



## Kevin "Wheels" Cary

January 19, 1975 - July 30, 2012

Kevin "Wheels" Cary passed away July 30, 2012. Kevin was born January 19, 1975 in Lansing Michigan and was a Grand Ledge High School Graduate Class of 1993. He worked for Douglas Steel Co. in Lansing but in 1998 sustained a traumatic spinal cord injury while swimming which resulted in Kevin becoming a quadriplegic. However, Kevin did not allow this injury to define his life; instead he worked hard to overcome his physical limitations and participated in activities such as: wheel chair rugby, water skiing, bike racing, pool and downhill skiing, just to mention a few. Kevin is survived by parents, Vickie (Dennis) Cary-Tice and Thomas (Vicki) Cary; brother, Shane (Jessica) Cary; sisters, Tiffany (Larry) Salas and Stacie Cary; nieces and nephews, Amber, Kari, Aaron, Thomas, Nikolas, Joshua, Kylie, Isabella and Aaliyah. A memorial service will be held Tuesday, August 7, 2012, 11:00 AM at the Holihan-Atkin Funeral Home, Grand Ledge with The Reverend Dawn Donato of the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Officiating. The family will receive friends Monday from 2-4:00 PM and 6-8:00 PM at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be given to the family to be used according to their wishes or Mary Free Bed Rehabilitation Hospital, 235 Wealthy Avenue, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503-5299. Online condolences and memories at [www.holihanatkin.com](http://www.holihanatkin.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 6. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
406 N. Bridge Street  
Grand Ledge, MI 48837  
(517) 627-2531  
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## Visitation

AUG 6. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

AUG 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



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**Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home** - July 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ *Karl & Krissy Falster lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



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**Karl & Krissy Falster** - August 08, 2012 at 02:23 PM

MB

“ *MYSHELL BENOIT lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



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**MYSHELL BENOIT** - August 08, 2012 at 02:19 PM

KH

“ *Kelley Holcomb lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



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**Kelley Holcomb** - August 08, 2012 at 08:50 AM

LD

“ *Laura DeJong lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



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**Laura DeJong** - August 07, 2012 at 11:21 PM

SD

“ *Sherry Doty-Renton lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



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**Sherry Doty-Renton** - August 07, 2012 at 03:08 PM

JR

“ *Jesse Rohdy lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



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**Jesse Rohdy** - August 07, 2012 at 10:54 AM

AH

“ Aunt Hazel lit a candle in memory of Kevin  
"Wheels" Cary



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**Aunt Hazel** - August 07, 2012 at 09:42 AM

MV

“ Michelle And Jesse Varney lit a candle in  
memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



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**Michelle and Jesse Varney** - August 07, 2012 at 07:56 AM

MR

“ Marq Richard lit a candle in memory of Kevin  
"Wheels" Cary



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**marq richard** - August 06, 2012 at 10:30 PM

GP

“ Gary Pate lit a candle in memory of Kevin  
"Wheels" Cary



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**gary pate** - August 06, 2012 at 08:19 PM

GP

*Kevin was a good guy, a good friend...his passing leaves a genuine void. Many blessings to his family.*

**gary pate** - August 06, 2012 at 08:21 PM

EH

“ *Ed Holcomb lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



**Ed Holcomb** - August 06, 2012 at 07:53 PM

JH

“ *JoAn Holcomb lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



**JoAn Holcomb** - August 06, 2012 at 07:49 PM



“ *lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



August 06, 2012 at 06:30 PM

TT

“ Tammy & Todd lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



Tammy & Todd - August 06, 2012 at 03:26 PM

MW

“ Mindy Whiteside lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



Mindy Whiteside - August 06, 2012 at 01:41 PM

MW

Vicki - I was Kevin's Recreation Therapist at MFB. I am so sorry to hear about Kevin, he was one of my very favorite patients!!! I often wondered how he was doing and I see, via his obit, that he continued to be active and engaged in life. I will always have a special place in my heart for Kevin. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers!! Mindy Whiteside

Mindy Whiteside - August 06, 2012 at 01:48 PM

SW

“ Stephanie Williams lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



stephanie williams - August 06, 2012 at 12:00 PM

SL

“ Sue Langin lit a candle in memory of Kevin  
"Wheels" Cary



Sue Langin - August 06, 2012 at 09:27 AM



“ Lorri Crouse lit a candle in memory of Kevin  
"Wheels" Cary



Lorri Crouse - August 05, 2012 at 07:08 PM



“ Cathy Motcheck lit a candle in memory of  
Kevin "Wheels" Cary



cathy motcheck - August 05, 2012 at 05:17 PM

ST

“ Stacy lit a candle in memory of Kevin  
"Wheels" Cary



Stacy - August 05, 2012 at 02:21 PM

JB

“ Jennifer Burnham lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



Jennifer Burnham - August 05, 2012 at 01:58 PM

BE

“ Becky lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



Becky - August 05, 2012 at 01:51 PM

CH

“ Charles lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



Charles - August 05, 2012 at 01:05 PM

RT

“ Roberta Tunink lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



Roberta Tunink - August 04, 2012 at 11:35 PM

RS

“ Rachel Stroud lit a candle in memory of Kevin  
"Wheels" Cary



Rachel Stroud - August 04, 2012 at 07:51 PM

LJ

“ Lorrie Jensen lit a candle in memory of Kevin  
"Wheels" Cary



Lorrie Jensen - August 04, 2012 at 07:36 PM

RH

“ Roxann Hamel lit a candle in memory of  
Kevin "Wheels" Cary



Roxann Hamel - August 04, 2012 at 06:39 PM

RF

“ Roger Tice And Family lit a candle in memory  
of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



Roger Tice and Family - August 04, 2012 at 06:36 PM



“ Kevin would put me on his lap and take me out on the dancefloor and we rocked it ! He always had a hug and kiss for me and I was truly lucky to have had him in my life . Never forgotten , always loved

August 04, 2012 at 06:24 PM



“ Gina Barber lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



**Gina Barber** - August 04, 2012 at 05:36 PM



“ lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary



August 04, 2012 at 04:53 PM



*safe journey my friend*

August 04, 2012 at 06:26 PM

JH

“ *Jamie Hillman lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



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**Jamie Hillman** - August 04, 2012 at 03:49 PM

DS

“ *Danlel Stewart lit a candle in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



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**Danlel Stewart** - August 04, 2012 at 03:44 PM

SC

“ *Stacie Cary sent a virtual gift in memory of Kevin "Wheels" Cary*



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**Stacie Cary** - August 04, 2012 at 03:31 PM

SC

*You will be forever in our hearts.....we love you and always will*

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**Stacie Cary** - August 04, 2012 at 03:32 PM



“ *Tammy Ibarra lit a candle in memory of Kevin  
"Wheels" Cary*



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**Tammy Ibarra** - August 04, 2012 at 01:48 PM



*You will be missed Kevin. Rest In Peace my friend, save a pool game  
for me*

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**Tammy Ibarra** - August 04, 2012 at 01:48 PM