



Matthew Mark Hightower

June 15, 1948 - September 5, 2024

Please encourage the Hightower family with loving words of condolence on this personal tribute page created just for Mr. Hightower. To send flowers or to plant a tree in memory of: please visit our online Sympathy Store.

ZOOM INSTRUCTIONS: 1. Look for the TAB marked: Photos & Videos or Media (depends on cell phone or laptop) 2. You will see: External Video (1-file) 3. Click on the External Video 4. Follow instructions to Launch Zoom. 5. You will be directed into the Zoom waiting room; a Kemp Funeral Home representative will let you in. NOTE: If you have any problems connecting, please contact our main office at: (248) 702-5367 it will be our pleasure to assist you.

Previous Events

Family and Friends Gathering

SEP 20. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Matthew Mark Hightower*



Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services - September 20, 2024 at 12:06 PM

AD

“ *I love you all Family! My prayers and condolences go out to you doing your time of grief! Work In Peace (W.I.P) Mr. Hightower, we never perish, we are spirits now and spirits when we transition! ☐
Peace n love
Aunyell Davis*

Aunyell Davis - September 20, 2024 at 11:25 AM

MH

“ *Michele Harris lit a candle in memory of Matthew Mark Hightower*



Michele Harris - September 20, 2024 at 05:45 AM

TB

“ Hightower Family-Cousin “B” will truly be missed. Our Sympathy & Condolences.

Rod & Teresa Baker

Dylan & Faith Luna

Teresa Baker - September 19, 2024 at 05:26 PM

JS

“ To My Hightower Family My Condolences To You All
Papa B treated me like his daughter and Ma Helen One thing for sure I'm gonna miss playing Spades with him(goodtimes) He was a Beautiful Person Ma Helen,Kelly,Stephanie,Miona I Love Yall and I'm here when ever yall need me R.I.P Mr. Hightower 🕊️❤️🙏🙏🙏



Jeanette Starks - September 19, 2024 at 11:56 AM

KN

“ KimberlyBell(U of M nurse) purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Matthew Mark Hightower.



KimberlyBell(U of M nurse) - September 19, 2024 at 11:56 AM

MH

“ Uncle “B” You will always hold a special place in my heart. Your kindness, laughter, and love touched so many of us, and I’ll forever cherish the memories we shared. You can rest now !!!

Ps.. I will keep planting those Elephant Ears that you loved so much , In your honor! I love u , and you Will truly be missed !!

To my Family I love you all and god will wrap his arms around you and make this bearable!!! 💙



Michele Harris - September 19, 2024 at 07:55 AM

JD

“ Jeron D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Matthew Mark Hightower.

Jeron D. - September 18, 2024 at 02:53 PM



“ Enduring Light Casket Spray was purchased for the family of Matthew Mark Hightower.



September 18, 2024 at 02:53 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Matthew Mark Hightower.*



September 18, 2024 at 02:47 PM



“ *Mark, Tracy, Olivia, and Vanessa DiSanto purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Matthew Mark Hightower.*



Mark, Tracy, Olivia, and Vanessa DiSanto - September 18, 2024 at 09:51 AM



“ *To Uncle B I remember when I was a kid how spend your time with me and KK (rip) taking us to the skating ring and me and KK couldn't skate a kick so we just set there and watch enjoying it the Thanksgiving parade I use to love come seeing you and we talk about sports ...Go Lions! lol but the presents around you was joyful spirit, when I had 2 tickets to the Lions game I'm glad I chose you to go with that was my way to say thank for what you done for me it hurts my heart you're gone but hearing the suffering pain you went through I understand when Stephanie told me you had a smile on your face when you departed I truly believe you seen and was greeted by Jesus in the real home, you truly will be missed I love you, no more pain, rest in peace Uncle B, your nephew John*

John Harris - September 18, 2024 at 09:49 AM

JH



John Harris - September 18, 2024 at 09:52 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Matthew Mark Hightower.



September 17, 2024 at 10:37 PM

M.

“ M.S planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Matthew Mark Hightower.

M.S - September 17, 2024 at 07:23 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Matthew Mark Hightower.



September 17, 2024 at 07:23 PM

LF

“ Love Ducky and the family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Matthew Mark Hightower.



Love Ducky and the family - September 17, 2024 at 05:37 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Matthew Mark Hightower.*



September 14, 2024 at 11:10 PM



“ *Irina (Timothy), Marina, Gennady Olgart planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Matthew Mark Hightower.*

Irina (Timothy), Marina, Gennady Olgart - September 14, 2024 at 11:10 PM



“ *Earnestine M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Matthew Mark Hightower.*

Earnestine M. - September 14, 2024 at 02:36 PM



“ *B you will be missed but always remembered. Thank you for being an additional dad to me. I'm tossing you the keys!!!!
Love Tam*

Tamara Rush-Ennis - September 14, 2024 at 12:45 AM

NS

“ *My dear Cousin who I adore,
You will ALWAYS be remembered for your unconditional heart and
love for family. You will be missed. Until we meet again... 🥺*
Natalie L. Serrano



Natalie Serrano - September 12, 2024 at 05:40 PM

“ To: My Best Sister-Friend, Miona, and bonus sisters Stephanie, Kelly and Mama Hightower



There are no perfect words during the loss of a beloved father like yours, but I hope these words from my heart bring you some comfort.

You know that feeling when you see someone after a long time, and they embrace you with a smile, kind words, and genuine acceptance? That's how your dad made me feel—like I belonged. Since I was little, I remember countless moments when your dad, just being himself, taking care of others. His selfless acts, which he might have thought were small, were bigger than he could imagine. Whether it was driving me to school with Miona on a snowy day when the buses were late, or how he had a gentle way of communicating with my granny when she would walk over to the house to pick me up—even though she didn't speak English and he didn't speak Russian, they understood each other. And of course, all the videos Miona and I “The PQz” made that somehow ended up on his camcorder, giving him years of laughter. As we grew up and I saw him at family events, it was clear that he radiated love for his family. I was lucky enough to experience that love, and my parents and I are deeply thankful for him for being an extended family to us in the United States.

You all have mentioned countless times how your dad loved taking photos, and I believe it's because he loved life so much. To capture moments is to honor life, and you three were his pride and joy—it's all over his face in those special moments that were caught on camera. He was the ultimate #GirlDad before it became popular to say so.

Thank you, my sisters, for sharing your incredible, warrior dad with the world. The angels must have rejoiced when they heard Mr. Papa Hightower was coming to get his wings (and I can't blame them).

*We love you all,
Irina Olgart
Sending love and prayers from Timothy, Marina, and Gennady.*

Irina Olgart - September 12, 2024 at 02:57 PM

LA

“ *Rest in Paradise. I never got a chance to meet you but you raised some pretty amazing daughters. Keeping you all in my prayers (Toya)*

Latoya - September 12, 2024 at 02:16 PM

AB

“ *To the family, Sorry I can't be there in person my prayers and heartfelt sympathy is with you all. I will truly miss this great guy my nephew Bee. Love all of you. He will be joining his Uncle Cody whom he adored. Praying that God will continue to strengthen your heart ❤️ 💙 in such a time as this. 🙏🙏🙏❤️❤️❤️💔*

Auntie Mildred Brown-Gee - September 12, 2024 at 01:50 PM

JU

“ *I have so many good memories with my Hightower family 🙏🙏 Mr. Hightower (B) will be truly missed. Praying for my Family !! I love ya and I'm here for ya !!!!!*



julie - September 12, 2024 at 12:55 PM

JU

“ *Julie lit a candle in memory of Matthew Mark Hightower*



julie - September 12, 2024 at 12:49 PM