



Keith Ingram

August 26, 1949 - June 18, 2012

A Celebration service for Keith Edwin Ingram, 62, of Tyler, will be held on Thursday, June 21, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Green Acres Baptist Church Chapel with Rev. Lanny Bridges, Dr. Paul Powell and Dr. David Dykes officiating. Private burial will be at Rose Hill Cemetery in Tyler under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. Mr. Ingram went to be with the Lord on Monday, June 18, 2012 at the Hospice Home Place in Tyler. He was born August 26, 1949 in El Dorado, Oklahoma to Fred Emory and Thelma Estelle Fowler Ingram. Keith was a member of Green Acres Baptist Church. He graduated from Cotton Center High School in 1967 and Texas Tech University in 1971. He married Sherry Suzanne Cade on December 18, 1971 in Cotton Center, TX. Mr. Ingram held the position of Pharmaceutical Representative for Hoffman-La Roche, worked for Johnson and Johnson and currently owned and operated MaxIng Money Solutions. Keith served as Chairman of the Board at The Hospice of East Texas, served on the Board at Bethesda, was a former Chairman of the Cancer Foundation for Life and former President of Saddle Tramps at Texas Tech University where he played a key role in developing the "guns up" hand sign. Keith was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, Larry Ingram. He is survived by his loving family including his wife, Sherry Cade Ingram; sons, Cade Ingram and wife Laura of Ft. Worth and Josh Ingram of Dallas; daughter, Erica Ingram of Tyler; father and mother-in-law, Charles and Joy Cade; sister-in-law Becky Ingram and her family. Visitation is scheduled from 5:00 to 7:00 PM on Wednesday, June 20,

2012 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, in Tyler. If desired, memorials may be made to The Hospice of East Texas Foundation, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, TX. 75701, Cancer Foundation for Life, 1713 Troup Hwy., Tyler, TX. 75701 or Bethesda Clinic, 409 W. Ferguson St., Tyler, TX. 75701

Tribute Wall

DB

“ I was blessed to reconnect with Keith after many years. We had lunch at Barton Creek about a year ago and talked for hours. Then, we got together again this April for another session. What a joy it was to see him again after all this time and share our memories of high school and Texas Tech together and our lives since then. He was the greatest guy to be with, so genuine, funny, and caring. I am deeply saddened by his passing. Sherry, please accept my most sincere condolences to you and your children.
Donald and family

Donald Barrett - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ We first met Keith over thirty years ago. To be in his company was always a most pleasant experience. He was an exceptional individual and we will miss him. Condolences to Sherrie and his family.
From Europe, Jeanette and Steve Boyd.

Jeanette and Steve Boyd - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ Dear Sherry & Family,

We just found out about Keith & want to send our condolences & pledge to pray for you & your family in the days ahead. We had just seen that smiling face in one of the Tyler magazines & laughed that he had such a great smile that John nearly ruined with a racket-ball racket! We have such good memories of the Ingrams~Having Cade & Leigh a week apart...all the fun times with Green Acres Sunday School friends...We'll cherish those memories forever. It sounds like Keith is now re-united with his family...what a joy! But, being without him here on this earth will be hard. We will remember you daily when we talk to the Lord. We have "proved Him o'er & o'er" like the old hymn says...

We're moving back to Tyler(Gresham)the end of this year & hope to see you... We had just talked about that this week. But, whenever the "reunion" is, we know we'll see Keith again!

Oh, Sherry, please know how much you are loved by our Heavenly Father & all your friends here...This is not our home...Keith just got Home ahead of us!

With love & prayers, Lisa & John; Jeb, Betsy, Griffin, Riley & Reagan(Tyler)& Leigh, Brandon, Clayton & Blayne(in New Braunfels).

Lisa & John Jones - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ Sherry, Cade, Josh and Erica please know that I am praying for the strength that passes all understanding for you. You and Keith were the first family we met when we moved to Tyler, 32 years ago, and I must smile to remember the years putting up Christmas lights and raking leaves and our children riding bikes together in the neighborhood, and entrusting the care of our older 3 children when we went to the hospital to have Jennifer. Such sweet memories of Keith's smile and always being there to help. He has gone on ahead, but remains here, in our hearts. We love you-Karen and Ed and family.

Karen Davault - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Keith was one of the really good guys. Genuine. He will be missed by all!!
God Bless
Sandy

Sandy Z Sandlin - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ Keith will forever be a bright light in the lives of all who were lucky enough to know him! What a wonderful, sweet, kind, generous guy he was! We were all truly blessed to have him as a friend. God blessed us richly when he brought Keith into our lives. Rest in peace, dear friend.
Sherry, I pray God's comfort and peace for you and your family.

Deanna Prather Rhodes - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

VR

“ Keith was a dear and special friend. I value deeply our special relationship-personal, business and boar -forged thru many years and many meetings. I miss him deeply. My thoughts and prayers are with his wonderful family.
May he rest in peace.

Vincent J. Richbourg - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ I am saddened by the news of Keith's passing. My deepest condolences to Sherry and family.

Jody Bieze - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ My father and Keith worked together at Roche for many, many years and I will always remember Keith with a huge smile on his face! I know that my Dad (Pete McGee) enjoyed working with him as well. I was saddened to hear the news of his passing and my prayers are with the family as they go through this difficult time.
Carrie

Carrie (McGee) Arneson - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ It didn't get any better than growing up with the Ingram's as corner neighbors! As the youngest of our two families, I spent most of my time following my all siblings and the Ingram kids around, I am sure being a pest of a little sister and trying to keep up with everybody. :) It was a great way to grow up and I have such fond memories. Thank you Keith for leading your family as a Father should and being such a good example. You will be missed very much!

Jennifer Davault - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ Sherry and family, Keith will be fondly remembered. Today I am thinking of the first time I saw him in front of the grocery store in Cotton Center. Debbie and I invited him up to our house to meet Gary and some kid and we started teaching him to play "42". He was a friend from the first day. My prayers are with you. Sandy Rae

Sandy Rae Wood Adrian - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Keith's graciousness will be long remembered by me and more so, serve as demonstration to be practiced. What a beautiful example of unselfishness and genuine interest in Terry and I as a couple and our family as a whole.

Jana Blevins - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PY

“ Always smiling and willing to help Keith will be missed as he was one of the gold standards in our industry.
Praying for peace and comfort for the whole family and all.
Polly Yeager
Jeremiah 29:11 - "For I know the plans I have for your says the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you a hope and a future."

Polly Yeager - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

NE

“ Sherry and family,
I am so sad to learn of Keith's death.
You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Please accept my sincere condolences.
God bless you and be with you during the days ahead. May God
give you the strength and faith in the future days that will sustain
you. Keith touched many lives and will be missed so much.

Nelda Ellis - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GJ

“ Sherry and Family,
We are so so sorry to hear of you great
loss. Keith was also so nice and friendly and ya'll were such
wonderful neighbors to our Mother on Donnybrook. She was so
grateful to have you next door and Keith was always so kind and
helpful to her. You will never stop missing him, I'm sure. We will
pray that God's love will continue to strengthen you all.
With love and sympathy.
Kay and Gail

Gail McKinzie Clark and Kay McKinzie Joiner - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ I know that Kieth is with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. We will all
miss his friendly smile and upbeat personality. My prayer is that God
will be with Sherry and all of his family during the days to come. I
now live in Coppell so will not be able to come to his service but my
prayers are with you.

Jeff Jones - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KU

“ We are praying for your family. Keith was such a wonderful man. We will miss him deeply.
much love,
Lonny, Kelley, Mark, and Matt Uzzell

Kelley Uzzell - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Keith was a great guy. I will always remember he and Larry's joking around with each other. May God bless your family.

In Christ,
Charlie

Charlie Foster - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ We are praying for you all, that God will comfort you and give grace at this difficult time.

Sally and Jim Reed - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ Keith befriended my husband and I to right a wrong. He genuinely helped us with our finances and had our best interest at heart. I appreciate his integrity and ability to get us connected with those who could help bail us out of a financial nightmare. Larry really respected Keith's advice, and we developed a good relationship with him of trust through our meetings. I pray for comfort by God's Holy Spirit to carry Keith's family through this time and for them to grow stronger in there relationship with Father God, and Jesus Christ.

Larry and Sandra DeMars - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

ND

“ Sherry,
Such fond memories I have of you and Keith at GABC in Tyler. And,
what fun to keep up with the two of you throughout the years. You
both blessed my heart beyond measure. Please know you and your
children are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.
Our loss is heaven's gain!! And, one day we will all be together
again.
Blessings to you sweet friend.
Love,
Nelda

Nelda Davis - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ We are in shock. Just so sorry to learn about the death of Keith.
Sherry, you and your family, are in our prayers. May God be with
you.

Charles & Gayle Payne - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GP

“ It's hard to believe we just spent some fun time in Barton Creek
together two months ago. I am saddened by this news and offer my
deepest condolences to Sherry and the children.

George Polzer - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ Lindy, Barry, and I heard the news this morning about Keith. Our
hearts are broken.

Debbie

Debbie Moring Palmer - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ I feel privileged to have known Keith Ingram. Thank you Keith for being in my life. You always always had a smile, greeted me with a huge hug and had such a positive outlook. What a joy knowing you and working with you. I am jealous of your family and close friends as I can imagine what fun and love you brought to them.

Thank you Keith. I aspire to be more like you. Love you always,

Kim

Kim Hillis - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ What a joy to have known Keith, Sherri and their children back in our GABC days! His smile, enthusiasm, and love for the Lord were very contagious. We were saddened yesterday when we received calls from two Tyler friends telling us of Keith's passing. The good news is that we know that Keith is with our Lord. Keith will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Sherri, we are praying for you and your family.

Our love, Paul and Janette Cook

Paul and Janette Cook - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ We have very fond memories of Keith and Sherry many years ago when we lived in Tyler. The fondest memory of Keith is when he rescued us and a van-load of teens when our van was towed at a Mavericks game in Dallas. Keith gladly packed us and all the teens in his red suburban and helped us locate the tow yard! What a kind and gentle servant! Sherry, you and the children are in our prayers today and in the days ahead. "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." We love you...Tim and Carol Bost

Carol Bost - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

WS

“ So sorry for your loss. Keith was a good friend and he will be missed immensely!

Warren

Warren Simmons - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TE

“ Wow! What a consistent, precious man of God Keith was to our Church & community! My heart is so heavy for you, Sherry as you two were the picture of the "Oneness" that happens in a Christ-filled Marriage! I know from experience that when you are "One" with a great man ~ and your husband precedes you to Heaven ~ that there is a real part of you that feels like "half"... Through that unavoidable valley, Jesus carries you and HE brings you through to the other side! I treasure the times you & Keith & I had fellowship! My daily prayers are with you & your dear children & parents! I am here if you need me! I love you my friend! Teresa

Teresa Petty Evans - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Sherry and family, so sorry for your loss. I remember Keith being a fun-loving and happy person. We are saddened for your loss but so happy that Keith knew our Lord and Savior.

Bless you in the days to come,

John and Teresa Copeland

Teresa (McMennamy) Copeland - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ I was so saddened to see Keith's obituary on the Tyler paper website. It has been a few years since I last saw Keith out at UTHSCT making a drug rep call on the cardiologists I worked with. I had no idea he was battling cancer. Keith was always a ray of sunshine whenever he popped in for a visit. He always made me laugh and I really treasured his visits. He was a Godly man, and I was so blessed to have known him. My sincerest condolences to all of Keith's family and friends. May God wrap you all in his arms and give you comfort and peace during this sad, but glorious time. Keith has gone on to collect his eternal rewards, but he leaves his heart with you.

Susan Brizendine - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM