



David J. Graham

April 21, 1969 - April 2, 2021

David J. Graham, 51, passed away on April 2, 2021. He was born in Crawfordsville, Indiana on April 21, 1969.

He was a 1987 graduate of Tri West High School. Following high school he was a supervisor at Hendrickson in Lebanon.

David enjoyed many things including, working on electronics, cooking, yardwork, music, karaoke, Star Wars movies and memorabilia. He also attended Your Venture Church in Lizton.

Survivors include his father, James R. Graham of Indianapolis; mother, Vickie Wright of Danville; girlfriend, Stacey Clore of Crawfordsville; son, James (Rachael) Graham of Lebanon, daughter, Amber Gilbert of Lebanon; grandchildren, Harper Graham, Hudson Graham, Raylan Harvey, Lexi Harvey; brothers, Ronald Proctor, Kenny Proctor and sister, Deedra Martin.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, April 17, 2021 from 1:00-3:00 p.m. with sharing of memories beginning at 2:00 p.m. at Eel River Township Community Center, 6 South Main Street, North Salem, IN 46165. The family would like for those attending to wear their favorite pair of jeans and favorite band t-shirt in honor of David.

Myers Mortuary and Boone County Crematory have been entrusted with his cremation arrangements.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be given to A.A. Central Indiana, 2320 South Tibbs Ave., Suite C, Indianapolis, IN 46241.

Events

APR **Celebration of Life** 01:00PM - 03:00PM

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Eel River Township Community Center

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Comments



“ Dad - there will never be another man like you. You taught me to be equally open minded as opened hearted. You never felt emasculated by my intelligence, but challenged me to think wider into places most didnt want to look. You listened without interruption or judgement. You spoke to me as an individual even when I was young. You taught me to believe that good will always prevail over evil, but question what created that evil. You were humble and valued the things you cannot buy. You were the smartest man I have known. You were loyal even when it broke you. We laughed until we cried at the most inappropriate jokes. We cried together over our heartbreaks and disappointments. We connected over the mistakes we could never fix and the redemption we felt we would never find with those we love. We discussed the inability to forgive for the expectations we set for ourselves and in the end coming up short. We walked a parallel path in many ways as father and daughter no matter time or distance. Today feels like a truly lonely day without your energy here. So many kids called you Dad, looked up to you respected you and admired you. Even with your flaws we loved you and believed you were Superman. We all wished you would forgive yourself so you could be free and happy. You were enough for us even when you did not believe it. You told me you always tried to be the man you needed when you were a kid to all our friends. You always loved James and I unconditionally...you put the fear of you in us LOL...but we knew you loved us. This last year we told each other we loved each other many times when we spoke. We talked about the peace we will find the day we finally are called home to our Father...I know you found that today with Daisy Duke wagging her entire body with joy that you made it home. I'm thankful you no longer have to carry the weight Dad. You can accept and let it go and finally be free. We never got the opportunity to harmonize with each other...maybe Johnny Cash can fill in until I come join you! I hope you will get a glance into my singing sessions during my commute and sing along with me. Your loss was felt in The Force today. Its definitely been weaken by your dimmed light. They may never understand it be we did. James and I will ensure your legacy lives through Raylan, Lexi, Harper, Hudson and any future grandbabies. You wont be forgotten. I love you Dad. "The only way to get past it is to go THROUGH it, Girl. You can't go around it or take a detour. I promise you'll make it through" - Dave Graham June 2020



Amber Gilbert - April 02 at 09:32 PM



“ My dearest David,
Why things had to be this way, we will ever know. You stubborn stinker refusing to go to doctor or let us know if you knew you were already sick. You told me every day you loved my but I guess not enough to trust me with that last little bit of information or let me take you to see what was wrong. I loved you so much and you said you loved me. We agreed when we first got together that we would hug at least 3 times a day. You know our favorite

time of day was cuddling with me laying on your chest with my hand on your heart, you would actually move my hand there if it wasn't there. I will try to keep up with everybody, I'm trying remember to JUST BREATHE since I don't have my constant reminder with me anymore. You changed alot of things in me and we had our share of opinion differences. I bet you were so surprised that you found someone who would actually stand up to you and make her own point known. And you could not stand it when I beat you at Jeopardy and Wheel of Fortune. I hope you always remember I love you more my big ole today bear.
LOVE, Stacey

Stacey Clore - April 10 at 07:23 PM



“ Rest In peace now nephew. We will always miss you.

Christi Clark - April 16 at 03:36 PM