods - June 14, 2019 at 08:58 PM

“ Dear Kris and Family

I have a basket full of memories of Kurt (Kirk) which I have always called him. From the early days of high school and beyond Kirk and I shared many common activities. We played football, baseball, hunted, fished and golfed together. In football, Kirk always laughed after laying a good solid tackle on an opponent. Often times we would have to cut him short to call the following play in the huddle. Kirk was a hard worker and always competitive.

Both of us were too slow for track (at least I knew this, I am not sure Kirk accepted the speed issue) so we enjoyed playing baseball together. Baseball was full of laughter and playing hard. Kirk batted clean-up which was the power hitter-the run producer guy. But always laughing and smiling. I remember one game in particular, Kirk hit a nice gap line drive -a sure double; the only problem was Kirk was enjoying his speed and was thrown out at third by at least 20 yards. Coming up dirty from sliding (not sure why?) but smiling as usual despite the fact that Coach Birney did not always share in the laughter moments. But that was Kirk.

We both enjoyed hunting during the winter months. Kirk would hunt with family while I with my hunting partners. But we would always compare opening day stories of the hunt together. He would somehow score trophy deer ever year. One year he was extra excited. I believe it was Karinne's first deer. Very proud father. Kirk had a way of telling a story and you would feel you were there with him.

After high school, we would play softball games together. Kirk the outfield and I would be infielder. These were traveling teams spending lots of time with each other. Kirk always the joker. On one trip returning from a softball tournament in Richland WA, as tournament champions, our team was traveling in several cars full of players. I was in the 2nd car following as we rounded a corner, our high beams lit up a row of mooners along side the road. Bare

behinds and all, and although I am hesitant to confirm this, one of those shiny cheeks seemed to be laughing very hard; yep, Tuttle for sure.

After the softball days and into the early marriage days we both resumed busy family activities, however every hunting season I would reminisce about the stories of the past.

As our kids grew up, we enjoyed connecting again to watch the young Tuttle girls play soccer and basketball. We were fortunate Eastmont would play Walla Walla during the year so we would have a chance to catch up. My wife and I remember a basketball game that wasn't going Eastmont's way and witnessed Kirk's passion as he was fed up with the officiating. He stood up and yelled, "You Meathead" ! The Walla Walla spectators all looked over to as it was heard throughout the gym. Pure unmatched passion, enthusiasm, love of the game and supporting the kids; that is Kirk...

I am sorry we could not be there in this time, but please know that our entire family, Maggie, Samuel and Shaun and I have so much enjoyed knowing your family. I know Kirk is in a good place now. My only worry is him yelling "You Meathead" and adding his advice. I do know whatever he adds it will be followed by smiles and a whole lot of laughter.

I will miss my friend. Kurt

Kim Callan

Kim Callan - June 14, 2019 at 02:37 PM



Rocky
Graham

Nicely said Kim.

Rocky Graham - June 19, 2019 at 01:41 AM

GS

“ *Glen And Jill Schaefer lit a candle in memory of Kirk J. Tuttle*



Glen and Jill Schaefer - June 14, 2019 at 12:19 AM