



Kent M. Nolen

September 1, 1954 - August 12, 2022

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09/01/54 to 07/31/2022

We lost a very bright light on July 31, 2022. Kent was born and raised in Memphis. He was loved and respected in this community as a musician's musician as well as a kind compassionate. He began his professional music career in the mid seventies, which continued until his death. He was known for his tasteful keyboard orchestrations and arrangements. He developed a prowess in electronics and computers. He merged these talents into his music to become a highly regarded and sought by many musicians in Memphis.

Kent set aside his aspirations and opportunities to care for his mother with Alzheimer's until she passed.

Kent's musical talent is shadowed only by his gentle spirit, mischievous sense of humor and selfless concern for others. He was loved by many and is missed by all.

Kent was preceded in death by his Parents Ernest L. Nolen and Vivian S. Nolen most recently by his oldest brother Gary M. Nolen. He leaves behind two brothers, and sister in law as well as niece and nephews. He will be greatly missed by all those that he touched by knowing him during his life.

There is no service planned at this time. But we will be having celebration of Kent's life at a later date. Family request no flowers be sent instead you can make a donation in Kent's name to savethemusic.org .

Tribute Wall

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“ *Giving. His light shines through his choices in life. Even though he was my youngest brother, I would watch Kent and try to emulate his willingness to help to anyone with any problem they may have. Clay*

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