

## David P. Dougherty

September 3, 1960 - November 8, 2013

David P. Dougherty, age 53, husband of Tracy L. (Carter) Dougherty, of Royersford, PA died early Friday morning, November 8th, 2013 in his home after a lengthy illness. Born in Downingtown, PA, he is a son of John J. and Dorothy Ann (Scott) Dougherty, of West Chester, PA. Dave was a 1979 graduate of the Downingtown High School. He owned the Dave Dougherty and Associates Allstate Insurance Company in Spring House, PA for many years. He was a very active long term member of the Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church in Royersford. Dave was an avid boater, and loved the time he was able to spend with his family and friends on the Chesapeake Bay.

In addition to his parents and his wife of 28 years, Mr. Dougherty is survived by two sons: Brandon C. Dougherty and John Patrick Dougherty, both at home in Royersford; three sisters: Mary, wife of Dale Hunt, of West Chester, PA; Patricia, wife of Dan Lista, of Harleysville, PA; Karen, wife of Bill Schmitt, of Downingtown, PA; and seven nieces and nephews.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral Mass at the Sacred Heart R.C. Church, Lewis Road at Walnut Street, Royersford, PA on Wednesday morning, November 13, 2013 at 10:00 AM. Officiating will be the Rev. Timothy M. Judge. Burial will be in the St. Ann Cemetery, Phoenixville, PA. Friends will be received from 6:00 - 8:30PM Tuesday evening or from 9:00 - 9:45 AM Wednesday morning at the Church. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts

may be made in his name to the USO of PA and Southern NJ, attention  
Paulette Cleveland, Philadelphia International Airport  
Terminal A-East, 8500 Essington Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19153.

Condolences may be made and the video tribute may be viewed by visiting [www.RoyersfordFuneralHome.com](http://www.RoyersfordFuneralHome.com). The Cattermole-Klotzbach Funeral Home,  
600 Washington Street, Royersford, PA is in charge of the arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Ann Cemetery

502 Main St  
Phoenixville, PA 19460

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 12. 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Sacred Heart Church - Royersford  
Lewis Road at Walnut Street  
Royersford, PA 19468

## Visitation

NOV 13. 9:00 AM - 9:45 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Church - Royersford  
Lewis Road at Walnut Street  
Royersford, PA 19468

## Mass

NOV 13. 10:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Church - Royersford  
Lewis Road at Walnut Street  
Royersford, PA 19468



# Tribute Wall

SH

“ To the family, I will never forget just this past spring when I was working with Dave at his office trying to set appointments with his customers and we were hitting the phone hard and laughing after each call!!! He was so much fun to work with and a bright light to all of us that knew him. We will miss him.....Sallie Humphries

---

**Sallie Humphries** - November 15, 2013 at 03:20 PM

BO

“ We’ve always considered you part of our big USO family and consider your loss as our loss. From all of us at USO Operations, we offer our deepest condolences to you and your family. Although no words can help to ease the loss you bear, just know that you are very close in our thoughts and prayers. We hope that in time the peace that comes from the memories, and from the love that you and Dave shared for so many years, will comfort you now and in the days ahead. May God bless you and keep you close during this difficult time. Jeff, Brian, Alan and the rest of the USO Operations team

---

**Brian Coyle, Jeff Hill, Alan and USO Ops** - November 15, 2013 at 10:46 AM

 Dan  
Young

“ Tracy, Brandon and John Patrick, it is with heavy heart that i pen this letter. Few people leave this world a better place for having lived - your husband, your father was one of them. He loved you three more than anything and spoke of you often always in glowing words. Whether it was exercising, boating or shooting our guns, Dave was a gentlemen and one that i was proud to call a friend. He will be sorely missed.

My mother died a year ago. She enjoyed the slot machines in Las Vegas even though she never won a nickle. She used to exclaim, "someday, when i hit the jackpot, we're all going to be rich." I was with her along with my brothers and sisters when she passed. Three days later, i flew home to Collegeville. Driving home from the airport, I received a call from my brother Chris.

"Dan", he said, "You won't believe what just happened. Susan and i were cleaning mom's closet in the bedroom, when we heard a sound in the living room. We went out to investigate and it stopped. We both turned to go back in to the bedroom when the sound started again. We both looked down and noticed mom's miniature toy slot machine spinning. A moment later it stopped. It stopped on jackpot!"

"We both turned our heads up and said, thanks mom, we get it!"

David will be with us always. May God Bless your family. Dan  
Young

---

Dan Young - November 12, 2013 at 09:02 PM



“ 1 file added to the album VIDEO TRIBUTE



---

**Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home** - November 12, 2013 at 11:31 AM

BG

“ It was a warm fall night. There is a long line in the drive through ATM line. I finally get my turn. Everyone has their windows down. I start making my transaction and in a loud voice I hear " HEY GULDIN - save some for the rest of us" I turn around and about 4 cars back is Dave laughing having gotten everyone in line to look at me. That was Dave, every encounter you had with him, brief or a long conversation, you left it with a smile on your face. He will be missed. Tracy, Brandon, John Patrick our thoughts and prayers are with you. ~ Barry, Kim and the boys.

---

**Barry Guldin** - November 12, 2013 at 10:08 AM

MG

“ *Tracy, Brandon and John Patrick, our sincere condolences to you and your family. Our prayers are with you and your family.*  
*Michael and Lynne Guimond*



---

**Michael N. Guimond** - November 12, 2013 at 09:01 AM

LM

“ *Tracy, Brandon and John Patrick, My sincere condolences to you and your families on Dave's passing. Cameron's and my prayers are with you. Love, Lisa*

---

**Lisa Miner** - November 12, 2013 at 07:23 AM

BM

“ *The other day there was a beautiful sunset and I knew Dave found Heaven and a new crew to tell his stories. He will be missed and forever remembered with his quick smile and great attitude. God Bless you Dave. My prayers are with you, Tracy, Brandon and John Patrick. Love, Bud*

---

**Bud Miller** - November 12, 2013 at 06:56 AM

BM

“ *Bud Miller purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of David P. Dougherty.*



---

**Bud Miller** - November 12, 2013 at 06:40 AM

PR

“ *Tracy, Brandon and John Patrick,  
Sending our thoughts and prayers to you and know we are only  
around the corner if you need anything. Dave was one of the most  
positive people we ever met and he always  
inspired us with his amazing faith.  
Love to all.  
Peggy, Pete, Mike, Matt, and Chris*

---

**PEGGY & PETE RAPP** - November 11, 2013 at 09:52 PM

LF

“ *Love, Joe, Michelle and family purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of David P. Dougherty.*



---

**Love, Joe, Michelle and family** - November 11, 2013 at 05:27 PM

GH

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



---

**George Hall** - November 11, 2013 at 12:46 PM

GH

*Forever in my heart Doc. May God bless and keep you until I see you again.*

---

**George Hall** - November 11, 2013 at 12:47 PM

DF

“ *Denise F. purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of David P. Dougherty.*



---

**Denise F.** - November 11, 2013 at 12:30 PM

JK

“ *Tracy - Mary and I mourn Dave's passing and we pray for you all. You know that he will continue for eternity to look over you and the boys.*

*Jim and Mary King*

---

**Jim and Mary King** - November 11, 2013 at 09:18 AM

MM

“ *My sincere condolences to all the family. Hunting with Dave and the boys always made for a fun day. There was never a day without a story or a laugh when Dave was with us. We won't be able to "Stop me if we've heard this one before" but we will surely miss you! God bless all of you.*

---

**Marc Mancini** - November 11, 2013 at 08:17 AM

AS

“ *Dear John and Dottie Ann:*

*I am so sorry to hear of the passing of you son David. Please know that you and the entire family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Fondly,*

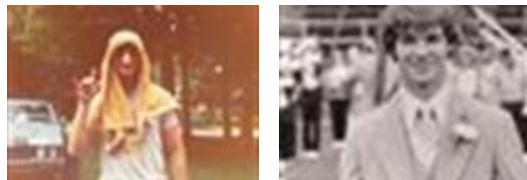
*Annamay Schneider (Sharon's mom)*

---

**annamay schneider** - November 11, 2013 at 07:42 AM

DS

“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



---

**Donna (Storm) Schneider** - November 10, 2013 at 05:31 PM



“ 1 file added to the album VIDEO TRIBUTE



Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - November 10, 2013 at 03:23 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of David P. Dougherty.



November 10, 2013 at 09:36 AM



“ Dear Tracy, Brandon and John Patrick,

*You were so blessed to have such a great person as part of your life. Dave touched so many of us in such wonderful ways.*

*"Come to Me, all who are weary and heavy laden, and I will give you rest."*

*- Matthew 11:28*

*Rosemary Hayn*



Rosemary - November 09, 2013 at 09:37 PM



“ Tracy, Brandon & JP, Our family has a heavy heart trying to understand your loss. Dave was Sean's first basketball coach and then became good friends with JP. Your husband/dad was a wonderful, gentle, and kind man. Sean so enjoyed his time with him at your MD home as well as here in Royersford. We sat with Dave & Tracy at quite a few lacrosse games and so enjoyed talking with you guys. Rich & I just are at a loss for an explanation as to why only the good ones go first and truly he was a good guy!!! We are so so sorry for your loss. May you feel God's loving arms around you and comfort you in this time of sorrow.

*P.S. Bringing you dinner Tues. Will drop off around 11:00 a.m.*

---

**Cheryl Vanartsdalen Tatum** - November 09, 2013 at 07:09 PM

SB

“ Tracy, You are in my prayers. Take good care of yourself in the days ahead. May Father God guide you, comfort you, and shower you with blessings.

---

**Sharon Blair** - November 09, 2013 at 03:22 PM

MZ

“ Tracy, I am so, so sorry to hear of David's passing. :( I had no idea he was battling cancer and was shocked to hear the sad news. I'm so sorry, it's hard to believe. You, Brandon, John Patrick and your families will be in my prayers. May God continue to give you strength and peace to get through the coming days, weeks, and months ahead. Hugs to you. <3

---

**Melanie, John & Nicole Zell** - November 09, 2013 at 03:05 PM

SF

“ Sparhawk Family lit a candle in memory of David P. Dougherty



Sparhawk Family - November 09, 2013 at 02:39 PM

EB

“ I will always cherish my memories of Dave, he was a very special person and will be sorely missed.

Evan Battle - November 09, 2013 at 02:06 PM

KC

“ Tracy, know that you and your sons are in our thoughts and prayers. May God bless your entire family at this sorrowful time.

Kathy and Frank Caffarella - November 09, 2013 at 01:33 PM

TF

“ Our prayers are with Tracy, Brandon, John Patrick and the entire Dougherty family in this time of sorrow. We are so sorry for your loss. Dave was an amazing man.

The Adamski Family - November 09, 2013 at 10:49 AM

TF

*The Adamski Family*

The Adamski Family - November 09, 2013 at 10:50 AM

TM

“ *Teresa Miley-Fillippo lit a candle in memory of David P. Dougherty*



---

**Teresa Miley-Fillippo** - November 09, 2013 at 10:25 AM

TM

*Sending thoughts and prayers to the entire Dougherty family. I will always remember David's sense of humor and his enthusiasm for helping others have fun and enjoy life.*

---

**Teresa Miley-Fillippo** - November 09, 2013 at 10:37 AM

MD

“ *Sending prayers and thoughts to Tracy and her family. God has another amazing Angel in Heaven. Maureen and Anthony DePasquale*



---

**Maureen DePasquale** - November 09, 2013 at 09:57 AM

JM

“ *Judy Meyer lit a candle in memory of David P. Dougherty*



---

**Judy Meyer** - November 09, 2013 at 09:49 AM

FC

“ Frank & Paula Casey lit a candle in memory of David P. Dougherty



Frank & Paula Casey - November 09, 2013 at 09:31 AM

DB

“ My condolences to David's family. I remember his beaming smile and cheerful attitude from High School all to well.

David Blye - November 09, 2013 at 08:27 AM

LR

“ Lorraine Rocci lit a candle in memory of David P. Dougherty



Lorraine Rocci - November 08, 2013 at 07:03 PM

LR

My thoughts and prayers are with Dave's family.

Lorraine Rocci - November 08, 2013 at 07:04 PM

ML

“ Marilyn Lafferty lit a candle in memory of David P. Dougherty



Marilyn Lafferty - November 08, 2013 at 06:52 PM

SG

“ *What a gentleman, cheerful and pleasant - it was always lovely to have a chat with him.  
My sincere condolences to his family.  
Susan*

Susan Gerrity - November 08, 2013 at 05:16 PM

SG

“ *Susan Gerrity lit a candle in memory of David  
P. Dougherty*



Susan Gerrity - November 08, 2013 at 05:14 PM

BP

“ *Terrific husband, father, friend and Agent...We should all live with the passion that Dave did, day in and day out. I will miss you. Bill*

Bill Penney - November 08, 2013 at 05:11 PM

SH

“ *Steve Hagan lit a candle in memory of David  
P. Dougherty*



Steve Hagan - November 08, 2013 at 02:52 PM

EJ

*Dave save a spot for me at the gym and bar...peace brother Ed  
Johnson*

Ed Johnson - November 09, 2013 at 03:30 PM