

Eric J. D'Ercole

January 16, 1982 - April 10, 2016

Eric J. D'Ercole, 34, husband of Rachel (Rosenberry) D'Ercole, of Phoenixville, passed away unexpectedly on Sunday morning, April 10, 2016 at his residence. Born on January 16, 1982 in Wynnewood, PA, he was a son of the late Mario and Sandra (Records) D'Ercole, of Phoenixville.

Eric was a graduate of St. Pius X High School. Eric was a retired Army veteran, having served in Bravo Company 1-111th IN. He loved his job as a court clerk for Montgomery County Courthouse. An active member of St. Ann R.C. Church, Eric assisted with the offertory.

Eric loved kayaking and his beloved dog, Brody, but most important was time spent with Eden.

In addition to his wife and mother, Eric is survived by his daughter: Eden R. D'Ercole; brothers: Silvio P., husband of Sadie D'Ercole, of Phoenixville and John J. D'Ercole, of Phoenixville; nephews: Gavin and Griffin D'Ercole; mother-in-law: Christine Missimer, of Perkiomenville; father-in-law: Harold J. Rosenberry, of Pottstown; and brother-in-law: Adam J. Rosenberry, of Douglassville.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his Mass at St. Ann Chapel, 604 South Main Street, Phoenixville, on Friday, April 15, 2016 at 11:00 am.

Officiating will be Rev. John J. Newns. Interment will follow in the St. Ann Cemetery. Friends will be received from 6:30 - 8:00 pm Thursday evening at Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc, 610 Main Street, Phoenixville and from 9:00 - 10:45 am Friday morning at the Chapel. Memorial contributions may be made to the Eric D'Ercole Memorial Fund, c/o Phoenixville Federal, 120 Main Street, Phoenixville, PA 19460, for the future education of Eden. Condolences may be offered online at www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Ann Cemetery

502 Main St
Phoenixville, PA 19460

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 14. 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc.
610 South Main Street
Phoenixville, PA 19460
(610) 933-3572
<https://CampbellEnnisKlotzbachFuneralHome.com/>

Visitation

APR 15. 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

St. Ann Chapel
604 South Main Street
Phoenixville, PA 19460

Mass

APR 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Ann Chapel
604 South Main Street
Phoenixville, PA 19460

Tribute Wall

CS

“ *Carla Simmonds lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



Carla Simmonds - April 21, 2016 at 10:30 AM

CS

Sandy I am so sorry for your loss! You are in my prayers. May your son rest in peace.

Carla Simmonds - April 21, 2016 at 10:31 AM

MM

“ *Words just cannot express my sorrow for your loss. Your video tribute to Eric was lovely. I know he is still with you and always will be. There is a very special place in our hearts for the loved ones who pass before us. Know that he wants you to be happy. In time, your precious memories will give you comfort and peace. You and your daughter will be in my prayers. Love, Marcia*

Marcia Murphy - April 21, 2016 at 09:06 AM



Thank you... I know you understand loss. I'm so sorry about Megan

Rachel D'Ercole - December 09, 2017 at 10:45 AM

TM

“ You were all in my thoughts today. I am sorry I could not make it down to pay my respects. I would only randomly run into Eric every now and again but he always made it a point to say hello and ask how I was doing.

Tiffany Mercer - April 15, 2016 at 04:04 PM

EC

“ I will always remeber Eric as the kind and fun-loving kid I grew up with. My deespest condolences to his family. Rest In Peace Eric

Elizabeth Cory-Hoey - April 15, 2016 at 12:16 PM

JH

“ Jean Hake lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole



Jean Hake - April 15, 2016 at 06:41 AM

LB

“ My deepest condolences to the D'Ercole family. Highschool seems so long ago but Eric always had a smile on his face was always laughing. It's hard to find ur place back then and my memories of Eric were he always made you feel welcome and he actually made some of my days at St. Pius easier!!! The loss of a young person is never easy but somewhere in the midst of the sadness you have to think he's been called to God for something more then we'll ever understand. #permanentfamilygaurdianangel!!! I'm praying for his widow and child but Eric's spirit will forever be in Eden ...



LeeAnna Bussell - April 15, 2016 at 01:42 AM

RD

Thank you

Rachel D'Ercole - November 18, 2023 at 06:50 PM

BM

“ *I'm so far away and just wish I could be there... Our family will miss you so much. I will never erase our last messages we had together! Love you cuzo 😭*



Brooke Mendez - April 14, 2016 at 10:30 PM

MP

“ *To Eric's special family,
Thank you for sharing this wonderful guy! Eric made me life easier as a person who always cared. As a warm, kind and professional man, he touched many loves and made a difference in my life. I will miss you, my dear friend! Know that I will be praying for you and to you! With Love and Prayers, Mary Pugh and so many other whom you touched!*

Mary Pugh - April 14, 2016 at 08:25 PM

FS

“ *Our hearts break for Rachel, Eden, Sandy, John, Silvio, Sadie, Gavin and Griffin. It touched my heart to see Eric's loving posts and pictures of Rachel and Eden, and it breaks our hearts to know he is gone. We pray for peace for the family through these difficult times. Psalm 91:4 "He will cover you with his feathers, and under his wings you will find refuge."*

Faith and Bob Schlegel - April 14, 2016 at 06:08 PM

SH

“ *My deepest sympathies to his wife and family my deepest sorrows to his mother and brothers Eric will be greatly missed he was a wonderful young man we will keep him in our hearts always. From the Haegele family*



Stella M Haegele - April 14, 2016 at 04:47 PM

AP

“ *Deepest sympathies for the family. "For death is no more than a turning of us over from time to eternity." -William Penn
God Bless,
Amber Ploch*



amber ploch - April 14, 2016 at 03:36 PM

CG

“ *Chrissy Cutlip & Gina Grandy purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Eric J. D'Ercole*



Chrissy Cutlip & Gina Grandy - April 14, 2016 at 03:11 PM

MW

“ Thinking of you during this difficult time. May these words from the holy scriptures bring you comfort.

*"Show me favor, O God, show me favor,
For I take refuge in you,
And in the shadow of your wings I take refuge until the troubles
pass." Psalms 57:1*

Sincerely Sorry,

Ms. Walker - April 14, 2016 at 12:54 PM

BH

“ Bryna & Sharlen Hydutsky purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Eric J. D'Ercole .



Bryna & Sharlen Hydutsky - April 14, 2016 at 11:32 AM

LP

“ Eric will be greatly missed by his whole Montgomery County family. Our thoughts and prayers go out to his family and friends. May he rest in peace.

Linda Piersig - April 14, 2016 at 10:07 AM



“ 2 files added to the album VIDEO TRIBUTE



Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - April 14, 2016 at 08:15 AM

KA

What a loving display of the love shared with and by Eric! This was a wonderful tribute to his too short life! I have him, and those whose life he touched, in my prayers.

Kathleen C Anderson - April 14, 2016 at 03:55 PM



“ A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Eric J. D'Ercole .



April 13, 2016 at 09:37 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eric J. D'Ercole .



April 13, 2016 at 08:09 PM

ST

“ Stephanie lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole



Stephanie - April 13, 2016 at 07:08 PM

GK

“ Sandy and family I am STUNNED to read of Eric's passing. I do not go on FB all the time but something told me to go on this evening. I am sure that was the angels from above. I haven't been in touch recently because of all of my personal trials and tribulations. But we will be SOON. My heart is completely saddened for your family and the boys. You were and are the best MOTHER. RIP Eric - God loves you.

Gloria Krause - April 13, 2016 at 12:29 AM

GK

“ Gloria Krause lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole



Gloria Krause - April 12, 2016 at 11:46 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Eric J. D'Ercole .



April 12, 2016 at 09:17 PM

NR

“ *Rachel and Family,
Know that our hearts break for you over the
tragic loss of Eric.
God Bless!
Norm & Anne (Winnick) Rabenold*



Norm & Anne (Winnick) Rabenold - April 12, 2016 at 04:57 PM

ES

“ *Endre, Lea, Amelia, and Oskar Szalay purchased
the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Eric J.
D'Ercole .*



Endre, Lea, Amelia, and Oskar Szalay - April 12, 2016 at 04:54 PM

EN

“ *Rachel and Eric's Family:*

I will always remember Eric fondly ... thinking back on the last time we spent time with Rachel, Eric, and Eden, Lea and I remembered how absolutely in love Eric was with Eden. He obviously loved being a father. My heart aches for little Eden, but I know she has a loving mother and family. God bless during this difficult time.

Endre

Endre - April 12, 2016 at 04:11 PM

CH

“ *RIP Brother
You are missed
CMG*

Chuck - April 12, 2016 at 02:33 PM

RS

“ *To Rachel, Eden and Eric's Family,
I light this candle in memory of Eric, your
husband, friend, father, brother, cousin, co-
worker, etc. I only knew Eric approximately a
year ago but feel that I've known him as long
as I have known you Rachel. What a wonderful man to have had in
your life. I still am in awe over Eric's passing and my heart aches for
you, Eden and his family. I want you to know I'm sending you a
huge hug (can you feel it) to hold you in my arms letting you know
the feeling I have for you at this time in your struggles that will be of
many stages of mourning. I have such happy moments talking with
Eric and how he treated me with such kindness and caring talks. I
will remember the time we went to the roller rink for Sammy's
Birthday Party and I watched Eric and you walking with Eden as she
was trying to skate. It was an awesome moment for me to see.
Then the last time I saw Eric was at Tony Grey's Birthday Party and
had a wonderful conversation with Eric. Please know that my
thoughts and prayers go out to you, Eden and Eric's family. Know
that Eric lives on within Eden and that the happy memories of Eric
will be stowed upon you in your struggling time. God is your BFF to
getting thru all of this taking the time to know that He is with you
every day. I love you Rachel and my heart felt sympathy is with
you!!!*



Rhonda Schlottman - April 12, 2016 at 02:00 PM

AG

Beautifully written mom!!! i love you!!! xoxo Anna

Anna Gusinde - April 12, 2016 at 08:31 PM

SF

“ *Sherry Farnum lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



Sherry Farnum - April 12, 2016 at 01:56 PM

SF

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

Sherry Farnum - April 12, 2016 at 01:58 PM

WV

“ *Words, however kind, can't mend your heartache: but those who care and share your loss wish you comfort and peace of mind.*

May you find strength in the love of family and in the warm embrace of friends.

Wishing we could take away your tears and pain but please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. We will all miss him very much.

William & Barbara Vitabile - April 12, 2016 at 01:17 PM

TF

“ *To Rachel, Eden and Eric's Family-*

This is just our Temporary Home. Eric is now in a place where it's beautiful and peaceful and will greet each of us when we return to our permanent home. He is now in the Loving Hands of God. He is one of God's Angel's now that will watch over all of us.

Eric John, as I always called him, was a kind and loving person. I met Eric a very long time ago when he worked with my son Tommy at Giant. From the day I met Eric he became someone that I always cared about. He was such a caring person and genuinely interested in you and how you were.

To Rachel and Eden may you always know that our loves ones don't go away, they walk beside us every day. They may be unseen or unheard but they live forever in our hearts and in our memories.

Please accept our most heartfelt sympathy for your loss.

-The Foulds' Family

Toni Foulds - April 12, 2016 at 12:42 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Eric J. D'Ercole .*



April 12, 2016 at 12:36 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Eric J. D'Ercole .*



April 12, 2016 at 10:33 AM



“ *Hayley Cuccolo lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



Hayley Cuccolo - April 12, 2016 at 09:03 AM



So very very sweet Hayley & John!!! We love u! Xoxo Anna & Matt

Anna Gusinde - April 12, 2016 at 11:40 AM



*Our sincere prayers for your entire family as you walk this difficult journey. May God bless each of you and bring you comfort and peace.
Tom & Josie Bachi*

Josie Bachi - April 12, 2016 at 02:03 PM



“ *Donna Morgan lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



Donna Morgan - April 12, 2016 at 08:48 AM

TF

“ *The Vennera Family lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



The Vennera Family - April 12, 2016 at 07:46 AM

PG

“ *Sincere condolences. May Eric's family always feel his love.*

Penny Gatcha - April 12, 2016 at 05:01 AM



“ *Dear D'Ercole family: My thoughts & prayers are going up to our Lord for Eric & family. I hope faith gives you some consolation. May he rest peacefully & eternally in the light of our God.*



Patty Quinn - April 12, 2016 at 04:16 AM

EM

“ *Emilia lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



emilia - April 12, 2016 at 03:48 AM

EM

Sandra anche se o lontana sono vicina a te per in questo momento un abbraccio forte

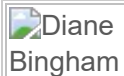
emilia - April 12, 2016 at 03:55 AM



“ *Marsha McQuaid lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



Marsha McQuaid - April 12, 2016 at 01:27 AM



“ *Deepest sympathy to you and your family, Rachel. I so enjoyed sharing in the happiness you, Eric, and Eden showed in pictures on Facebook. Eric's love for you, and yours for him, of course, was so evident. I was happy for you; very happy for the darling "little girl" who wasn't gonna leave my yard, in 1994, until the Marine showed up! You were a spunky young one, and - although I wasn't about to let you know at the time - I genuinely adored your spirit. I hope that undauntable spirit sees you through this unbearable (and downright unfair) event. May the Lord cause his face to shine upon you and Eden and give you peace.*

Diane Bingham - April 11, 2016 at 11:19 PM

RS

“ *Rich Simon lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



Rich Simon - April 11, 2016 at 11:04 PM

DH

“ Dawn Haag lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole



Dawn Haag - April 11, 2016 at 10:53 PM

DH

“ I worked with Eric at Montgomery County Adult Probation and would see him often after he transferred to the courthouse. He was genuine, easy to talk with, was an inspiration and had an adventurous spirit. He served our country and the county of Montgomery in PA. He was always friendly and eager to share a smile and kind words. Eric clearly adored his wife and daughter. His life here, was cut too too short. My deepest condolences to his wife, daughter, family and friends. A part of his spirit will live on in all of those he touched. 🙏 thank you Eric D'Ercole for sharing a part of your spirit with me.

Dawn Haag - April 11, 2016 at 10:53 PM

BF

“ Boyle Family lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole



boyle family - April 11, 2016 at 10:11 PM

Kim Lahnemar

“ So very sorry....Eric was a wonderful person

Kim Lahnemann - April 11, 2016 at 09:35 PM

MA

“ So sorry to hear. Prayers for all of you.

maria - April 11, 2016 at 09:02 PM

SD

“ Steve And Heather Pegler& Daughters lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole



Steve and Heather Pegler& daughters - April 11, 2016 at 08:45 PM

RR

“ Rob & Tonya Robbins lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole



Rob & Tonya Robbins - April 11, 2016 at 08:37 PM

DG

“ Danielle Gasperone lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole



Danielle Gasperone - April 11, 2016 at 08:18 PM

BB

“ 2 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Bill Butler - April 11, 2016 at 07:58 PM

TW

“ *To Rachel and Eden and to Eric's brothers, mother and nephews, words can't describe the sadness that I am feeling right now. Eric was one of the nicest people I have ever known...he was truly the salt of the earth! He will be missed by many people and just know that he is in the loving arms of god now! He loved, loved, loved his wife and daughter and spoke so highly of you! My prayers go out for his entire family..RIP Eric..you were a good soul!*

Tierney Wall - April 11, 2016 at 07:55 PM

DM

“ *Thoughts and prayers are with your family.*



Dottie McCampbell - April 11, 2016 at 07:52 PM

CF

“ *Chripto Family lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



Chripto family - April 11, 2016 at 07:48 PM

HM

“ R.I.P Eric, To His Family: It will take some time to recover from this loss, but trust me. He is in good arms and good company. It is a temporary goodbye and he awaits you in Heaven. I have not seen Eric in quite some time, but spoke with him over the net. He has had some nice things to say to me when I went through some tough times. It was always a pleasure being around him and talking with him when we served in the military together. I am hurting from the loss of such a great man, but God has a plan for us. We don't know what that plan is. Just have faith and let us move on and do something in the name of Eric. I will plant a tree in his name. Rest Easy My Friend. Harold M. Myers

Harold Myers - April 11, 2016 at 07:22 PM

SZ

“ Sue Zollers lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole



Sue Zollers - April 11, 2016 at 07:17 PM

SZ

Praying for Eric's entire family, may God keep you in his loving arms.

Sue Zollers - April 11, 2016 at 07:57 PM

GW

Rest easy, my friend. Prayers to Eric's family. I know his entire courthouse family will miss him every day. That's what it was like to know Eric, like family. He was caring and sweet and friendly to everyone who knew him. We at the courthouse are profoundly saddened by this loss...

Ginny Womelsdorf - April 11, 2016 at 08:15 PM



“ *Kiersten McDonald lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



Kiersten McDonald - April 11, 2016 at 07:12 PM



“ *Tiffany Mercer lit a candle in memory of Eric J. D'Ercole*



Tiffany Mercer - April 11, 2016 at 07:07 PM



“ *Rachel and Eden, I know that no words that I can say can ease your pain or dry your tears. Eric spoke most fondly of you two when we were out on the river and loved to laugh whenever he told stories about Eden's latest adventures. We will all miss him dearly. Please don't hesitate to reach out if there is ever anything I can do.*

Bill Butler - April 11, 2016 at 06:20 PM