



# Garry Kirschman

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# **Garry Kirschman**

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**G**arry Egon Kirschman, age 64 of Pearland, passed away on April 30, 2009. He is preceded in death by his parents, Egon & Betty (Brill) Kirschman. He is survived by his loving wife, Chrissy; sons, Dion Kirschman and Andrew Kirschman; daughters, Dava Kirschman and Terra Kirschman; sisters, Lynette Klein and Voneta Pagliara; uncle, James Kirschman; grandchildren, Noelle, Collin & Nia Kirschman and Gia Gonzales; and a host of many other family and friends.

Garry was born on February 15, 1945 in Scotts Bluff, Nebraska. He enjoyed spending time with his family and kept in touch with them over the phone. His kids affectionately called him "Dee-Daw". Garry was proud of the high-end in home theater and music system he installed himself at his house. He loved the mountains in California, the beach and surf, throwing a frisbee, and playing bass guitar. Garry was truly a child of the '60s and embraced the ideals of this time period throughout his entire life. His memory will be cherished by all those who knew and loved him.

A private family visitation will be held for Garry.



## Tribute Wall

Garry Kirschman

NF

**Noelle Kirschman Flores** posted:

Dee-Daw.....but its only 5 years later and your on my mind every day, I miss you! you are gone yet you are always with me, I keep a picture of you in my room and talk to you now and then and I pray you hear me! Even though your person isnt here anymore you somehow managed to get in almost every one of my sweet 16 pictures, by the photo I have of you that was sitting on my table. It wasnt planed that way so when I saw it I knew you had to be there and to this day it gives me the biggest smile....I miss you, I love you and I hope you still remeber the letter I wrote you...and I promise the day god calls me ill jump through the phone!! (insider) please continue to watch over all of us! ill see you soon from 1 day to 100 years either way thats not long to wait to spend eternity with you and everyone

September 2 at 7:00 PM

MA

**Marti** posted:

So sorry to hear of Garry's passing. But I do rejoice at the full life of love and family and music that surrounded him in his life. And of course the frisby!

June 25 at 7:00 PM

DK

**David Klaus** posted:

You were tied for first among my favorite cousins. You captured my heart from the start as you did with everyone else. You cared immensely about other people as well as animals who needed help. Your frisbee game was unmatched. Nobody could throw into a breeze as well as you. Your catches were extraordinary. Whenever I see a frisbee, I remember our countless games together. Whenever I hear music or see a guitar, I think of you and how much I enjoyed listening to you play a mellow song on your guitar. Your magnetic laugh will never leave my ears and mind. I'm looking forward to hearing it again in the great beyond.

June 8 at 7:00 PM



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FK

**Faith Kirschke** posted:

I miss you so much Uncle Garry...i seriously dont kno wut to do now that ur gone:( I absolutely adored everything about you...you were more than an uncle, more than a best friend, u were also my hero and role model. I love you so much and wish u were still here..I miss talking to you everyday and i miss our amazing connection that we had...and just like Dava said I will NEVER b able to move on from this...but i kno u would want me to move forward and thanks to mom and aunt Lynette and Dava and Deon's help I will begin to try. U were my world and life...Ive never had anything or anyone like you...words cant explain how much you mean to me uncle garry..I still talk to u and cry to u everyday so i really hope your listening! HELP ME!! Cuz Lord knows i need it xoxoxoxox

June 7 at 7:00 PM

VK

**Voneta Kirschman** posted:

Garry, Gaggy Googoo Gogga, Alfonso Wolfgang Gonaboloach, Andy Gump...you portrayed them all in such a hilarious way. I miss them all but mostly YOU! I got WAAAYYY TOO USED to your calls every day. I miss your encouraging words, your dry sense of humor, your bass guitar 'flung over your back, sitting at the piano with your head hanging down, shaking your hair all over as you played and sang 'the 60s songs! making us laugh till we peed out pants, and your rendition of having a cold with your 'dose all peugged up! And forever implanted in my mind is you FAITHFULLY waking Lynette and me up EARLY ON SATURDAY MORNINGS(when we looked forward to sleeping in!!lol)by playing your trombone LOUDLY (WITH PRIDE) at the foot of our bed!! Your mission was to make sure there was never a DULL moment. Mission accomplished! I will treasure the bond we have and the lasting impression you've left on my youngest daughter, Faith. She grew to love and cherish you and has grieved incredibly since your passing. Thank you for caring so much for her and letting her know how much I do! Lynette and I will never be able to hear the song, 'I FOUND WHAT I WANTED' without crying 'BIG TIME'....knowing that we can't sing it anymore because the third part is missing ... something that brought so much joy to us all...so sing 'up there' with all your might ... for we will sing again together....when Lynette and I join you, Mom and Dad ...in the sweet by and by! I LOVE YOU GARRY SO SO MUCH!

June 6 at 7:00 PM

UJ

**Uncle James** posted:

When we were kids we played together. When we were teens we dreamt of becoming a rock band and enjoyed the high's and low's of puberty. When we were young adults we helped each other through tough times and lived together for support. In our middle age we did business together. Through it all we were connected in our hearts as though we were brothers. Now that you are gone, I look forward to seeing you again and continuing our appreciation for each other forever.

June 6 at 7:00 PM



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LK

**Lynette Klein** posted:

Garry: My heart hurts so bad! The tears come at the mention of your name, a song, a thought. Our close sibling relationship was beyond this earth. We were supernaturally bonded. We had similar dreams, we would wake up at the same time, have the same sleepless nights, call each other even knowing there would not be an answer until later due to time differences. Our lives, Garry, are so incomplete, we were so interrupted by tragedy. You tried so hard in your endeavors, but had no direction from anyone. Instead, people drained you of energy until you just got tired of fighting. Your humor will never be replaced, thus I shall never laugh the same. Our voices will never harmonize at an instance again, and Voneta and I will sing an incomplete chord until we are with you on the otherside. You truly were a one and only! Love forever, your sister Lynette.

June 5 at 7:00 PM

CK

**Cindy Kornafel** posted:

Garry, you were there with the Rocky Road ice cream at 2:00 a.m. (or was it 2:08? or 2:13????!!) when I was completely distressed. (Ok, totally a MESS!) Yes, I remember, it was COLD outside, yet the ice cream made all the difference. I knew you had "perfect pitch" here on earth, yet I KNOW NOW that you have HEARD the TRULY PERFECT pitch!! Ahh, and I know in my heart, you have sought out Keith Green, and are both playing the MOST BEAUTIFUL music for your Savior and Lord of all, Jesus [Selah] And, I believe, David is DANCING!!!!!!!!!!) You have the PEACE we all LONG for. One day, we hope to be there with you—in that place of LOVE. Just LOVE. [Selah] Yup, "I kin ere you laughin with my Momma—like the night Terra Joy was born at the Perkins!!!!(I hope there is sarcasm in Heaven!!) I know Bunny Girl and Chrissy miss you, yet they have the peace to know where you are and that they, and we, will see you once again, in that GREAT PLACE where there is no more sickness, no more crying, no more saddness.....just the Joy of the Lord!!! Peace & Love Cindy & Dave

June 1 at 7:00 PM

TK

**Terra Kirschman** posted:

Daddy, I will always love you! I will never forget the time we (me you and mommy) went to disney world! You and i went on splash mounian and said it was the best ride!!! i know mommy and you loved the hang glider! i wish i could relive that week! i at least want to relive the last time i held your hand. i want to hear you say i love you! i want to give you a hug! and i want to see your face! I, we all miss you! Thanks 4 being my daddy 4 10 years! I love you! TerraBerra

May 30 at 7:00 PM



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MH

**Michael Hunsberger** posted:

I really never got to know Garry well, he was the husband of my cousin Chrissy. I do know however, that his time on this earth was very meaningful, more than most of us have experienced in our lives. The way that my favorite cousin talked about him, even through e-mail I sensed that their love for each other was on a much higher plane than most people could grasp or understand. He loved his Terra Joy, his music, and most of all he loved his God. Most of us base our life on monetary things, we forget the important things in life. Family, friends... a good laugh and a heartfelt hug. We can all learn something by what he accomplished in his life, and that was happiness for him and everyone that knew him. Peace to you Garry! Mike Hunsberger

May 28 at 7:00 PM

RG

**Richard Guerrero** posted:

Garry, My last moment to see you my friend was the Monday before you left us on Thursday. You did send me a message I requested from you was that you would let me know that everything was alright on the other side. Your message came to me twice. First on the day you passed and again on that Sunday. The reply I got on my cell phone was "God told me to tell you that everything you're going through is taken care of." I want to thank you my friend.

May 21 at 7:00 PM

DA

**Dava** posted:

i love u dee-daw an i miss u soooooo very much!!! i can not move on from this. my life has totally changed 4ever!!! i find myself still trying to call u. (im having dee-daw withdraws) as we'd say!!! you will NEVER be forgotten!!! i cant wait to see u again. life is almost not worth living without u!!! but i have to 4 my kids!!! but in the meantime, please be with me, an make a place 4 me next to u. u were way more than a dad u were the greatest dee-daw there ever was. there will never be another who could love me like u. u r deeply missed by me dion, an my kids. we love u "noelle said u expect her to jump through the # ,so u jumping through demensions should be no prob. so whats taking so long. lol"

May 14 at 7:00 PM



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CH

**Chrissy** posted:

Garry was the love of my life and always will be. A master at frisbee, sound, bass guitar and the cosmos, he will be greatly missed by Terra, our daughter, and me. We rejoice, however, in the grace of God, and His totally awesome Son, Jesus Christ, with whom Garry is currently abiding with. He hasn't visited me yet in my dreams, but I expect he may be hanging out with his dad, Egon, who died when Garry was 12, and his mom, Betty. Garry was a free spirit, to say the least, and was unlike anyone I've ever known yet alone loved. If I may quote one of Garry and my dearest friends, Bob Young: "and the love we shared with people here will live forever, too ..." Thank you all for your kind words and prayers. Mrs. Garry Egon Kirschman, forever and a day.

May 13 at 7:00 PM

KP

**Kathy And Jeff Payson** posted:

We will miss Garry. He was a joy to know and we are better for having known him. His talent and good humor will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends at this time of sorrow.

May 12 at 7:00 PM

GO

**Garry Olah** posted:

I was so sad to hear of Garry's passing. It has been a few years since Garry and I last spoke and I regret that more than anything. Garry was one of the kindest and gentlest souls I have ever met and my life has been better for having know Garry Kirschman. I and everyone else who got to know Garry loved him and will miss him dearly. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family during this time of loss, but they should take comfort in knowing that Garry lived a full life and was a wonderful person.

May 10 at 7:00 PM

MG

**Monica Guerrero** posted:

I have many charished memories of Gary. A true gem. May God Bless him.

May 3 at 7:00 PM



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