



## David A. Schock

March 5, 1962 - November 14, 2024

David (Dave) Arlin Schock, born on March 5, 1962, in Harrisburg, PA, passed away on November 14, 2024, in Marysville, PA, at the age of 62. Dave, known for his kind, giving, and loyal nature, leaves behind a legacy of warmth and resilience. He had a unique ability to lighten the mood in tough situations with his compassionate spirit. Dave is survived by his loving wife, Roberta M. Schock (Mendler), whom he married on September 19, 1987, in Harrisburg, and his daughters, Cassandra M. Snader (Luke), Jessica E. Canderan (Rob), and Gabrielle E. Schock. While he was blessed with three daughters, Dave was honored to gain two sons in Luke K. Snader and Robert M. Canderan when they joined the family. He was a cherished grandfather to Trenton K. and Kensley M. Snader, and Caleb J., Wesley D., Eli R., and Corinne I. Canderan. His mother, Harriet A. Lindsay-Arndt, stepfather, William L. Arndt, sisters, Laurie A. Harvey, Dawn A. Zierdt, Sherry A. Gerhold and stepsiblings William W. and Bryan L. Arndt and Donna J. Bivins will also hold his memory dear, along with numerous cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends who became his extended family. Dave was preceded in death by his father, Dale Arlin Schock.

A proud graduate of Susquenita High School, Dave dedicated 29 years as a truck driver for W&L Sales Co. and spent the last 6 years working for Kenan Advantage Group and Onvo, transporting fuel. His commitment to his work was paralleled by his passion for his hobbies. Dave was a proud member of Adams Lodge #319. An avid hunter, Dave enjoyed spending time in the

woods and was proud of mentoring young hunters in his nephews Shawn, Michael, Jason and son-in-law Rob. He was actively involved in several Steam Engine communities, often showcasing his "Steam Thing" at events like Heritage Days, Williams Grove, Rough and Tumble in Kinzers, and the Farmers & Thresherman's Jubilee in Somerset County. He took great pride in being a father to many beyond his biological children and really took the time to teach whenever an opportunity presented itself. Known for his ability to fix almost anything, Dave was always ready to lend a helping hand. Dave's happiest days were spent with his grandchildren, cherishing every moment together.

A gathering celebrating Dave's life, one full of love and service, will be held at a later date.

The Boyer Family is honored to handle the arrangements for the Schock Family.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Boyer Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of David A. Schock*



**Boyer Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Inc** - December 04, 2024 at 08:02 PM



*Love u uncle Dave*

**Cody Gerhold** - December 07, 2024 at 12:57 AM



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**Cody Gerhold** - December 07, 2024 at 12:58 AM

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“ *I've always enjoyed spending time with him at the newcenterville jubilee and driving his steam engine.*



**Hunter wood** - June 13, 2025 at 03:37 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of David A. Schock.

February 26, 2025 at 05:18 AM



“ Love u uncle Dave

**Cody Gerhold** - December 07, 2024 at 01:00 AM



“ Romaine and Sheila purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of David A. Schock.



**Romaine and Sheila** - December 06, 2024 at 11:26 AM



“ Love you big bro!

**Sherry Gerhold** - December 05, 2024 at 09:21 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of David A. Schock.

December 05, 2024 at 09:18 PM



“ 105 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



**Boyer Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Inc** - December 04, 2024 at 02:59 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David A. Schock.*



December 03, 2024 at 10:58 AM



“ *I met David and his beautiful wife at the shock reunion. He truly was a kind and caring man you could tell just by speaking to him. want to send my deepest condolences to his wife and children and the entire family. God bless you all . Judy and Clair Rich Creek.*

**Judy Richcreek** - November 22, 2024 at 07:45 AM

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“ I first knew Dave as a girlfriends father way back in middle school. From there, through my job at the body shop, I got to see, laugh, and joke with him quite often. I often would see him pull into the parking lot and wonder "oh boy, what's Dave got for me now?" He'd always say "now I can fix alot of things, but this just isn't my forte." I'd teach him something every time and he'd always return the favor. Dave was a great friend and family man. He will be missed by many.

Alan Senior - November 21, 2024 at 12:48 PM

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“ my memory of Dave is helping him fire his steam engine and Dave teaching me every thing about his engine at the farmers and thresherman's jubilee in new centerville pa. from Hunter Wood

Hunter Wood - November 21, 2024 at 09:40 AM

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“ Bob Ragan purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of David A. Schock.



Bob Ragan - November 20, 2024 at 10:24 AM

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“ Bob Ragan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David A. Schock.

Bob Ragan - November 20, 2024 at 10:24 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of David A. Schock.



November 20, 2024 at 08:07 AM



“ Our son married his daughter Jessica 6 years ago. The first time we met him he embraced us looking at venues for their wedding. He was so embracing and proud that his daughter was getting married and embraced our son as his own. Moving forward to see Dave with his grandsons at soccer running around with them, birthday parties, he had so much love and fun with them! Such a loss for an incredible person who loved his family so much. Rest in peace Dave! I'm honored to have known you. 🥺🙏🥺

**Cheryl Canderan** - November 19, 2024 at 06:57 PM



Actually I have to correct our first time meeting Dave and Bobbi. It was when Jess and Rob graduated college! Fun time!

**Cheryl Canderan** - November 19, 2024 at 08:15 PM



I met Dave a few years ago and we instantly became friends, we spoke on the phone almost daily. He would tell me about his grandkids and about the steamer shows. If he came up my area for work and needed directions he wouldn't hesitate to call( I'm in the Scranton area).it was an honor to know him,  
He will surely be missed.

**Jerry Goyne**

**Jerry Goyne** - November 20, 2024 at 04:44 PM

LE

*Dave was a great friend. Always a smile and a happy greeting whenever we'd run into each other. He was always thankful and never boisterous. He will be missed.*

**Larry Engle** - November 20, 2024 at 08:18 PM

NW

*I worked with Dave at w and I for 29 years we hunted and fished together he helped me paint my home when it had to be done short notice while being built whenever any of us needed a hand we helped each other we would watch nascar on sundays ,and laughed a lot , there are to many things me and him did together to mention ,although we drifted apart when we lost our jobs at w and I ,I still conspired him my friend , I will miss you buddy rest in peace ,Ned Willard*

**ned willard** - November 21, 2024 at 06:19 AM

FA

*Dave was our neighbor and quickly became a friend. Dave used his tractor to help clear snow out all his neighbors driveways. Always willing to help his neighbors. Rest in Peace my friend.*

**Frank Aungst** - November 21, 2024 at 10:22 AM