



David H. Walsh III

July 9, 1934 - October 11, 2014

David H. Walsh III, 80, of Estero, FL, died Saturday, October 11, 2014. Formerly of Norwich, NY, he had been an Estero resident since 2004. He was born July 9, 1934 in Albany, NY, the son of Catherine (née Wagner) and David H. Walsh Jr.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving honorably in the Korean War. He was retired from the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company.

Mr. Walsh is survived by his loving wife, Shirley (née Keenan); his beloved children, Kathleen (James) Coughlin of Lexington, MA, David H. Walsh IV, Michael E. (Helen) Walsh and Marianne Walsh Hanover, all of Syracuse, NY; their mother, Mary A. (née Ferris) Walsh; stepson, Philip (Lisa) Jewell Jr. of Scranton, PA; brother, Neil E. Walsh of New York, NY; and nine cherished grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Richard P. Walsh and stepdaughter, Linda Tiede.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Wednesday, October 15, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. at Our Lady of Light Catholic Church, 19680 Cypress View Drive, Ft. Myers. Private burial services with Military Honors will take place at the Sarasota National Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society, the Humane Society or the SPCA.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Sarasota National Cemetery

9810 State Road 72
Sarasota, FL 34241
<http://www.cem.va.gov/>

Previous Events

Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **15**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Light Catholic Community
19680 Cypress View Dr.
Ft. Myers, FL 33967

Tribute Wall



“ *David H. Walsh III*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Our family will miss David's wit, humor, and wisdom. David took a personal interest in an individual's thoughts and we shared many a lively discussion. He elicited great respect and deep friendship. We have wonderful memories which we will treasure. To our good friend Shirley, we love you and are saddened that you have lost your soul mate, We hope that the reminiscences shared will help you at this difficult time. May all of your family find peace.*

Love, Cathy, Pat, Jason and Brian

Cathy Martin - October 25, 2014 at 03:28 PM



“ *I had the pleasure of working with Dave at the Office of Aging and Dispute Resolution. A true gentleman who had my respect and admiration.*

Ken Austin

Ken Austin - October 15, 2014 at 03:34 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with Shirley and her family. David was such a special man and will be missed by all. Ernie and I have many great memories of our visits with David during our winters in Estero.*

Ernie and Carolyn Piscitello - October 15, 2014 at 06:10 AM

JC

“ Lynn and I are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the entire family.

Jim and Lynn Corbett

Jim Corbett - October 14, 2014 at 05:36 PM

DK

“ I was blessed to work with Dave fo 9 years in the Merchants Bank Trust Dept. He was a great mentor and an even greater friend. We were able to reconnect when we were both working in Boston and it was a joy for me to be able to do so.

My condolences to the Walsh family. I know that this good man will be greatly missed.

Dennis Kennedy - October 14, 2014 at 12:29 PM

MN

“ Dave and Shirley were our neighbors across the street in Norwich, NY and then came down to Estero and bought a house just down the street from us at Villages at Country Creek. We were able to wave at them from our driveway. They rode with us to see all the men's and women's basketball games at Florida Gulf Coast University over the years. They just moved to Estero permanently this past summer. We all had lots of plans to do together. We will miss David terribly. He was a real "guy"! Conservative, honest, blunt, loyal, a sincere Catholic, devoted to Shirley and his family and friends and country. We will miss his bigger than life personality and his warm and gentle nature. Don't worry David...we will keep a close eye on Shirley. Say hi to Jake and Linda and Earl and all the other dear ones you are seeing face to face. With love from Mike, Kay and Bear. Estero FL and Norwich NY.

Mike and Kay Nearing - October 14, 2014 at 10:49 AM

BA

“ *David Walsh was a great person to know. He was a very caring person and he will be sadly missed by everyone that knew him. My sincere sympathy goes out to his wife, Shirley, and to his family.*
Bonnie Adams, Norwich, NY

Bonnie Adams - October 13, 2014 at 06:05 PM

DH

“ *To the Walsh family:*

Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you. We knew David for over 40 years, starting at Merchants Bank in Syracuse and also when he and Shirley lived in Norwich. He will be remembered as a mentor and a friend. We will miss his jovial laugh and heartwarming personality. With deepest sympathy, Dave and Judy Hildebrandt, Liverpool, New York

Dave & Judy Hildebrandt - October 13, 2014 at 12:11 PM

BB

To the Walsh Family:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We always will have fond memories of talking with Dave at the extended family gatherings in an around the Albany Area. He was a really good man and will be missed. Our Deepest Sympathy for your loss.

The extended Duke Burns Family - Suzanne, Nancy, Bernie, Geri, Joan, and Tom

Bernie Burns - October 15, 2014 at 12:39 PM