



Jerry Kline
May 1, 1939 – February 10, 2024

Lake Toxaway United Methodist Church
SERVICE OF WORSHIP
in Celebration of the Life of and in
Witness to the Resurrection of Life unto Eternal Life
for
JERRY KLINE
May 1, 1939 – February 10, 2024
Lake Toxaway United Methodist Church
March 2, 2024 ~ 2:00 PM

2:00 P.M. Livestream is available on the LTUMC YouTube channel:
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCgtuJe20i8DN7S_Cfg1sWCg

RINGING OF THE BELL – *Please observe silence as we prepare for the service.*

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE

GATHERING

WORD OF GRACE

HYMN #77

How Great Thou Art

PRAYER

L: The Lord be with you.

P: And with thy spirit.

L: Let us pray.

O God of grace and glory, we remember before you this day, our brother, Jerry. We thank you for giving him to us, his family and friends, to know and to love as a companion on our earthly pilgrimage. In your boundless compassion, console us who mourn. Give us faith to see in death the gate of eternal life, so that in quiet confidence we may continue our course on earth, until by your call, we are reunited with those who have gone before, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

Psalm 23 – Caleb Kline

Matthew 25:21 – Robert Kline

John 14:1-6 – Alex Campo

HYMN #534

Be Still My Soul

HOMILY

EULOGY – REMEMBRANCES

Michael Kline, Kristine Campo, Andrew Campo

STATEMENT OF FAITH #881 (*The Apostles' Creed*)

***I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.***

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER # 895

HYMN #377

It Is Well With My Soul

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Pastor: Marcus Dodson

Organist: Charlie Steele

*Following the service there will be a small reception at the Lake Toxaway Community Center in the small building.
Lake Toxaway Community Center
81 Slick Fisher Rd.
Lake Toxaway, NC 28747*

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JERRY KLINE

Jerry Kline, 84, passed away February 10, 2024.

Jerry is survived by his wife Barbara; children Kristine, Robert, and Michael; stepdaughter Michele; sister Karen; his nine grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

A 24-year resident of Lake Toxaway and Sapphire, Jerry retired to Transylvania County, NC after a long and successful career in Human Resources. From his childhood in Michigan and Ohio and after his graduation from The Ohio State University his career took him to many places including Louisville, Rock Hill, SC, Miami, Chicago, Boston, Hong Kong and Fort Worth, TX.

Indeed, travel was a great passion for him as documented in his Columbus, OH West High School assignment of one hundred things you want to do in life. At the time this was a fanciful list performed quickly to satisfy the assignment but rediscovered later in life and surprisingly to him many items had already been completed. Going forward he endeavored to accomplish the full list and at the time of his passing Jerry accomplished 92 of these goals. He passed this list down to each of his grandchildren, nieces, and nephews upon middle school graduation to inspire them to accomplish their dreams. Many of his loved ones were fortunate to tag along with him on these adventures, and particularly his wife Barbara.

Jerry was also an avid golfer, gardener, DIY handyman, consummate prankster and in his retirement years he was an active volunteer with Lake Toxaway United Methodist church where he put his skills to the benefit of those less fortunate.

His grandchildren will always have wonderful memories of summers at Lake Toxaway, the many waterfall hikes and especially the tall tales he loved to tell. His children are forever grateful to have been blessed with such a gracious father. To his sister he was a pillar in her life. To his wife Barbara, a soulmate.

A celebration of life is planned for March 2, 2024, 2:00 PM, at Lake Toxaway United Methodist Church.

In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations be made to:

*Alzheimer's Foundation of America, 322 Eighth Avenue, 16th Floor,
New York, NY 10001.*

How Great Thou Art

1. O Lord my God! when I in awe-some won-der Con-sid-er all the worlds Thy hands have
 2. When through the woods and for-est glades I wan-der And hear the birds sing sweet-ly in the
 3. And when I think that God, His Son not spar-ing, Sent Him to die, I scarce can take it
 4. When Christ shall come with shout of ac-cia-ma-tion And take me home, what joy shall fill my

made, I see the stars, I hear the roll-ing thun-der, Thy pow'r thro'-out the u-ni-verse dis-
 trees; When I look down from loft-y moun-tain gran-deur And hear the brook and feel the gen-tle
 in; That on the cross, my bur-den glad-ly bear-ing, He bled and died to take a-way my
 heart! Then I shall bow in hum-ble ad-o-ra-tion And there pro-claim, my God, how great Thou

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played,
 breeze;
 sin;
 art!

Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God to Thee; How great Thou art, how great Thou

art! Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God to Thee; How great Thou art, How great Thou art!

Be Still, My Soul

1. Be still, my soul: the Lord is on your side.
 2. Be still, my soul: your God will un - der - take
 3. Be still, my soul: the hour is has - tening on

Bear pa - tient - ly the cross of grief or pain;
 to guide the fu - ture, as in a - ges past.
 when we shall be for - ev - er with the Lord,

leave to your God to or - der and pro - vide;
 Your hope, your con - fi - dence let noth - ing shake;
 when dis - ap - point - ment, grief, and fear are gone,

in ev - ery change God faith - ful will re - main.
 all now mys - te - rious shall be bright at last.
 sor - row for - got, love's pur - est joys re - stored.

WORDS: Katharina von Schlegel, 1752; trans. by Jane Borthwick, 1855 (Ps. 46:10)
 MUSIC: Jean Sibelius, 1899; arr. from *The Hymnal*, 1933

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Be still, my soul: your best, your heaven - ly friend
Be still, my soul: the waves and winds still know
Be still, my soul: when change and tears are past,

through thorn - y ways leads to a joy - ful end.
the Christ who ruled them while he dwelt be - low.
all safe and bless - ed we shall meet at last.

It Is Well with My Soul

1. When peace, like a riv - er, at - tend - eth my way,
 2. Though Sa - tan should buf - fet, though tri - als should come,
 3. My sin, oh, the bliss of this glo - ri - ous thought!
 4. And, Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight,

when sor - rows like sea bil - lows roll; what - ev - er my
 let this blest as - sur - ance con - trol, that Christ has re -
 My sin, not in part but the whole, is nailed to the
 the clouds be rolled back as a scroll; the trump shall re -

lot, thou hast taught me to say, It is well, it is
 gard - ed my help - less es - tate, and hath shed his own
 cross, and I bear it no more, praise the Lord, praise the
 sound, and the Lord shall de - scend, e - ven so, it is

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well with my soul.
 blood for my soul. It is well with my soul,
 Lord, O my soul!
 well with my soul. It is well with my soul,

it is well, it is well with my soul.

WORDS: Horatio G. Spafford, 1873
 MUSIC: Philip P. Bliss, 1876

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