



David C. West

December 28, 1950 - January 18, 2017

David C. West, 66, of Morton passed away Wednesday, Jan. 18, 2017 at 6:55pm at his residence, after a courageous battle with cancer.

He was born on Dec. 28, 1950, in Alton, IL to Orville D. and Marjorie E. (Hostettler) West. He married Amy Ford in Peoria on Jan. 29, 1988. She survives.

Also surviving are his children, Zachary West, Elaine (Mike) Langen, Kevin West, and Maureen (Layne) Langholf. Also surviving are his mother, Marjorie West, his father and mother-in-law, Don and Linda Jones, sister in laws, Angie (Ron) Piper, Lisa (Dan) Duckwiler, and Marci Jones, brother-in-law, Mike (Renee) Jones, one sister, Kathy (Ralph) Speiden, five grandsons, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father and his beloved daughter, Lindsay West.

Dave graduated from Peoria High School in 1968 and Bradley University in 1973. He took pride in his work as an insurance adjuster, working for several local agencies and with Peoria Public Schools as a substitute teacher for 13 years. He loved the game of baseball, and loved the St. Louis Cardinals. He played local organized baseball and softball from Little League until his late thirties. He was a respected referee and umpire for a number of years.

He attended Blessed Sacrament Church in Morton. A Funeral Service will be Tuesday, Jan. 24, 2017 at Blessed Sacrament Church at 11 am with visitation one hour before services. Cremation rights have been accorded. Deiters Funeral Home and Crematory in East Peoria is in charge of arrangements.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the family to help with final costs.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JAN **24**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church
233 East Greenwood Street
Morton, IL

Memorial Mass

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Tribute Wall

AW

“ Ilove you s0 much and I miss you everyday. did you know that you are my hero, and I am so proud of you. Your wife forever

Amy West - January 27, 2017 at 03:47 PM

MC

“ I am sorry to hear this. I have coached travel baseball for a number of years and my son catches. My son would tell me the funny stories that Dave was telling him behind the plate. Sorry for your loss!

Max Coleman - January 23, 2017 at 03:04 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David C. West.



January 23, 2017 at 10:05 AM

DP

“ have known Dave for many years, was my neighbor for many years, very good official, will miss his friendship. until we meet again brother West. God comfort your family during this period of berevement David Price Washington, Illinois

David Price - January 22, 2017 at 07:55 PM

MA

“ Dave as a great guy. He loved his kids very much. I was lucky to have many experiences with Dave when I was growing up. He seemed to take care of all the kids in the neighborhood. He taught me how to play baseball. He also always spent his free time on the weekend driving us kids to the roller rink, pool, or wherever else we wanted to go. He will truly be missed.

-Marcus Taylor

Marcus - January 22, 2017 at 05:30 PM

RB

“ So very sorry for your loss Amy. My prayers go out for you and your family. Dave was an awesome guy. Take care of yourself ❤️

Rose Birmingham - January 20, 2017 at 11:32 PM

SB

“ Sharon Baker lit a candle in memory of David C. West



Sharon Baker - January 20, 2017 at 09:07 PM

SB

I will remember you as a great man and loving father. R.I.P. Dave

Sharon Baker - January 20, 2017 at 09:09 PM

FB

“ Fallon Bucher lit a candle in memory of David C. West



Fallon Bucher - January 20, 2017 at 07:47 PM

FB

“ Uncle Dave you will be missed you are loved by all thanks for giving me the best Christmas eve ever I will never have another one Aunt Amy Zachary, Maureen, Elaine, Kevin I am so sorry for your loss prayers to you all

Fallon Bucher - January 20, 2017 at 07:47 PM