



David "Dave" L. Schwartz

December 12, 1942 - October 27, 2020

David "Dave" L. Schwartz, 77, of Walnut Hill, passed away on Tuesday, October 27, 2020 at 10:34 P.M. at St. Louis University Hospital. He was born December 12, 1942, the son of Matthew and Pauline (Larsh) Schwartz at St. Mary Hospital in Centralia, Illinois. He married his high school sweetheart, Anne Marie Carl on December 28, 1963 at St. Mary Church in Centralia, Illinois and she survives him.

In addition to his loving wife of 56 years, David is survived by their three sons: Greg (Sharon), Jeff (Kelly), and John (Sandy); Nine grandchildren: Laura (Brad) Sanders, Ethan (Nancy), Aaron (Lauren), Raigen, Kenadi, David, Paul, Albert and Caroline Schwartz; Two great-grandchildren: Zoey Shipley and Corbyn Sanders. David is also survived by four brothers: Steve (Linda), Phil (Debbie), Tom (Nancy) and Tony; a sister: Sara Jean (Steve) Smith; two sisters-in-law: Carolyn Kimley and Kathy Miller; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Ruth Ann.

David attended St. Mary School and graduated from Centralia Township High School in 1960. He graduated from Centralia Junior College in 1962 and Southern Illinois University - Carbondale in 1964 with a Bachelor of Science in Horticulture. He was employed by the Illinois Department of Agriculture as a Marketing Specialist and retired after 35 years of service. David was a member of St. Mary Church and the Knights of Columbus. He was a very loyal Democrat, who served on the Marion County Board, Centralia Township

Board, Marion County Housing Board, Elderly Housing Board, Marion County Farm Assessment Board, and the Board of Directors of South Central Transit. David was a lifelong farmer, who was most happiest when he was on his tractor. He believed deeply in the strength of family and friendship and was always there when needed. He was very proud of his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. David will be greatly missed by all who loved him. A Private Family Mass of Christian Burial will be held Monday, November 2, 2020 at at 12:00 PM at St. Mary Catholic Church in Centralia with Father Steven Pautler, Monsignor David Darin and Very Rev. James Nall, JCL officiating. For those who would like to view the Mass of Christian Burial live, please visit St. Mary Church Facebook Page.

All friends and relatives are invited to a drive-thru, no contact visitation for David "Dave L. Schwartz on Monday, November 2, 2020 from 9:30-11:30 AM at the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home in Centralia. When arriving at the funeral home, please come through the east alleyway of the funeral home and the funeral home staff will be outside to direct vehicles through the line under the funeral home's north canopy.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to St. Mary School or the Wounded Warriors Project and will be accepted at the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home at 235 North Sycamore Street Centralia, Illinois 62801, (618)532-3523, who is honored to be of service to the Schwartz Family. Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com and the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home Facebook Page.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 2. 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM.

Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home

Tribute Wall



“ *Sutherland Funeral Homes, Cemetery and Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of David "Dave" L. Schwartz*



Sutherland Funeral Homes, Cemetery and Cremation Services - November 01, 2020 at 01:02 PM

KS

Beautiful!

karon Smith - November 01, 2020 at 04:26 PM

NS

You all have been so blessed. So many great pictures of family over the years! I just want you to know that we are thinking of you. Hold on to the wonderful memories...until you meet again. God bless you!

Nick and Beth Schwartz

Nick Schwartz - November 02, 2020 at 05:05 PM

KD

*What a wonderful memories captured in pictures! Ann and families, you will remain in our thoughts and prayers.
Kim and Todd Davis*

KIMBERLY DAVIS - November 03, 2020 at 10:43 PM

NB

“ Ann I want to extend my sympathy to you and your family, Greg, Jeff and John, on Dave's passing.
I can remember every time I served early mass and walked past he would say
"Good morning reverend" we just smile. Great man. Neil Beckmann

Neil Beckmann - November 02, 2020 at 03:10 PM

FC

“ From John, Sarah, Annabelle & Emma Cooksey purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.



From John, Sarah, Annabelle & Emma Cooksey - November 02, 2020 at 02:39 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.



November 02, 2020 at 02:31 PM

KR

“ Sending our prayers for your loss to the Schwartz family. From the Krietemeyer family's.

Krietemeyers - November 02, 2020 at 01:58 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.



October 31, 2020 at 01:15 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.



October 30, 2020 at 03:39 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.



October 30, 2020 at 03:36 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.



October 30, 2020 at 03:21 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.*



October 30, 2020 at 11:25 AM



“ *Sending my prayers and thoughts to the Schwartz family. May you find peace during this difficult time.*

Matthew Sims (SMG) - October 30, 2020 at 11:25 AM



“ *From All of us at the Huntsville Plant. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.*



From All of us at the Huntsville Plant. - October 30, 2020 at 11:04 AM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.*



October 30, 2020 at 10:54 AM



“ *Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.*



October 30, 2020 at 10:43 AM



“ *The Scotts Company Tyler Team purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.*



The Scotts Company Tyler Team - October 30, 2020 at 10:40 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.*



October 30, 2020 at 10:23 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.*



October 30, 2020 at 09:29 AM

TJ

“ *The Scotts Company, Jackson purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.*



The Scotts Company, Jackson - October 30, 2020 at 09:28 AM

RS

“ *So sorry for your loss, you will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

Roberta (Robbie) Sanders - October 29, 2020 at 11:58 PM

CS

“ *He was a great man and I respected him very much, he was kind and always put his family first, he will be missed greatly. God be with Anne and the boys and their families.*

Connie Schwartz - October 29, 2020 at 09:44 PM

BS

“ *B. Scott Smith purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.*



B. Scott Smith - October 29, 2020 at 07:48 PM

BF

“ *Praying for the Schwartz family,
A good man, proud to have known him.
May he rest in peace*

Bob Feig - October 29, 2020 at 06:40 PM

GH

“ Sending my prayers and thoughts to the whole Schwartz family ! I'll be thinking of you during this difficult time.

Gayle Harris

Gayle Harris - October 29, 2020 at 06:35 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.



October 29, 2020 at 05:33 PM

KS

“ So sorry to hear of Dave's passing. Thoughts & prayers to Anne and the family...lots of good memories back in the day!

Butch & Karon Smith

karon Smith - October 29, 2020 at 05:08 PM

CC

“ City Manager Lowell Crow purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of David "Dave" L. Schwartz.



City Manager Lowell Crow - October 29, 2020 at 12:23 PM

PQ

“ SYMPATHY FOR THE WHOLE SCHWARTZ FAMILY FOR YOUR LOSS I WILL BE PRAYING FOR YOU.
PHIL QUANDT

PHILIP QUANDT - October 29, 2020 at 08:18 AM

JW

“ Want to express our sympathies to Anne and your family. God Bless and all of you are in our prayers. Jim & Joyce Wiedman

Jim Wiedman - October 28, 2020 at 08:52 PM

SM

“ So, sorry.
Love Sarah Merrick
& family



sarah merrick - October 28, 2020 at 04:43 PM