



## David A. Kraska

April 4, 2023

David Alan Kraska, 53, of Berea, Ohio, passed away of natural causes on March 3rd, 2023. David is survived by his sister Tracey Erickson, father David J. Kraska, brothers Darryl and Dylan Kraska, sister Sarah Kraska, cousins Christopher Saplak and Shauna Discenza (nee Saplak), family, chosen family, many friends, and his beloved pitbull mix, Lucy. Preceding David in death were his mothers: Linda Kay Saplak and Dorothy Hawver (Morton, nee Saplak), stepfather Everett Morton, brothers William and Alan Saplak, and his adored dogs Cu Culainn and Sydney. David will be remembered by so many for his talent in the music he made, his vinyl pop art, his songwriting, and his ability to bring people together for great events celebrating music and art. He was a talented artist, musician, and songwriter. He was lead singer-songwriter in the band, Decadent, and participated in projects with many other bands and artists as well. David never knew a stranger, and he enjoyed making connections with those he encountered. He had a deep love for nature and animals, organizing benefits for local animal rescue organizations. He has friends who intend to continue this annual tradition, to honor him. Please join us to Celebrate the Life, Music and Art of Dave at his favorite local bar on April 23rd, 2023 from 2-10 pm at The Oriole Café at 294 N Rocky River Dr. Berea. Friends of David will be performing throughout the day covering his songs and songs he loved to perform. Put on your favorite hat as we remember the vivacious life of a friend, an artist, and a man who brought so much life to everything he touched. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions for expenses

will be humbly received at our Celebration of Dave's Life or at <https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/scorpchic?> Thank you and God bless.