



Edward J. Krisjanis

January 15, 1954 - February 17, 2026

Edward Krisjanis of Toledo, Ohio, passed peacefully on February 17, 2026. Ed was an easy-going, fun-loving, athletic and adventurous man. Ed's physical endeavors included hiking and biking; downhill, cross-country, and water skiing; playing handball, raquetball, platform tennis, and pickleball. Ed continued to bicycle, albeit less stringently, until three months prior to his passing. Ed loved delicious food and improved his grilling, baking, and cooking talents during his time with Toledo Fire and Rescue. Having a great sense of humor, Ed valued clever television and movies. Ed appreciated mentally-challenging card and board games, cryptograms, and Kakuro puzzles. Ed hiked, biked or skied many parks in the United States. Ed traveled to Germany to visit aunts, uncles and cousins.

Ed was a graduate of Maumee High School, worked for F&L Masonry, and retired from Toledo Fire and Rescue.

Ed left behind wife, Deanne; sister, Liz; and brothers, Karlis (Diane), Tom (Claudia), and Ron (Sandy). Also surviving are nieces, Kate (Erik) Blake, Ingrid Cooper, Britta, and Ursula; and nephew, Karlis (Danya) and great nieces and nephews; along with brothers-in-law, Steve and Ken Przybylski; and close friend, Margaret Eldred.

Family and friends may offer condolences on Tuesday, February, 24, between

11am and 3pm, at Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd, Toledo. For those looking to offer donations, suggestions might be to Hospice of Northwest Ohio or Alzheimers Association, which have been very helpful to Ed's family.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **24**. 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral Home
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614

Tribute Wall

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Thomas Budde - March 02 at 02:05 PM

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“ Dear Deanne,
dear Krisjanis family,



I add some pictures here from our visit in Toledo on 2015. Actually it has been the only time we could meet Eddie. I personally can't remember when he was over in Germany. Back in these days I was to young. But I'll talk to mom and dad if they have some of the old pictures left.

When we met in Toledo it was in fact Eddie who suggest to have a family reunion together with my 50th birthday. It was exactly when we sat in the cafe as you can see on the pictures. Despite Eddie - who always remembered me of the actor Billy Bob Thorton - never appeared at our reunion he sparked the idea what became a great week, for me personally unforgettable! So it is, that's how everlasting remembrance develop.

Cousin Tommy kept me updated a bit and so we knew about Eddies dimentia and how it typically and slowly developed. And he told us how great Deanne was taking care of Eddie. What a huge task and love!

We are happy that we met Eddie and we hope that our dear cousin is doing very good now and from somewhere watches our "important businesses" down here on the pale blue dot with his unmatched and in-depth smile!

Love and heartfelt sympathy sends,

Uli & Thomas from Bremen, Germany

Thomas Budde - March 02 at 02:02 PM

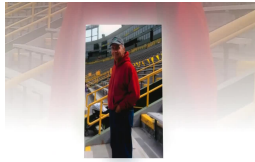
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“ Deanne, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your husband Ed. I enjoyed playing pickleball with him and am saddened by this news.

Mary Morris - February 25 at 09:19 PM

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COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - February 23 at 05:17 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Edward J. Krisjanis.

February 20 at 08:59 AM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Edward J. Krisjanis.



February 20 at 08:59 AM