

David Dehn

August 20, 1959 - March 5, 2020

David Kevin Dehn, age 60, passed away peacefully on Thursday, March 5, 2020 surrounded by his loved ones, with his mother holding his hand.

David was born August 20, 1959 in Berlin, to Ronald Richard Dehn and Rose Ann Dehn (née Kellogg).

Many people referred to Dave as "Eddie", a nickname given to him by his friends which followed him through the years. Eddie's friends showed up in force over the last several weeks to share their love and support as his health declined. For that his family will be forever grateful.

He was a 1977 graduate of Berlin High School.

Dave worked for many years with his father at Senior Engineering as a welder. When the company was sold, he went to work for Aurora Farms and eventually came to work for Leach Farms in Borth where he was a jack of all trades and made life-long friends. He had a great love and found his peace being in the outdoors. He enjoyed dove hunting, ice fishing, gardening, and snowmobiling. Dave also enjoyed tapping his trees to make maple syrup, which he shared with family and friends. He was an avid sports and music enthusiast. He also enjoyed watching his "Pack" and "Brew Crew"; and had an appreciation for a good, cold beer. He also loved spending time with family and friends.

He made us smile whether it was while watching him chase the squirrels off his bird feeders or while experiencing the joy of watching him entertain a child; one of his most admired talents. He was a gentle kind hearted soul and a

devoted and loving partner. Dave was admired by his nieces and nephews, and many close friends who all share many fond memories. He was a rare individual who listened without judgement and loved unconditionally. He was always willing to help a friend in need. He will be remembered for his caring way, his honesty, his sense of humor, his infectious smile and his kind and compassionate spirit. He fought his difficult journey with cancer with strength and courage. The family would like to express a heartfelt thank you to the staff at Juliette Manor for their excellent care and compassion.

"My love, I will miss your blue eyes. I miss your laugh and your strong arms to hold me. Thank you for choosing me to spend this life with. I will keep you in my heart forever. You will be deeply missed by all your friends, family and by all who knew you."

Dave is survived by his beloved partner of many years, Trish Drover; his mom, Rose Dehn; sisters, Lori (Larry) Hollmaier and Teri (Paul) Phillippi. He is also survived by his nieces and nephews, Emily (Austin) Smith, Tom (Amy) Hollmaier, Tracy (James) Phillippi-McKenzie, and Evan Phillippi; grand-nephews and nieces; aunts, uncles and cousins; and god-child child Kara Wesner .

Dave was preceded in death by his father, Ron Dehn; brother, Douglas Dehn; grandparents, Elmer and Mable Dehn, and Dean and Margaret Kellogg.

Family and friends may pay their respects to the family on Friday March 13, 2020 from 4:00-7:00 p.m. and also on Saturday, March 14, 2020 from 10:00-11:00 a.m. at the Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home of Berlin.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, March 14, 2020 following the visitation at 11:00 a.m. at the funeral home officiated by Father David Greenfield.

Inurnment will follow at the Oakwood Cemetery of Berlin. All are invited back to the funeral home for a luncheon and a time for sharing.

Memorials can be made to <https://glioblastomafoundation.org/get-involved/donate>

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

Berlin, WI 54923

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home
116 S Adams Ave
Berlin, WI 54923
(920) 361-2050

Visitation

MAR 14. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Memorial Service

MAR 14. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of David Dehn*



Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home - March 10, 2020 at 12:35 PM



“ *I am shocked. I will miss your smile on my summer walks and bike rides. Forever in my memories dear friend. God takes the good ones too early.*

Jodi Perryman - March 18, 2020 at 10:34 AM



“ *Our condolences to the family. Eddie was one of the nicest person we've meet. He enjoyed when we brought him tacos for breakfast. We are honored and blessed to have known just a wonderful human being. He was truly a blessing in our lives and we will miss him. - From his coworkers the Adame Family*

Adrianna Adame Martinez - March 14, 2020 at 02:29 PM



“ *So sad to hear of Fast Eddie's passing. My condolences to your family. He was always a fun guy to hand out with. Gary Bachmann*

Gary Bachmann - March 14, 2020 at 10:25 AM



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



March 12, 2020 at 05:14 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of David Dehn.*



March 12, 2020 at 09:03 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of David Dehn.*



March 11, 2020 at 08:49 PM



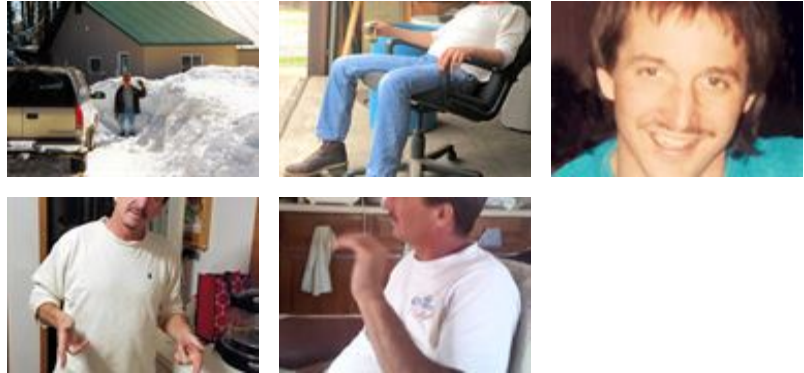
“ *Sending healing thoughts and love to the family in these sad times.*



Stacia Rupp - March 11, 2020 at 01:15 AM



“ 75 files added to the album Life Tributes



Wiecki-Skipchak Funeral Home - March 10, 2020 at 12:33 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of David Dehn.



March 09, 2020 at 09:04 PM



“ I'm so sorry. Dave was always such a fun person, and Trish and him were a wonderful couple. My heart goes out for all of you.

Mary Johnson - March 09, 2020 at 05:51 PM



“ Mary Johnson lit a candle in memory of David Dehn



Mary Johnson - March 09, 2020 at 05:49 PM

PL

“ My condolences go out to the entire Dehn family. Dave was a very nice guy & yes he had a knack of putting a smile on anyone's face if not making them burst out laughing all together. I feel sorry for the one's that didn't get to know him. We have the comfort knowing he's not suffering but enjoying what God called him home to do in heaven. He will be missed.

Pamela lind - March 09, 2020 at 05:15 PM

CN

“ Rosie, Lori and Teri,
I'm so sorry to hear of David's passing. I have many fond memories of us all growing up and playing together at your grandma's house. We are keeping all of you in our thoughts and prayers.
Clark and Steph Nipko.

Clark Nipko - March 09, 2020 at 09:18 AM

JD

David was a good friend of mine in my early years in high school. We played on the Berlin baseball Kiwanis team and in the late 80's we hung out with our girlfriends. Then I stopped drinking, latter working at senior engineering as well. RIP brother "Eddie" . My condolences to the family and friends. I'm sorry that we lost contact but never forgotten for your generosity, humor, and loyalty .

Javier Dimas - March 09, 2020 at 11:59 PM