



Kevin J. Novak

July 3, 1954 - October 28, 2014

Kevin J. Novak, 60, of Greenport, passed away Tuesday, October 28, 2014.

Born on July 3, 1954 in Hudson, he was the son of the late James M. and Edna (Cooley) Novak.

Kevin was an x-ray technician at Columbia Memorial Hospital for over 30 years. He loved antiques, traveling, and his family and friends. Kevin could always be counted on if they needed anything. He was a member of the US and England Titanic Society and was friends with many of the survivors, including Millvina Dean, who was the last survivor of the Titanic.

Surviving are his brother, Terry Novak, and his companion, Sharon Porreca, of Greenport, a special cousin, Pat Prata, several nieces and nephews, and numerous friends, too many to mention.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by a brother, James D. Davis.

Services are private and at the convenience of the family.

Tribute Wall

JD

“ *A wonderful experience it was today to be in the company of so many lives touched by our beloved lost friend, Kevin.* ”

jeff van deusen - November 22, 2014 at 09:13 PM

LM

“ *We were very sorry to hear of the passing of your brother Kevin. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.* ”

Lenny & Sherri Miller

Lenny Miller - November 06, 2014 at 08:46 AM

SN

“ *Suannne Nitsky lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak* ”



suannne nitsky - November 04, 2014 at 08:10 PM

 Patty Woods

“ *Patty Woods lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak* ”



Patty Woods - November 04, 2014 at 06:09 PM

Patty Woods

“ Kevin I will always remember you as my mothers good friend . How she would smile when she talked about you, Terry or your mom.

Patty Woods - November 04, 2014 at 06:07 PM

SK

“ Sandra Kenna lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Sandra Kenna - November 04, 2014 at 01:55 AM

CF

“ Christina Flegel lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Christina Flegel - November 03, 2014 at 10:15 PM

MC

“ Kevin our hearts are heavy with grief and sadness. We will miss you with great love and fondness. Terry and the family please accept our deepest sympathy. We pray that the Lord will comfort you, give you Peace that allows you to move forward one day at a time. IF John and I can be of service ,please feel free to call us. Best Regards, JOhn and Mavis Caggianelli.

mavis caggianelli - November 03, 2014 at 08:44 PM

KO

“ *Your light in my heart will never go out. Kitty*

kitty osterhoudt - November 03, 2014 at 10:06 AM

FS

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Fran Sheldon - November 02, 2014 at 11:57 AM

FS

“ *Fran Sheldon lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Fran Sheldon - November 02, 2014 at 11:51 AM

MF

“ I had the good fortune to meet Kevin in Sept , 1978 as a transfer to Manhattan College. Both of us, along with 25 other juniors, boarded at Manhattan’s sister school, The College of Mount Saint Vincent, in Riverdale, NY. Right from the start, Kevin won all of us over with his terrific sense of humor. In the ensuing years we had stayed in touch mostly through Christmas Cards. His closing was always “Your friend Kevin” which, to most, would seem innocuous but I knew I indeed had a good friend. Kevin had a good heart and was a kind soul. He will be greatly missed by many.



Mike Farrell - November 02, 2014 at 11:43 AM

MA

“ Kevin was a great co-worker to be around and work with. He was great when we lost our brother. He was a great person!



Maria - November 02, 2014 at 01:00 AM



“ Yesica Orozco lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Yesica Orozco - November 01, 2014 at 11:37 PM

PL

“ *I hope you are sailing this boat to happy places*



pat longley - November 01, 2014 at 08:06 PM

MG

“ *Melissa Gardner-maillet lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Melissa Gardner-maillet - November 01, 2014 at 06:31 PM

CA

“ *Cassandra lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Cassandra - November 01, 2014 at 05:27 PM

CA

our thoughts and prayers are with you and all your family. rest in peace kevin. you will be missed by all of us.

Cassandra - November 01, 2014 at 05:28 PM

MB

“ *What a wonderful person I 've worked with him for many years I will not ever forget him .my thoughts and prayers go out to his family at this most difficult time .*

michele bower - November 01, 2014 at 03:56 PM

JW

“ *RIP Kevin !! God has a wonderful job waiting for you ! Terry and Sharon Prayers to you. Joanne and Bill (DeLuke) Wendelken*



joanne wendelken - November 01, 2014 at 02:55 PM

MW

“ *Mary Wallace lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Mary Wallace - November 01, 2014 at 07:00 AM

JD

“ *Jennifer Dunspaugh lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Jennifer Dunspaugh - November 01, 2014 at 05:38 AM

KM

“ Keith And Patti MacMullin sent a virtual gift in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Keith and Patti MacMullin - October 31, 2014 at 07:46 PM

TE

“ Tiela And Ethan lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Tiela and Ethan - October 31, 2014 at 01:25 PM

JV

“ Sincere sympathy offered to all of his family and friends...he will be remembered as a great human being.



Jerry and Kim Vossler - October 31, 2014 at 01:00 PM

SS

“ Shirley And Stephen Shumsky lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Shirley and Stephen Shumsky - October 31, 2014 at 11:55 AM

MW

“ *Meaghan Weber lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



meaghan weber - October 31, 2014 at 06:59 AM

EP

“ *Eva Perry sent a virtual gift in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Eva Perry - October 31, 2014 at 06:44 AM

EP

“ *Ev Perry lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Ev Perry - October 31, 2014 at 06:44 AM

MA

“ *Margaret Apa lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



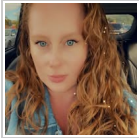
Margaret Apa - October 31, 2014 at 06:21 AM

SB

“ *Sharon Buckley lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Sharon Buckley - October 31, 2014 at 06:13 AM



“ *Aleathe Underwood lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Aleathe Underwood - October 31, 2014 at 06:00 AM

DS

“ *"I always enjoyed seeing Kevin ,hearing about his life ventures, seeing his beautiful smile , he was honest,caring and very positive in spite of his health concerns,my deepest condolences to all his family and friends, he'll be missed."*

Dawn Slater

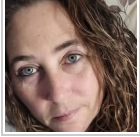
Dawn Slater - October 31, 2014 at 05:52 AM

MM

“ *Michele Majercsik lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



michele majercsik - October 31, 2014 at 05:24 AM



“ Kevin will be missed by more than I believe he knew. Having the pleasure of working with him and calling him my friend for 11 years truly was a gift. There was no one like him in the world. I will always remember his one of a kind sense of humor and extreme passion for patient care. No one but him can make any sense from what has happened but I can only hope and pray he has found the peace he has been looking for for many years. I love you my love..Until we meet again, give my mom a hug and a kiss...condolences to Terry and Sharon and the rest of Kevin ' s friends and family. ..

Michele Herber - October 31, 2014 at 05:21 AM



“ Rip Kevin



Tracy Hull - October 30, 2014 at 10:53 PM



“ Tony Fabiano lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Tony Fabiano - October 30, 2014 at 08:37 PM

RK

“ *Rich Kirker lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Rich Kirker - October 30, 2014 at 08:01 PM

JT

“ *Joan Taylor lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Joan Taylor - October 30, 2014 at 08:01 PM

 Joanna Gerkman

“ *So sorry for your loss.*

Michael & Joanna Gerkman



Joanna Gerkman - October 30, 2014 at 07:41 PM

JD

“ *While I respect family wishes to keep the vigil private, I very much wish that a public display of loss will allow so many human beings to express the emense LOSS felt by so many.*

Jeff Van Deusen - October 30, 2014 at 07:04 PM

KF

“ *KEVIN ELY & FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



KEVIN ELY & FAMILY - October 30, 2014 at 04:59 PM

MR

“ *Sharon and Terry,
Kevin will be missed he was a great guy,always friendly and always talked to us when we saw him. Our prayers are with you and family.*

Margaret, Dave Rose

Margaret Rose - October 30, 2014 at 01:55 PM

JS

“ *your family in my prayers*



joann scism - October 30, 2014 at 01:39 PM

KW

“ *Your family is in our thoughts...Karen & Kenny.*

Karen Williams - October 30, 2014 at 12:24 PM

LS

“ *Linda Shanahan lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Linda Shanahan - October 30, 2014 at 12:16 PM

LM

“ *Linda McLatchie lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Linda McLatchie - October 30, 2014 at 11:13 AM

KM

“ *For our very special friend. We will love you forever. Rest well and in peace.
Love Keith, Patti, Kelly, Sean and Jacquie*



Keith and Patti MacMullin - October 30, 2014 at 11:09 AM

CH

“ *Cathy Hurin lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Cathy Hurin - October 30, 2014 at 09:36 AM

BM

“We give back to you, O God, those whom you gave to us. You did not lose them when you gave them to us, and we do not lose them by their return to you. Your dear Son has taught us that life is eternal, and love cannot die. So death is only an horizon, and an horizon is only the limit of our sight. Open our eyes to see more clearly, and draw us closer to you that we may know that we are nearer to our loved ones, who are with you. You have told us that you are preparing a place for us; prepare us also for that place, that where you are we may also be always, O dear Lord of life and death.”
William Penn (1644-1718)

Kevin, you are in our hearts always -- Barbara Magruder

Barbara Magruder - October 30, 2014 at 09:31 AM

JD

“James And Renee Dinardi lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



James and Renee Dinardi - October 30, 2014 at 09:24 AM

PL

“Patricia Longley sent a virtual gift in memory of Kevin J. Novak



patricia longley - October 30, 2014 at 08:39 AM

PL

RIP the longley's & Tanner's will miss u.

patricia longley - October 30, 2014 at 08:41 AM

ST

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Sasha Tyler - October 30, 2014 at 08:35 AM

ST

I, as well as so many others, are blessed to have known this amazing human being.

Sasha Tyler - October 30, 2014 at 02:03 PM

JD

“ Joy Diamond lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Joy Diamond - October 30, 2014 at 08:20 AM

EM

“ Ethel And Patrick McKenna lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Ethel and Patrick McKenna - October 30, 2014 at 08:18 AM

JD

“ Working with Kevin in the early to mid 1990's, and again just 5 or 6 years ago, I find myself reflecting on the best years of my life. Kevin was inspirational, and deeply influential to me in those early years of my adulthood. Through his attitude and actions, Kevin was teaching me how to be a warm, compassionate, empathetic and most importantly, a funny human being. I remember many Friday afternoons after clocking out for the weekend, feeling sad because I knew it would be another 64 hours before I would see my friend again, and laugh so hard my stomach would hurt all day long. Over the past 20 years I have come to learn that this is an extremely rare quality in other human beings. A wonderful gift he was and I will miss him.

Jeff Van Deusen

Jeff Van Deusen - October 30, 2014 at 08:15 AM

JO

“ Terry and Sharon, sorry for your loss Kevin had a great smile always a kind word you are in our thoughts at this time your friends at the Columbia cruiser

joangorgone - October 30, 2014 at 07:55 AM

DL

“ KEVIN "DR. KILDARE" YOU WERE A WONDERFUL PERSON. I ONLY KNEW YOU A SHORT TIME BUT YOU JUST WERE A GENTLE LOVING HUMAN BEING. WE ALL MISS YOU. RIP. LOVE "NURSE JOHNSON" TO THE FAMILY MY SINCERE CONDOLENCES AND PRAYERS. DEBBIE LANG

DEBBIE LANG - October 30, 2014 at 07:29 AM

DL

“ *DEBBIE LANG lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



DEBBIE LANG - October 30, 2014 at 07:27 AM

CK

“ *Cheryl Kaszluga lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



Cheryl Kaszluga - October 30, 2014 at 07:27 AM

RA

“ *Kevin possessed the rare combination of a wicked sense of humor and the kindest heart imaginable. Those of us who had the privilege of working with him at CMH saw again and again his generosity and caring for both patients and fellow workers. He demonstrated incredible strength and courage facing his challenges of the past few years, a shining example to all of us. We're devastated by his loss, but will hold him in our hearts forever.*



Robert Anderson - October 30, 2014 at 07:24 AM

WL

“ *WAYNE LINTHICUM lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



WAYNE LINTHICUM - October 30, 2014 at 06:48 AM

RB

“ *Robyn Berkowitz lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak*



robyn berkowitz - October 30, 2014 at 06:34 AM

TE

“ *Dear Terry and Sharon,
My heart aches in the loss of Kevin. Such a joy, always smiling. I'm so glad that I got to chat with him at the car show, I didn't think it was going to be our last. I know how special he was to you and to everyone that knew him, he will never be forgotten. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you. Big hugs!
Teri and Dan.*



Teri - October 30, 2014 at 05:33 AM

RM

“ Rhonda Makoske lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Rhonda Makoske - October 30, 2014 at 04:50 AM

PL

I'll miss you . Buy some good crocks in heaven.pat longley

patricia longley - October 30, 2014 at 08:33 AM



“ Alice Fuller lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



Alice Fuller - October 30, 2014 at 02:08 AM

KK

“ Kathy Keyser lit a candle in memory of Kevin J. Novak



kathy keyser - October 29, 2014 at 06:10 PM

ND

“ Terry and Sharon, Our deepest sympathy in your loss of Kevin. We were devastated to learn of his passing. We will always remember the fun times we had with your family. All our love and sympathy,
Ralph and Nancy DelPozzo

Nancy DelPozzo - October 29, 2014 at 03:09 PM