



## Jon T. McKee

January 17, 1973 - July 5, 2022

Jon T. McKee, 49, of Columbus, died 2:13 p.m., Tues. July 5, 2022, at Doctor's Hospital West, Columbus. He was born Jan 17, 1973, the son of Jon A. & Jonelle (Neiford) McKee, and they survive in Wapakoneta. On Sept. 8, 2018 he married Kimberly Davidson, and she survives.

Other survivors include,

5 children, Sierra, Lily, Chloe, Kaitlyn, & Brody, all of Columbus, a sister, Kerry (Adam) Stedke, Wapakoneta, a niece Emma and 2 nephews Ben and Will, a sister in-law, Laura (Bret) Spinatti, New Richmond, & 2 nephews Braxton and Camden.

Jon worked as an equipment operator for the Franklin County Engineer's Office. He served in the United States Marine Corps from 1991 – 1995 and was a 1991 graduate of Wapakoneta High School. Jon was a loyal friend, a selfless person, an amazing husband and loved his children fiercely. He enjoyed spending his time cooking, grilling, fishing, camping and being with his family and friends.

Funeral services will be at 3:00 p.m. Sun. July 10, 2022, at the First United Methodist Church, Wapakoneta, with Pastor Josh Tissot and Pastor Brian Vernon officiating. The family will receive friends from 1-3 p.m., at the church,

where people are encouraged to follow in Jon's footsteps and dress casual. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to the family for the children's future education needs. Condolences may be expressed at [www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com](http://www.eleyfuneralhomeandcrematory.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 10. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church  
Glynwood Road  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895

## Service

JUL 10. 3:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church  
Glynwood Road  
Wapakoneta, OH 45895

# Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jon T. McKee.*



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March 29, 2024 at 07:24 PM



“ *John Hammerstein planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jon T. McKee.*

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**John Hammerstein** - March 29, 2024 at 07:24 PM

JH

“ Hi.

*I grew up down the road from Jon in Buckland, OH.*

*He was my best friend during that time in my life.*

*We played T ball together. Rode the bus together (for hours). I spent alot of time at his/their house outside Buckland. I spent a night in his dads semi listening to "I guess thats why they call it the blues" because of a mechanical issue with the machine. I still think of that night when I hear that song.*

*Things change through life.....unfortunately lost touch.*

*Recently...reminiscing... feeding the baby chicks, I remember fishing the river, their scary basement, a sleepover watching scary movie...I remember his sister,...I remember his mom...working long hard hours waitressing at the time...always made sure us kids had enough to eat and were comfortable during visits. I don't think I ever thanked her enough.*

*I remember his dad being very gentle soul and willing to do whatever it took to make sure his family was comfortable and safe....*

*I remember biting into an apple on their farm and finding a worm....and still have vivid memories of that for some reason (at least it wasn't half a worm).*

*Thanks for the memories Jon and Mckee family.*

*Say "hi" to Mr. Tebee for me. I hope he's not still irritated with me/us for all the grief we likely caused him on the schoolbus.*

*John Hammerstein*

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john hammerstein - March 29, 2024 at 07:09 PM

JM

*Oh John Paul how kind. Such fond memories of you as well. We cried and laughed reading this. Thank you for the beautiful flowers and the tree is something he would love. It was just a terrible accident that took him from us. The memories soften the pain. He spoke of you many times. ❤️*

Jonelle McKee - April 01, 2024 at 02:36 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jon T. McKee.*



July 09, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jon T. McKee.*



July 09, 2022 at 12:14 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jon T. McKee.*



July 09, 2022 at 09:43 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jon T. McKee.*



July 09, 2022 at 07:47 AM



“ *MCHS Department of Pharmacy purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jon T. McKee.*



**MCHS Department of Pharmacy** - July 08, 2022 at 02:04 PM



“ *. purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Jon T. McKee.*



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“ *I did not have the privilege of working with Jon during our shared time at the Franklin County Engineer's Office, but I am saddened to hear of his passing. My dad also passed away at age 49 and was a father of 5. My heart is heavy for the McKee family. Please accept my condolences.*

**Matt Rehfus** - July 08, 2022 at 07:32 AM



“ *I Have You In My Heart Plush Blanket was purchased for the family of Jon T. McKee.*



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July 07, 2022 at 07:40 PM



“ *My heart is so heavy for your family at this tragic time . Please know that all of you are being remembered in my prayers . May God give His comfort and peace .*

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**Karla Hamblin** - July 07, 2022 at 02:48 PM



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**Karla Hamblin** - July 07, 2022 at 02:49 PM

BF

“ I wanted to express my condolences to the McKee family during this difficult time. I also wanted to share what some teammates at the Franklin County Engineer's Office have shared about Jon over the last year.

*"Jon is a very adaptable and positive teammate who stays optimistic no matter what obstacle or challenge comes up"*

*"Jon is a very dependable crew member"*

*"Jon is a great equipment operator"*

*"Jon has a strong work ethic"*

*"Jon treats other teammates the way he would like to be treated. He is professional and pleasant with everyone he comes into contact with"*

*I would also like to recognize Jon's previous military service to protect our freedom. Once again sorry for your loss.*

*Brad Foster*

*Franklin County Engineer's Office*

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**Brad Foster** - July 07, 2022 at 01:34 PM