



David Alan Staver

July 7, 1936 - June 4, 2017

David Alan Staver, 80, MAJ. USAF (RET) of Amarillo, Texas formerly of Bloomington passed away Sunday, June 4, 2017 at the Ussery-Roan Texas State Veterans Home in Amarillo, Texas.

Mr. Staver was born July 7, 1936 in St Joseph, Missouri the son of Alan Paul and Elda (Isaacson) Staver.

He was a 1954 graduate of Shawnee Mission High School and a graduate of Ohio University where he served as Cadet Colonel of the R.O.T.C. program and a graduate of Indiana University in school administration. He married Georgiabel Hays Tidd on March 21, 1981 in Bloomington, Indiana.

He was a Military Veteran and served in the Air Force and Army National Guard.

While station in England, he served as Chief of Protocol for the 3rd Air Force South Rislip. He was

stationed at Royal Air Force Mildenhall Head Quarters. In London he coordinated the John F. Kennedy memorial service for the Queen at the American Embassy. He retired from active duty after serving 10 years on Active status.

He served in the 434th Air Reserve Wing U.S. Air Force Reserve, he was attached to the Grissom Air Force Base near Peru Indiana.

David decided to finish his military career and serve in the Indiana National Guard in the 120th Public Affairs Detachment and was deployed to Panama for Operation Just Cause in 1989.

Mr. Staver was employed at the Monroe County Community School Center. His assignments included

Assistant to the Superintendent, Personnel Director, teaching Photography, and Yearbook Sponsor at Bloomington High School South.

He enjoyed photography, traveling, military history, and growing roses were his main hobby's, his real love was spending time with his grandchildren and great grandchildren, He will be greatly missed by all who loved and knew him.

He was a member of the Delta Chi Fraternity, Phi Delta Kappa, and the National School Publication Association.

Survivors include his wife Georgiabel Tidd-Staver: four sons, William Charles Staver III, Michael Kent Staver, Scott Allan Staver, and James Gregory Tidd.

12 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren. Memorial Services will be at 1:00 pm June 19, 2017 at Allen Funeral Home & Crematory 4151 S. Old State Road 37 in Bloomington, IN. Visitation will be from 12:00pm to service time at the funeral home. Cremation Rites have been accorded. Memorial may be made to The Heart Foundation 31822 Village Center Rd Suite 208, Westlake Village, CA 91361.

You are invited to share a memory or leave an online condolence to David's family at www.allencares.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **19**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DH

“ Dear Georgia,

I am thinking about you and your family upon your loss of Dave. He was a talented photographer and journalist. I know you enjoyed his humor and his cooking. Please extend my condolences to his sons and the rest of your family. I am thinking of you and hoping to find a way to get in touch.

Lots of love to you,

Debbie Horning

Debora Horning - June 28, 2017 at 09:10 PM

GT

Debbie I moved to Amarillo five years ago. Greg TIDD lived there and so Dave and I moved 4 years ago. Dave passed and I still live here. Greg is now working in Hobbs, NM. Hope you are well and enjoying retirement. Georgia

Georgia Tidd-Staver - January 06, 2023 at 03:11 AM

EW

“ My sincere condolences for your loss.

Ellen Walden - June 17, 2017 at 09:15 PM

JT

“ Dear Georgia and Family... I have wonderful memories of working with Dave at MCCSC (and with you as well Georgia). I regret that I lost touch with him through the years but never forgot Dave's dedication and the many talents he shared with his co-workers, the administration and school system My love and prayers ... Janet Tupper

Janet Tupper - June 17, 2017 at 09:11 PM

JA

“ Dear Georgia and Family,

I am very sorry for your loss of Dave. I respected him for being a great photography teacher and for the many hours he worked as the yearbook sponsor at Bloomington High School South. He was patient and a good role model for the students. He was a good colleague and co-worker. I know you will miss him dearly and he will remain in your hearts forever.

Jan Ault

Jan Ault - June 16, 2017 at 03:06 PM

ML

“ Georgiabel and Family,

I am so sorry to hear of Dave's passing. Although it had been many years since I'd seen him I still think of him fondly. My prayers are with all the family.

Love,

Michelle Hays Lattimore

Michelle Hays Lattimore - June 15, 2017 at 01:43 PM

BR

“ *David was my high school photography teacher many years ago. He was great guy who had a lot of stories and was easy to talk to. My sincere condolences to his loved ones.*



Brooke - June 15, 2017 at 11:01 AM

AA

“ *Rest in Peace, Pops. Thanks for always looking out for me during the Sherwood Oaks days. ~Andi Haynes Avery*

Andi Haynes Avery - June 15, 2017 at 09:03 AM


Courtney
Stewart

“ *I am so sorry to hear of David's passing. Sending love to the entire family.*

Courtney Stewart - June 15, 2017 at 07:52 AM