



David James Kruck

November 5, 1956 - November 13, 2014

David James Kruck

Age 58, of Wilmington, IL, formerly of Braidwood, IL, passed away Thursday, November 13, 2014 at the Joliet Area Community Hospice Home in Joliet, IL, following a courageous battle with pancreatic cancer. Born November 5, 1956 in Racine, WI. David retired from the Braidwood Nuclear Station. Veteran of the United States Navy, having served from 1978-1984. Member of the National Rifle Association. He enjoyed fishing, reading, craft beer making, and especially spending time with his grandchildren.

Surviving are his wife, Jane (nee Wright), whom he married November 9, 1978 in LaCrosse, WI; daughter, Jennie (Jake) Tenn of Wilmington; son, Dave (Lynette) Kruck of Braidwood, IL; four grandchildren, Hanna and Conner Tenn and Finnegan and Oliver Kruck; mother, JoAnn (nee Hansen) DeClute of LaCrosse, WI; two brothers, Daniel (Lynn) Kruck of LaCrosse, WI and Michael (Valerie) Kruck of Dubuque, IA; aunt, Ruth Ann West of Kenosha, WI; and nephews.

Preceding him in death was his father, Kenneth Kruck; and step-father, Bill DeClute.

Cremation rites will be accorded.

Memorial visitation will be at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd. & Crematory, Braidwood Chapel, Saturday, November 15, from 4-6 p.m.

Inurnment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts in his name may be directed to Joliet Area Community Hospice. For more information and to visit his online guestbook, please log on to www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com or find us on Facebook at R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd. & Crematory.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Virginia Rae (Kruck) lit a candle in memory of David James Kruck*



Virginia Rae (Kruck) - November 22, 2014 at 03:00 PM



Jane, Children, Grandchildren, and Aunt JoAnn. I just received the sad news of David's passing. As children, he was my absolute favorite of all our cousins - we laughed until we cried. Although its been many years since our paths have crossed, the memories live on. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Virginia

Virginia Rae (Kruck) - November 22, 2014 at 03:06 PM



“ *Jane and Family,
Judy and I were saddened to read about David's passing and extend our deepest sympathy to you and your family. I have fond memories of when your family would come to La Crosse for Oktoberfest and stay with Dan and Lynn. David was a great guy will be missed.*

Bob & Judy Goodno

Robert Goodno - November 19, 2014 at 09:30 AM

MS

“ Jane, Dan, Michael, JoAnn and families,

Our heartfelt sympathies go out to all of you. Dave was a remarkable person. I feel very fortunate that Dave and I were able to reconnect after 30 plus years.

Dave, we covered a lot of ground in the last year. I'm sorry we didn't get the chance to say good bye, but sometimes what is understood between friends, doesn't need to be discussed. See you on the other side my friend.

Mark & Mary Swiggum

Mark Swiggum - November 15, 2014 at 07:39 PM

KE

“ *We always remember Dave working in his yard, Spring, Summer and Fall, and stopped to chat and always had a kind word, for his neighbors next door. We will miss his home-made beer on a warm summer evening. Our prayers to you and your family.*

Karen Edgar - November 15, 2014 at 11:51 AM

KE

“ *We remember Dave working in the yard, all spring, summer and fall, and always had time and a kind word for us, his neighbors, and we will miss sharing his great home-brewed beer on a warm summer evening. We will miss you and are praying for you and your family. The Edgar family.*



Karen Edgar - November 15, 2014 at 11:45 AM

RB

“ One of the many great Supervisors and overall great people that I have had the honor to associate with in my 31 years at Comed / Exelon. RIP Dave...you made your mark! Thoughts are with your family.

Rich Beasley - November 14, 2014 at 07:50 PM

JT

“ Many great memories of working with Dave. My condolences go out to his family. I'm a better man for having known Dave Kruck. We will miss him.

John Taff - November 14, 2014 at 07:14 PM



“ Let It Snow was purchased for the family of David James Kruck.



November 14, 2014 at 05:50 PM

MS

“ Jennie
So sorry to hear about the passing of your dad. Sending thoughts and prayers to you and your family. May all the wonderful memories you have of your dad get you through the difficult times.

Mary Schulte - November 14, 2014 at 10:47 AM



“ Never had a better supervisor or friend. You will be sorely missed, brother Dave.

Bill Vandermyde - November 14, 2014 at 07:28 AM

JT

“ We are all so shocked too hear about David's passing. David passed away on his Aunt Irenes (Troen's) Birthday All your Family from Racine have the Kruck Family in there Heart and Prays. Also so sorry for hearing about Bill's passing. Love Janet. Linda and Karen. 12628222655 that is Janet's number.

Janet Kruger Troen - November 13, 2014 at 10:14 PM

JT

I am looking for phone numbers and addressesof family members in time hope too hear from someone

Janet Kruger Troen - November 14, 2014 at 01:25 PM

CT

Jennie,
My thoughts are with you, and prayers that you find comfort with good memories and a loving family, and knowing that your dad is at peace in heaven.

Cathy Trezek - November 19, 2014 at 08:06 AM