



## Kim Stephens

August 5, 1952 - March 26, 2017

Milton Kim Stephens, age 64, of Painesville, passed away on March 26, 2017. He was born in St Louis, MO on August 5, 1952 to the late Milton and Billie Stephens. Kim was a graduate of Fox High School in Arnold, MO before going away to college. Once graduated with his Master's degree in Psychology, Kim worked at many locations throughout his career, including UH, the Cleveland Free Clinic, and the Positive Education Program. During his career he also belonged to the National and Ohio Association of School Psychologists. Kim had many hobbies and interests, including camping, fishing, traveling in his younger years and kayaking or canoeing. He even belonged to the Burned Out Canoe Club. Kim was also a huge animal lover who enjoyed walking his two favorite pooches Kelly and Hooch. Later in life, Milton had become a proud member, supporter, and eventual leader in AA for 11 years. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Kim was the loving brother to Lisa (Terry) Freeman of Arnold, MO, the late Melinda S. (Charles) Carney of Milstadt, IL, and the late Sheila Grogen, and an uncle to Elizabeth (Matthew) Nimmo, and Kyle (Brittney) Freeman. He also leaves behind his life partner Carol Omanski and many more friends and associates.

Family and friends will be received on Saturday, April 1, 2017 from 12 – 1 PM at Monreal Funeral Home 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake. A service will

immediately follow at 1 PM at the funeral home with Reverend Beverly Wrobel from Mentor UMC officiating.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that any donations be made in Kim's honor to Alcoholics Anonymous Cleveland District Office 1557 St Clair Ave NE, Cleveland, OH 44114.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 1. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Monreal Srnick Funerals & Cremations  
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## Service

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**Monreal Srnick Funerals & Cremations** - March 29, 2017 at 03:02 PM



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**Joseph Husarcik** - March 29, 2017 at 08:39 AM

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“ *I'm so sorry to hear about the passing of my old whitewater canoeing buddy, Kim Stephens. Although I haven't seen him in quite a few years, I'll always remember Kim as a teacher and mentor for that hobby that changed my life. Kim was (usually) a patient teacher, and always willing to hang with less experienced boaters to make sure they got down the river in one piece. Kim died way too young (64) - I wish we could have paddled one more time. I'll miss him, and will always remember our friendship, and what he helped me to see in our wonderful rivers and streams. Rest in peace, Kim.*

*Bill Sedivy, Boise, Idaho*

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**Bill Sedivy** - March 28, 2017 at 09:19 PM

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**marilee** - March 28, 2017 at 03:52 PM

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“ A good and true man. He will be remembered with love. Karen & Tim Zehe

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**Karen Zehe** - March 28, 2017 at 02:59 PM