



David R. Bertolet

August 15, 1957 - March 28, 2023

David R. Bertolet, age 65, husband of Deborah (Davis) Bertolet, of North Coventry, passed away on Tuesday, March 28, 2023 in the Fox Chase Cancer Center, Philadelphia. Born on August 15, 1957 in Pottstown, he was a son of the late Virginia (Evans) and Clyde A. Bertolet Jr.

A 1975 graduate of Owen J. Roberts High School, Dave recently retired from EP Henry in Parkerford as a heavy equipment operator. He loved farming and worked on several farms around the area, where he enjoyed working the fields, riding the tractors, being around the animals and of course, the heavy equipment.

Dave would enjoy birdwatching, loved to shoot recreationally and loved his dogs: Daisy and Dutchess, and cat: Zeke. Most importantly, he loved time spent with his grandchildren and around family.

He enjoyed sitting on the back deck with family for cookouts and time spent at the beach, especially on trips to Jamaica with Deborah. Dave could often be found throwing the football or playing basketball with his grandchildren and especially loved swimming in his pool with the grandkids, where he was always squirting them with water.

In addition to his loving wife, Dave is survived by his children: Kenny Bertolet,

Katie L. Bertolet and Debra L. Cook; grandchildren: Abel, Alexander, Tyler & Carleigh; and brothers: Gary R. Bertolet and Glenn A. (Rhonda) Bertolet.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his memorial service on Friday, April 14, 2023, at 11:00 am at Coventry Church of the Brethren, 946 Keen Road, Pottstown, PA. Officiating will be the Rev. Mark Muthler. Friends will be received from 9:45 - 10:45 am at the Church.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Dave's name to the Animal Rescue League of Berks County, 58 Kennel Road, Birdsboro, PA 19508, <https://berksarl.org/berksdonates> or to Coventry Church of the Brethren, 946 Keen Road, Pottstown, PA 19465, <https://www.coventrycob.org/donate.html>.

Arrangements are being handled by the Cattermole - Klotzbach Funeral Home. Condolences may be offered online at www.RoyersfordFuneralHome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 14. 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Coventry Church of the Brethren
South Keim Street and East Cedarville Road
Pottstown, PA 19465

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ I will always cherish the memories of holidays, birthdays, and summertime. Sometimes even a random Sunday afternoon we would would come up and bug you guys, and have dinner together. But you were always welcoming. Life will never be the same without you. You are already so missed. You were always there when I needed help the most. You always made sure everyone you loved were taken care of before yourself. A great man with a great big giant heart that loved to laugh. We weren't blood related, but you we're still my dad. I hope you are sitting somewhere high on a mountain listening to all the birds of the world. It's not goodbye, it's I'll see you later. Lots of love, Debbi, Tyler, Alex, Lil Tyler, and Leigh

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debbi cook - March 30, 2023 at 06:18 PM

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The entire Owen J Roberts Class of 75 would like to offer our deepest Condolences to David's family, and friends. Many of us have special memories with David! May he rest in Peaceful Sleep. Our hearts are broken 💔

Mary Susan Forbes McCloskey - March 31, 2023 at 09:35 AM

DB

I don't know where to begin. Let me start by saying how much I love you and always will. You longed to able to retire and then you were belt this horrible hand you put up a good fight but in the end you grew tired and we had to make the hardest decision to let you go. We spent 16 wonderful years together definitely not long enough in those years you showed me what a loving heart you had you always worried about other people that you cared for first you never told anyone no if you could help them. I will miss you forever and keep you safely tuck away in my heart until I see you again . I love you with all of my heart. Your loving wife deb

Deborah bertolet - April 01, 2023 at 07:03 AM

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We will miss you Dave. We have a lot of good memories to hold on to. Have known you for over 50 years. Rest in peace my friend.

Bob and Brenda Leister - April 01, 2023 at 11:21 AM