



David W. Blum

November 14, 1948 - March 28, 2025

Today we lost a man who was known as David by many, husband to his wife Doodle and dad to his sons, Brian and Brandon. He was Papaw to his four grandchildren, Allison, Abby, Carter and Hunter, friend to many and just a grouchy old man to some.

David Blum was a caring man. If he liked you, he would do anything to help you or criticize how you were doing it, but he would always be there when needed. He worked many jobs through the years, including Hahn, Tyler's Sunoco, Rideout Transmission and Keller Crescent to name a few. If he worked somewhere he didn't like, he was quick to tell them all they did wrong and show himself the door. David had a strong love for the outdoors, rabbit hunting on his good friend Paul Tyler's farm or fishing with his longtime friends, Art Thomas and Larry Bell. His favorite fishing spot was his camp at Lake Barkley. Many of his boys' friends found a love for fishing at that camp.

David had a long battle with health issues but bounced back each time while also adding a new piece of hardware to his bionic body. His last battle was the one that let him make the decision to go home and spend his remaining days with the love of his life.

David will be missed by many. We send our apologies to Heaven, because we know he's up there giving them hell and letting them know everything they are

doing wrong.

Surviving David are his wife, Cecelia “Doodle” Blum; sons, Brian (Michelle) Blum and Brandon (Helene) Blum; grandchildren, Allison (Devon), Abby (Jared), Carter and Hunter; a sister, Diane (Greg) Meadors; brother, Bobby (Natalie) Blum and sisters-in-law, Melvia (Tim) Reich and Harold (Judy Grebe) Dillworth.

David was preceded in death by his parents, William and Etta May (Shanks) Blum, by sisters, Roxanne and Cathy and by an infant brother, Raymond Charles. We hope they forewarned Peter at the gates on what was coming his way.

There will be no public visitation or funeral services at this time. There will be a memorial service held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to It Takes a Village No-Kill Rescue, 1417 Stockwell Road, Evansville, IN 47715.

Condolences may be made online at www.pierrefuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall

BR

“ I remember David at Reitz. A good friend. So sorry to read about his passing. God Bless David's Family.

Bill Rohrbacher - April 04, 2025 at 09:27 AM

MM

“ Sorry for your loss. He was a great man and a great neighbor.

Mike Michel - April 02, 2025 at 06:46 PM

SB

“ I was so sorry to hear about David. He was a good friend who always had an answer for my questions. He once loaned me his car to drive to work in Cincinnati when mine was in the shop He didn't mind at all to do that. I will miss him.

Sandy Blum - April 02, 2025 at 08:15 AM

CF

“ I moved to Evansville in 1987 from Kentucky. David always teased about me not wearing shoes to be able to count! Hugs and prayers for all.

Carolyn Fuller - March 31, 2025 at 09:48 PM

JR

“ I am so sorry and saddened to learn of this heartbreaking loss! David was a first class man in every respect...a loving and devoted husband and father to two outstanding, successful young men. He was loving & proud of his family. I shall always to be grateful to have known David and his wonderful family.

Joe R Rhodes - March 31, 2025 at 08:46 PM

MC

“ Mike Clark purchased the Rose Tribute for the family of David W. Blum.



Mike Clark - March 31, 2025 at 07:04 PM

JU

“ I will send your polka dotted paint to you...Junnie

Junnie - March 31, 2025 at 06:13 PM