



Kevin Ross Clay

August 11, 1961 - October 17, 2016

Mr. Kevin Ross Clay, 55, of Charlotte, NC passed away Monday, October 17, 2016 at his residence.

Born August 11, 1961 in Atlanta, GA he was the son of the late Eleanora Rossi and Benjamin Clay.

He was a graduate of Walton High School, class of 1979. Kevin earned his Master's Degree from Pfeiffer College where he played soccer. He worked as vice president of sales and marketing for Impact Technologies Group for 20 years. After which, he worked for Microsoft as Industry Marketing Development Manager for 6 years. Kevin enjoyed running marathons (Chicago, New York, Los Angeles, and Charlotte), he loved music, the Carolina Panthers, and spending time with his family and friends.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife, Melinda Paganelli Clay; daughters, Lindsay and Madison Clay of Salisbury, NC; brother, Stephan Clay Sr. (Anne) of Cedartown, GA; Rylan, Kaeleigh, Cameron; aunts, Angela (Paul) Filippone, Christine Coia, Gloria Rossi, along with numerous cousins.

The family will receive friends from 6-8PM at Summersett Funeral Home, Thursday, October 20. Funeral service will be at 1PM Friday, October 21, 2016 in the Summersett Memorial Chapel with Chaplain David Montgomery officiating. Burial will be at Cheatham Hill Cemetery, Marietta, GA at a later date.

Memorials may be made to The Joe Martin ALS Foundation, 100 N. Tryon St., Suite 3420, Charlotte, NC 28202.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Clay family. Online condolences and memorial tributes may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **20**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Summersett Funeral Home
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144
(704) 633-2111
<https://www.summersettfuneralhome.com>

Service

OCT **21**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Summersett Memorial Chapel
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144

Tribute Wall

LJ

“ Love, Frankie, Cole, Chace and Jacque Jensen purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Kevin Ross Clay.



Love, Frankie, Cole, Chace and Jacque Jensen - October 20, 2016 at 07:44 PM

SK

“ Kevin was an amazing person. I am forever better having met and worked for him.
-Sherri N Knotts

Sherri N Knotts - October 20, 2016 at 10:19 AM

JT

“ Jimmy, Ronnie Weller and SS Greenlight Race Team purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Kevin Ross Clay.



Jimmy, Ronnie Weller and SS Greenlight Race Team - October 20, 2016 at 08:59 AM

CG

“ Caleigh Paige Bostian Godchild purchased the *Pretty Please* for the family of Kevin Ross Clay.



Caleigh Paige Bostian Godchild - October 20, 2016 at 08:25 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kevin Ross Clay.*



October 19, 2016 at 10:43 PM



Katherine Cloos

“ *Praying for the Clays'. I am very blessed to have such amazing memories and being able to know such a sweet and fun man. Wrightsville Beach ❤️ Love you Linds!*



Katherine Cloos - October 19, 2016 at 09:33 PM



“ *Johnnie Harris lit a candle in memory of Kevin Ross Clay*



Johnnie Harris - October 19, 2016 at 09:24 PM

LS

“ I remember going with Kevin and Mark Andrews to the Dairy Queen in Roswell after school. He was one hell of a soccer player and knew how to live life to the fullest.

He inspired all of us who knew him.

*Laura Vogel Stephens
Walton High School Class of 1980*

Laura Vogel Stephens - October 19, 2016 at 08:03 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kevin Ross Clay.*



October 19, 2016 at 06:24 PM