



## George Kravchenko

March 16, 1989 - July 27, 2024

George Kravchenko, age 35, of Holland, Michigan, USA, passed away unexpectedly in his home on Saturday, July 27, 2024.

Watch the Memorial Service here at <https://www.facebook.com/LangelandSterenbergFuneralHome>

A video recording of the service will also be posted on this site should any issues arise with the Facebook livestream.

He was born in Cherkasy, Ukraine and emigrated to the United States in 2006. George graduated from Mattawan High School in 2008, and Western Michigan University in 2012 with a Bachelor of Science Degree. Following graduation, he moved to Holland and worked for Rutherford and Associates for over 11 years. He was a great software engineer and well respected at his company.

He and his friend Zack recently started their dream as partners of a software development company called SharkeyByte. They promised each other since college that they eventually would quit their 9-5 jobs and do something together.

Personally, he liked camping and running with his friends, playing disc golf. He used to do karate when he was a teenager back in Ukraine getting awarded a

brown belt. George was a huge fan of Star Wars, especially Baby Yoda, liked gaming a lot and watching action and sci-fi movies. He fell in love with biking and recently bought a motorcycle that he rode everywhere. He loved to get philosophical although very much had his own way of thinking.

George was extremely helpful, generous, and kind to all his friends and family. He was supporting his mom and cousin in Ukraine financially since he was a college student after moving to the United States. He liked kids and could easily connect with them, being very attentive and loving to his nieces Alisa and Elizabeth. George was also a father to his two cats Alex and Eliza that he rescued from a shelter. The cats meant the world to him.

He is survived by his father, Alex Portyanko of Florida; mother, Oksana Kravchenko of Ukraine, siblings Kateryna, Oksana, Pylyp, and cousins Iryna and Veronika.

A memorial service will be 2:00 p.m. Saturday, August 3, 2024, at Langeland-Sterenbergh Funeral Home, 315 E. 16th St. Holland.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made via link below to cover memorial expenses and support his family in Ukraine. <http://tiny.cc/d99czz>

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

AUG 3. 2:00 PM (ET)

Langeland-Sterenberg Funeral Home  
315 East 16th Street  
Holland, MI 49423

# Tribute Wall

YF

“ Your Cupid and Venus family. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of George Kravchenko.



Your Cupid and Venus family. - August 02, 2024 at 06:58 PM

RA

“ Ruthie & Ben Apple purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of George Kravchenko.



Ruthie & Ben Apple - August 02, 2024 at 09:39 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of George Kravchenko.



August 01, 2024 at 10:43 PM

MT

“ Madeline Brown and Abby Thackray planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George Kravchenko.

Madeline Brown and Abby Thackray - August 01, 2024 at 10:43 PM

JH

“ Jeff and Olena Heyn purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of George Kravchenko.



Jeff and Olena Heyn - August 01, 2024 at 09:09 PM

EF

“ eoStar/VIP Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of George Kravchenko.



eoStar/VIP Family - August 01, 2024 at 03:54 PM

CR

“ Clementine R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George Kravchenko.

Clementine R. - August 01, 2024 at 02:58 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of George Kravchenko.



August 01, 2024 at 02:25 PM

RA

“ Rabi planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George Kravchenko.

Rabi - August 01, 2024 at 02:25 PM

IS

“ Integrated Parking Solutions purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of George Kravchenko.



Integrated Parking Solutions - August 01, 2024 at 10:07 AM

IS

“ Integrated Parking Solutions planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George Kravchenko.

Integrated Parking Solutions - August 01, 2024 at 10:07 AM

TF

“ The Schoenberg Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of George Kravchenko.



The Schoenberg Family - July 31, 2024 at 09:46 PM

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“ *The Schoenberg Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of George Kravchenko.*

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**The Schoenberg Family** - July 31, 2024 at 09:46 PM