



Gary Evan Kramer

June 25, 1962 - February 3, 2019

Spartanburg, SC: Gary Evan Kramer, 56, passed away at his home on Sunday, February 3, 2019 after an extended illness. A native of Brooklyn, NY, Gary was the son of the late Edward and Judith (Portnoy) Kramer and the husband of Debra (Scott) Kramer.

Gary was the owner of Enviro Depot in Asheville, NC. He was stationed in Korea while in the Army. Attending Springwell Church, Gary was studying to go into Christian Ministry.

Along with his wife, Debra, Gary leaves behind: three children, Ethan, Samantha and Rachel Kramer; a brother, Scott Kramer (Sara); and a sister, Jennifer Gilbert (Thomas).

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“ Gary and I started out in business about the same time, one of a handful of people who were taking a risk by opening small businesses in downtown Asheville. Downtown was hopeless back then, or so a lot of natives thought. Owning a business is hard enough work as it is, but Gary was not one who was afraid of hard work. Providing for and taking care of family was very important to him as a man, as a father, as a son, as a brother. But sometimes there is just not enough money coming in, and I think the eventual failure of that business, the death of that dream, was a blow from which he never recovered. Numerous personal challenges and illnesses followed, but he found great comfort in the Christian faith, and I had hope that he might find himself on level ground again. Kids, don't doubt that your dad loved you and was very proud of you. He told me so every time I saw him over the years. He sincerely wanted to be that good father again, if only circumstances and his health had not been against him. I know that he is in a happier, pain-free, and sorrow-free place now, but I also know that he will continue to watch over those he cared about in this life, and I wish the best for all of you.

Eleanor Ivey - February 11, 2019 at 09:09 AM

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Laurie Altman - February 07, 2019 at 08:34 PM

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“ Gary i will always remember u .u helped me with so much and restored my confidence about myself rip.never forgotten love aimee



Aimee - February 07, 2019 at 09:53 AM