



# David L. Carpenter

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### David Carpenter Obituary

David L. Carpenter, 59, of Grafton, died July 13, 2016. He was born August 25, 1956 in Dodge City, Kansas. He was a former Elyria resident and a 1974 graduate of Midview High School. David was committed to his job as a Programmer/Journeyman Machinist at Kalt Manufacturing Company, North Ridgeville where he had been employed since 1979. He was a member of North Eaton Christian Church, where he served as a Deacon, was a former Trustee and participated in the annual church chili cook off. He enjoyed time with his family, especially cooking for them, playing the guitar, travel and attending movies and concerts. David is survived by his wife of 38 years, Laura L. (nee Lottman); children, Kelly (Vincent) Rose of LaGrange, Michael Carpenter and Cynthia (Zachary) Jefferson, both of Elyria; grandchildren, Riley, Wyatt, Sophia, Troy, David and Joel; brothers, Al and Danny Carpenter and a sister, Debra Santacrose. He was preceded in death by his parents, Alfred and Dorthey Carpenter; a brother, William and a sister, Dale. Friends will be received Sunday, July 17, 2016 from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. at Dicken Funeral Home and Cremation Service, 323 Middle Avenue, Elyria. A service will be Monday July 18, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at North Eaton Christian Church, 35895 Royalton Road, Grafton. Reverend Charles A. Butcher will officiate. Burial will be in Brookdale Cemetery, Elyria. SERVICES Funeral Service Monday, July 18, 2016 11:00 AM Dicken Funeral Home 323 Middle Ave. Elyria, Ohio 44035

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## Tribute Wall

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DT

**Diana (Kite) Tusing** posted:

We were classmates in high school. David was a true gentleman....Prayers and condolence to his wife and family.

July 17 at 8:00 PM

RR

**Raul Ramos** posted:

Laura, I am very sorry for the loss of your husband David. The Ramos family's prayers are with you and your family. Raul Ramos

July 15 at 8:00 PM

KO

**Kaye Oswald** posted:

I want to express my sincerest sympathy to the family of my dear friend David Carpenter. My heart is so heavy with grief for the days ahead that we all will miss him, and so sad for this wonderful Carpenter family who are like my very own family, if not even closer. My thoughts and prayers have been nonstop since this tragic accident. May God surround you all with his most loving arms and give you peace and understanding in the days ahead. Hold fast to your faith in a most loving God and His promise of everlasting life. Love you all, Kaye Oswald

July 15 at 8:00 PM

DR

**Donna Renninger** posted:

Dear Laura & Family, I am so very sorry for your loss. I started the same year at Kalt & remember when David first started. I remember how proud he was of his children & how much family truly meant to him. He was a bit shy & private but he would truly shine when asked about you, Laura, & his children. I remember when David would bring in some of his favorite dishes to share then hand out the recipes-I remember thinking what a special, kind, thoughtful gesture. Plus they were really good! Know that Bill & I are praying for you & holding in our hearts, Donna & Bill Renninger

July 14 at 8:00 PM

JA

**Julie Anthony** posted:

Laura and family, we are so sorry to hear about Dave's accident. And his passing. Our prayers are with you all. He was a great person. Love you, Julie Anthony and family.

July 14 at 8:00 PM



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