



## Kevin Garrison

September 13, 1967 - September 4, 2024

Kevin Wade Garrison was born on September 13, 1967 in Englewood, Colorado to Danny and Dorene Garrison. He, and his three siblings, spent most of their childhood living in Imperial, Nebraska. Kevin graduated from Chase County High School before going to Kearney State College where he met his wife, Deb. Kevin and Deb and their two children, Rachel and Nicole, made Elkhorn their home. Kevin was a licensed arborist and worked in lawn care before joining the maintenance department at Elkhorn Public Schools in 2005.

A life-long Denver Bronco fan, Kevin enjoyed football games, tailgating and managing his fantasy teams. He found rare moments to relax when hunting or fishing; both however were centered around time spent with family. He embraced peace found in nature, and the loyalty of his dog. He liked playing pitch and was known to outbid anyone who chose to play against him. Kevin had an uncanny ability to problem solve and fix anything. If something was broken, everyone knew to 'just call Kevin.'

Kevin loved his wife with his whole heart and was incredibly proud of his children - they mirrored their lives from his example. His daughters and sons-in-law are teachers and service members and their lives reflect his same self sacrifice. They never questioned how much he loved them or if he was proud of them - he made sure they knew. He spent the last three years pouring his

love into his three grandchildren, often becoming like a child himself. He will forever be remembered for the laughter and the occasional practical joke.

Kevin lived a life of service to God, his family and his community. Kevin built up his treasures in heaven while living a life of true selflessness. He never hesitated to do anything for anyone. Where he saw a need - he would be there to offer a helping hand. He understood that what we offer in life returns to us in full measure. Kevin's life was not easy but when times were the most difficult, Kevin responded by offering the world more of himself; he found healing through giving.

Kevin is preceded in death by his father, Danny Garrison; his brother, Danny Garrison Jr.; and his sister, Deb Andahl. He is survived by his mother, Dorene; brother, Curt; his wife, Deb; daughters and sons-in-law Rachel and Ben Harger and Nicole and Brandon Bentley and his grandchildren Walker, Hallie, and Hank.

Memorials can be made to the Elkhorn Public Schools Foundation at this link:  
[www.elkhornfoundation.org](http://www.elkhornfoundation.org)

<https://control.resi.io/webplayer/video.html?id=ddccc879-3fa2-4f80-9436-62734e8f57a2>

# Previous Events

## Visitation with family

SEP **10.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Relevant Community Church  
21220 Elkhorn Drive  
Elkhorn, NE 68022

## Celebration of Life Service

SEP **11.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Relevant Community Church  
21220 Elkhorn Drive

# Tribute Wall

PC

“ Our hearts break for Kevin's family and friends. Kevin was always there for me both professionally and personally and as others said "selfless". As a friend, he was beyond compare. I can't remember a time Kevin judging me when I did something stupid (frequent occurrence if memory serves). Usually he laughed and then decided what needed to be done fixed whatever I messed up. You are in our thoughts and prayers

*Paul (and Susan Carlson)*

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**Paul Carlson** - September 12, 2024 at 12:51 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kevin Garrison.



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September 11, 2024 at 09:52 AM

JM

“ Jadi M. planted a grove of 25 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kevin Garrison.

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**Jadi M.** - September 10, 2024 at 05:33 PM

TD

“ *The Dreiling's & Doyle's purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Kevin Garrison.*



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**The Dreiling's & Doyle's** - September 10, 2024 at 03:50 PM

TF

“ *The Azima Family lit a candle in memory of Kevin Garrison*



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**The Azima Family** - September 10, 2024 at 03:23 PM

TF

“ *The Azima Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Kevin Garrison*



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**The Azima Family** - September 10, 2024 at 03:22 PM

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**The Azima Family** - September 10, 2024 at 03:22 PM

TF

“ *The Azima Family is so sorry that Kevin Garrison died. We know how it feels like to suddenly lose someone. We send our condolences.*

**The Azima Family** - September 10, 2024 at 03:20 PM

TT

“ *The Musco Sports Lighting Team purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Kevin Garrison.*



**The Musco Sports Lighting Team** - September 10, 2024 at 12:08 PM

KF

“ *Kim & Ron Riggle and Family purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Kevin Garrison.*



**Kim & Ron Riggle and Family** - September 09, 2024 at 09:19 PM

VN

“ *The VNA School Nurses are deeply sorry for your loss and have donated to the planting of a tree as well as a donation to the Elkhorn Public Schools Foundation. The VNA has also sent flowers. Please accept our deepest condolences. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.*

**VNA School Nurses** - September 09, 2024 at 08:28 PM

SJ

“ Sara J. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kevin Garrison.

Sara J. - September 09, 2024 at 08:07 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Kevin Garrison.



September 09, 2024 at 06:20 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Kevin Garrison.



September 09, 2024 at 06:06 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kevin Garrison.



September 09, 2024 at 05:03 PM

TE

“ Todd and Danye Jakopovic - ESYA purchased the *Your Light Shines for the family of Kevin Garrison*.



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**Todd and Danye Jakopovic - ESYA** - September 09, 2024 at 04:31 PM

FT

“ From All of us at Badger Body & Truck purchased the *Fall Fantasia for the family of Kevin Garrison*.



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**From All of us at Badger Body & Truck** - September 09, 2024 at 02:52 PM

CD

“ Kevin was a good customer of mine and over time became friends. So sorry to hear about his passing. God bless him and his family at this difficult time.

*Bob Dudzik  
Patton Equipment Co.*

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**carol dudzik** - September 09, 2024 at 01:08 PM

EB

“ Elkhorn South Baseball purchased the *Enchanted Cottage for the family of Kevin Garrison*.



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**Elkhorn South Baseball** - September 09, 2024 at 10:57 AM

RV

“ Renee & Jeremy Vokt purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Kevin Garrison.



Renee & Jeremy Vokt - September 09, 2024 at 10:50 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Kevin Garrison.



September 09, 2024 at 10:06 AM

PT

“ Pro Track and Tennis purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Kevin Garrison.



Pro Track and Tennis - September 09, 2024 at 10:04 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kevin Garrison.



September 09, 2024 at 10:02 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kevin Garrison.*



September 09, 2024 at 09:31 AM



“ *Boyd Jones purchased the Simply Elegant Spathi phyllum for the family of Kevin Garrison.*



**Boyd Jones** - September 09, 2024 at 08:36 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Kevin Garrison.*



September 08, 2024 at 06:56 PM



“ *Mike & Chris Tomjack purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Kevin Garrison.*



**Mike & Chris Tomjack** - September 08, 2024 at 06:28 PM

CM

“ Control Logic, Jack Moore purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Kevin Garrison.



Control Logic, Jack Moore - September 08, 2024 at 11:59 AM

CM

“ Control Logic, Jack Moore planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kevin Garrison.

Control Logic, Jack Moore - September 08, 2024 at 11:59 AM

AU

“ Deb and family I was so sad to hear of Kevin’s passing. I pray that you are able to find comfort, peace and strength in his memory. God be with you all! Amy (Dexter) Ulmer 🙏❤️

Amy Ulmer - September 07, 2024 at 11:42 PM

ST

“ SBT TWENTY purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Kevin Garrison.



SBT TWENTY - September 07, 2024 at 08:05 AM

ST

“ SBT TWENTY planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kevin Garrison.

SBT TWENTY - September 07, 2024 at 08:05 AM