



David E. Ward

March 19, 1948 - December 27, 2020

David E. Ward, 72, of Camp Hill, PA passed peacefully on December 27, 2020. He was born to Ernest Ward and Marie Shriver in Fort Fairfield, ME on March 19, 1948. David will always be remembered for his numerous motorcycle achievements such as his membership in the Iron Butt Association, riding 35,000 miles around the country, and visiting every province in Canada in addition to every state in the United States. He also retired as a Pennsylvania State Trooper and worked for the U.S. Marshals Service.

David is preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his loving wife Darlene, his son Mark Ward, daughter Corrie Ortega, husband Matt, sisters Crystal Ward and Tami Gowler, husband Michael, and his 5 grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society online at: <https://www.cancer.org/involved/donate.html>.

The Musselman Funeral Home is Honored to Serve The Ward Family. 324 Hummel Avenue, Lemoyne, PA 17043.

Tribute Wall

LD

“ To David’s dear family, David is my cousin and we grew up together. I have many fond memories of the family visits, he was a kind, fun loving person. Although I have not seen him in many years, please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss of your husband and father. Sincerely, Linda Allen Disy

Linda Allen Disy - January 04, 2021 at 10:01 PM

BL

“ So sorry to Dave’s family for this loss. Dave was a genuinely good soul. He was the kind of person you were ALWAYS happy to see. Tough as nails as he faced down his ailment - inspiring to anyone who had to endure any hardship. He will be sadly missed immensely by those who knew and loved him. I know he has smooth roads ahead and he will point that GSA towards the sun. The road is all yours now, Dave - take it and enjoy. I hope to see you again someday and thank you for your inspiration.

Bob Lilley - January 02, 2021 at 11:01 PM

BK

“ Our sincerest condolences to the Ward family. Dave was a great neighbor and someone who would always be there to help when needed. He will be missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing him.

Bob and Mary Kissinger - January 02, 2021 at 12:16 AM

PG

“ Dear Darlene, Corrie, Mark and family, I was so sorry to read of David's death. I pray the Lord will give you His great peace and comfort in the days ahead. My heart goes out to you. With love and sympathy, Patti Gahagan

Patti Gahagan - December 31, 2020 at 10:16 PM

RC

“ Darlene, Mark, Corrie and extended family:

*Sending my most sincere condolences during this difficult time and wishing you peace and many fond memories of my dear cousin, David. He has left us too soon and will be missed by many.
Sincerely, Rhoda Ward Clark and Peter Clark*

Rhoda P Clark - December 30, 2020 at 06:27 AM

LD

*To David's Family, We were so sad to learn of David's passing. He was my cousin and I have so many wonderful memories of our families being together as we grew up. He was such a good person, I have not seen him in so many years and was very sorry to hear of his health struggles in the last few years. My deepest condolences to his family.
Love, Linda Allen Disy*

Linda Allen Disy - January 04, 2021 at 09:52 PM

JD

“ We are so sorry for your loss and our thoughts and prayers go out to Darlene and the Ward family. Dave was fun and always ready for adventure. He was passionate in every level of his life, career and retirement. Try to keep up with him and your hands would be full. You will be missed and can only hope there is a highway in the sky.
Donna & Jim Ditlow

Jim Ditlow - December 29, 2020 at 07:46 PM

SG

“ *St Michael the Archangel, please escort him into heaven. Dave was my PSP partner when we were assigned to the US Marshal Service Fugitive Task Force in Philly. I loved working with him*

Steve Gerkovich - December 29, 2020 at 06:23 PM



“ *You will be dearly missed, but your last battle has been won by you joining God. You served you country well as a proud Marine, State Trooper and to all a good friend. As I told you on our last visit, my only regret is that we did not start blazing more trails together sooner. Yes, we were both strong willed individuals but we also had so much in common that it was scary sometimes and are love of motorcycling and travel was unparalleled . We will continue to carry the torch forward in your memory.*

Larry Troutman Sr - December 29, 2020 at 06:15 PM

JT

“ *Our deepest sympathy to Dave's family. He will be missed by his motorcycling buddies but we know he'll be watching over us!*



Jayne Thompson - December 29, 2020 at 03:10 PM

RS

“ Rest in peace my friend. I'll always remember the passion he had for riding motorcycles, and the trip we had together coming back from Vermont, and another one back from Tennessee. A proud Marine, who served his country. Semper Fi.....
You now have the smoothest roads ahead of you. Prayers and Sympathy to his family, in this time of grieving.
Ride in peace.

Rick

Richard Snyder - December 29, 2020 at 02:52 PM

LZ

Dave, you and Zim shared so many great rides.....even to Hyder, Alaska! Everyone wanted you to stay but God wanted you more. Rest easy my friend. Peg and Zim

Lamont Zimmerman - December 29, 2020 at 03:01 PM