



## David W. Place

March 6, 1959 - July 27, 2018

David W. Place, 59, of Bonita Springs, FL, passed away on Friday, July 27, 2018. Formerly of Belvidere, New Jersey, he had been a Bonita Springs resident since 1990. He was born March 6, 1959 in Easton, PA, the son of Charles Alton and Dorothy Mae (née Moxley) Place.

Dave had a long and respected career in GIS mapping, something he truly loved. He worked at WilsonMiller and Bonita Bay Group then, in 2009, he started his own successful business, GIS Solutions. Recently, he brought his skills to Passarella and Associates.

Dave loved people and had a gift for making friends and keeping them. He was in touch with neighbors and friends from early childhood through high school and college, all the companies he worked for, all the teams he played on, people next door and people met at random. Dave will be truly missed.

David is survived by his loving wife of 10 years, Rose Hawley; his brothers, Robert, Richard and Michael Place; and his beloved pal and buddy, Charlie Brown.

Visitation for family and friends will take place Thursday, August 2, 2018 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. at Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home, 28300 Tamiami Trail South, Bonita Springs. At 5:00, friends will have an opportunity to share their

thoughts and remembrances of David.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be made to Harry Chapin Food Bank.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home – Family Owned Since 1978.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

AUG 2. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home  
28300 Tamiami Trail So.  
Bonita Springs, FL 34134  
(239) 992-4982  
bonitafhbill@comcast.net

## Memorial Service

AUG 2. 5:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *David W. Place*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Rose Hawley lit a candle in memory of David W. Place*



Rose Hawley - January 21, 2022 at 03:56 PM



“ *Dave was in our wedding in NJ and he also lived five miles from where my parents retired in Naples. We visited Naples at least 2x a year for 30 years, and we always found time to catch up each year. I can not tell every detail of this story, but Dave introduced me to a friend of his one evening. The friend literally wanted the shirt off my back. I took my shirt off and he took his shirt off and we exchanged shirts. It was a fun evening, filled with laughter, which was commonPLACE when with Dave.*

*Will miss you buddy.*

*Peter Cook*

Peter Cook - August 02, 2018 at 10:20 AM

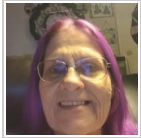


“ *Daniel Schmidt lit a candle in memory of David W. Place*



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**Daniel Schmidt** - August 01, 2018 at 05:27 PM



“ *So sorry to hear my sincere condolences. Went to school with Dave.*



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**Amy Nemeth** - August 01, 2018 at 04:37 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of David W. Place.*



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August 01, 2018 at 03:19 PM



“ *My first memory of David is in 1959 when we were neighbors and he was a baby. His mother and my mother were best friends. Bob and my brother were best friends and Mike and i have remained very good friends all these years. He was a very dear sweet guy and he made this world a better place. No pun intended. May God give you and his brothers peace during this sad time.*

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**Nancy Redden Shappell** - August 01, 2018 at 01:52 PM



“ 58 files added to the album Life Tributes



Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home - August 01, 2018 at 09:57 AM



“ Condolences to the Place family. I remember Dave from high school. He was friendly, funny and a great person. RI Dave.

Donna Osifchin - July 31, 2018 at 08:23 PM



“ My heart goes out to you and your family he is a great nan to remember forever he will be missed we shared lots of great memories so SD orry

Jean coulman - July 31, 2018 at 06:22 PM



“ So very sorry! God Bless you all! Willa and Jim Reilly

Willa Reilly - July 31, 2018 at 12:25 PM

WR

“ Willa Reilly lit a candle in memory of David W. Place



Willa Reilly - July 31, 2018 at 11:09 AM

MB

“ Dave, Thanks for the memories.



Marc Berman - July 31, 2018 at 10:33 AM

Donna Johnson

“ Donna Johnson lit a candle in memory of David W. Place



Donna Johnson - July 31, 2018 at 08:41 AM

RG

“ Back in High School Dave and I competed on the Cross Country team. He truly was a great competitor and an awesome person. He had a knack to make people laugh and a smile of kindness. He will be missed by many.

R.. Todd Gleason - July 31, 2018 at 05:20 AM