



## Michael D. Lawley

October 29, 1951 - January 22, 2024

Michael D. Lawley, age 72, husband of Carol Anne (Buzzard) Lawley, of King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, passed away on Monday, January 22, 2024, in the Paoli Hospital. Born on October 29, 1951 in Philadelphia, he was a son of Georgianna (Vance) Lawley and the late Donald James Lawley.

In his younger days, Michael enjoyed rifle shooting and shooting birds. He played in several dart leagues and often won many tournaments over the years.

He honorably served in the United States Air Force until his retirement as a Master Sergeant. Michael served over parts of three different decades, seeing deployments during the Vietnam War, the Cold War, Operation Desert Storm and Operation Desert Shield. He never had all his Vietnam records documented due to secret operations in Thailand and undocumented missions to support the Vietnam War.

Michael was a member of the Forty and Eight, the American Legion while living in Germany, and the VFW Post 7878 King of Prussia, where he supported, spent a great deal of time, and took minutes for their monthly meetings.

Michael was a great man with the utmost integrity. He was very giving and

thoughtful, always looking out for others. He was also a caring man who helped anyone in need, no matter the cause.

In addition to his wife and mother, Michael is survived by daughters: Joanne, wife of Simon Wass and Sarah, wife of Daniel Velez; grandchildren: Laci, Danny, Ricky, Stacey, Danny, Jamie, Mikey and Jordan; great-grandsons: Cole, Theo, Lucas and Logan; brother: Mark Lawley; sister-in-law: Diane Kemp; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a daughter: Michelle K. "Shelley" Ronewicz; and brother: Dave Lawley.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral service on Wednesday, January 31, 2024, at 11:00 am at the Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Main Street at Fifth Avenue, Phoenixville. Officiating will be Chaplain Kelly Yetter. Interment will follow in the Valley Forge Memorial Gardens. Friends will be received from 10:00 am - 11:00 am at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made in Michael's name to the VFW, Processing Center, P.O. Box 2002, Milford, NH 03055-2002, [www.vfw.org/donate](http://www.vfw.org/donate).

Arrangements are being handled by the Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc. Condolences may be offered online at [www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com](http://www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Valley Forge Memorial Gardens

352 S. Gulph Road  
King of Prussia, PA 19406

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JAN 31. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc.  
610 Main Street  
Phoenixville, PA 19460

## Funeral Service

JAN 31. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael D. Lawley*



**Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home** - January 28, 2024 at 07:18 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



**Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home** - February 01, 2024 at 08:57 AM



*Absolutely Beautiful ❤️ Thankyou For Honouring My Dad, For Reading My Poem And Recording This 🙏🙏🙏*

**Jo Wass** - February 02, 2024 at 01:39 AM

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*Thanks for letting me share this service with you. We only met Mike few times but he was always a gentleman. I still have photos of their wedding with my sister Joan your grandmother. Also your wedding. It's good to know that like my husband, your dad will be watching over you all. Bless you all. Love Mavis*

**Margaret Taylor** - February 02, 2024 at 04:17 AM



“ Forever And Beyond All Eternitys Will We Always Love & Remember You ☐ Fly High To The Angel Zone My Amazing Dad 🕊️  
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**Jo Wass** - January 31, 2024 at 09:10 AM



“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



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**Lawley and Bergey** - January 28, 2024 at 07:35 PM

LB

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Lawley and Bergey - January 28, 2024 at 07:13 PM



“ 40 files added to the album my dad



Sarah Velez - January 26, 2024 at 10:00 PM

MS

“ Matthew & Sonia purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Michael D. Lawley.



Matthew & Sonia - January 26, 2024 at 03:28 PM

CS

“ Carol and sarah purchased the Reflections of Gratitude Casket Spray for the family of Michael D. Lawley.



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Carol and sarah - January 26, 2024 at 12:02 PM

CS

“ Carol and sarah planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Michael D. Lawley.

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Carol and sarah - January 26, 2024 at 12:02 PM

YC

“ Your friends at CoreSource. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Michael D. Lawley.



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Your friends at CoreSource. - January 26, 2024 at 10:36 AM