



## Ken Hallaian

April 30, 1946 - August 26, 2015

Ken Hallaian, 69, passed away on August 26, 2015. He graduated from Lebanon High School in Oregon. Ken served in the US Navy on the USS Hornet during the Vietnam War, picking up the Apollo 11 capsule. He lived in LA during the 60's seeing many live bands including Led Zepplin, The Doors, Jimi Hendrix, Son House and many more. He spent his retirement years doting on his grandchildren and enjoying his favorite sports teams, Seminoles, Buccaneers, Rays, Lightning and Beavers.

He is preceded in death by his wife of 24 years, Kathryn "Kitty" Hallaian, twin brother, Keith Hallaian and his parents, Chuck and Dorothy Hallaian.

He is survived by four children; Anthony Hallaian, Solomon Hallaian, Melissa Hallaian and Jennifer Hallaian; seven grandchildren, Hunter Rose, Kathryn, Ashley, Alison, Emma, Alexander and Abigail; one sister, Sherri Gasser and one brother, Gary Hallaian (Laurie).

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, August 29, 2015. Donations can be made in Ken's name to the Ronald McDonald House Charities at [www.rmh.org](http://www.rmh.org).

Amber Miller of Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey-Young Chapel is assisting the family with arrangements (850-926-3333 or [www.bevisfh.com](http://www.bevisfh.com)).



# Tribute Wall

VT

“ My sincere condolences to the Hallaian family. May you find comfort in your loving memories, and in God's promise to soon "swallow up death forever" and "wipe away the tears from all faces." (Isaiah 25,8) While grief at the loss of your Dad is great, joy at welcoming him back to life in paradise on earth will be greater. (Mark 5;42)  
With deepest sympathy,

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**v. thompson** - August 31, 2015 at 09:29 PM

JM

“ I went to school with Ken and graduated with him at Corvallis High School in Corvallis Oregon in 1964. I remember Ken as a very thoughtful, polite and fun person and was glad to have know him. Condolences to all his family, we will miss him.  
Sincerely, Judy Jacob McCann.

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**Judy Jacob McCann** - August 29, 2015 at 11:04 AM

BE

“ I am soooo happy that Ken and we, were blessed to be the grandparents of our sweet, beautiful, smart and talented Kathryn. This year especially, we were with him at several family occasions, he LOVED his family, that was so apparent!!! He loved music, and that was also a common bond. Ken will be missed, but what a happy thought of him being rejoined with his beloved wife!! Gods speed Ken.

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**Beth Eck** - August 27, 2015 at 07:31 PM

CP

“ *Melissa, you and your family remain in my family's prayers. I am so sorry for your loss.*

*God bless you all, may you find peace in the memories and legacy that remain.*

*In memory of your father...GO BUCS!*

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**Chip Parsons** - August 27, 2015 at 07:03 PM

CR

“ *Melissa...I am so sorry for your loss. Your family has been through so much lately. I pray God brings PEACE into the hearts of each one of you. I love you Melissa.*

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**Cheryl Robinson** - August 27, 2015 at 02:58 PM



Denise Hatcher

*I am sorry for your loss. I pray that you all will walk in the strength of God, and that He will shower with His love and peace.*

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**Denise Hatcher** - August 27, 2015 at 08:34 PM

BL

“ I have so many memories of your dad, Mel! I used to love riding in the back of his car while he talked about his days in LA, with The Doors playing. He was such a cool guy and had the best taste in music. I'll never forget the Seminole game that we went to when it poured! I was so mad that your dad wanted to stay but we got ponchos and stayed and it ended up being a favorite memory of mine from FSU! I remember him helping us move into our apartment and how at home it felt there right away because our parents helped put it all together for us. I love you friend and am so happy that he and your mom are finally together again looking down on you and your family. They are smiling just seeing what a wonderful mother you are and what an awesome girl Kathryn has turned into!! xoxoxo---Brandy

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**Brandy Lewis** - August 27, 2015 at 02:53 PM