



David Kniffin

October 15, 1958 - August 14, 2024

David “Fudd” Kniffin of Middletown, NY, passed away on August 14, 2024. He was 65.

The son of the late Ed & Ida Kniffin, he was born October 15, 1958, in Middletown, NY.

David spent his professional career in the Automotive Business in a variety of positions. Retiring in June of 2022 from Mack Trucking. David has always had a love of cars and for many years could be found at the Orange County Fair Speedway. For just as many years, David golfed and bowled in local leagues. In recent years, David's favorite place to be was home with his family.

David is survived by his partner, Jessica Rodriguez and their son, Chase, at home. His daughters- Courtney Kniffin of Elmwood, NE and Cassie Kniffin (Israel) of Middletown, NY. His stepchildren, Ryan and Kiley Howell, both of Middletown, NY. Four grandchildren- Kailee Kniffin (Cody) of New Windsor, NY- who was like his daughter; Joey, Ashton and Everly all of Middletown NY. One great-grandson Jason of New Windsor, NY. Sisters Sandi Kniffin Mance of Las Vegas, NV and Cindy McKenzie (Drew) of Wallkill, NY. In addition, David is survived by aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews and friends. On behalf of David- Jessica and his family would especially like to thank David's friends- his brothers- that have been there for him the past sixteen months. The prayers, the check ins, the visits- the endless support was greatly appreciated. Thank you!

David was a loving partner, proud father, grandfather and loyal friend. David

will be remembered by all who knew him for his sense of humor. There was never a shortage of laughs when David was around!

A Celebration of Life will be held Sunday, September 1, 2024, at 2pm at the American Legion in Middletown, NY. Messages of condolences may be left at Martinezfuneralhomes.com.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

SEP 1. 2:00 PM (ET)

American Legion
185 Wawayanda Ave
Middletown, NY 10940
<https://www.legion.org/>

Tribute Wall

JC

“*Dave was probably the funniest guy I ever met. I'm sad to read this. Spend 10 minutes with that guy and he would have you laughing. I haven't seen him in probably 20 years and still think of him and laugh. Great guy, my sincere condolences to his family.*”

John Cavalluzzi - September 02, 2024 at 11:48 AM

SA

“*Sandi purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of David Kniffin.*”



Sandi - August 28, 2024 at 10:11 AM

CE

“*Caitlyn, Ashley, AJ, Julia, and Emily purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of David Kniffin.*”



Caitlyn, Ashley, AJ, Julia, and Emily - August 26, 2024 at 03:06 PM

LC

“*OMG! I cannot believe this! Jessica I am so so sorry to see this! I always loved bumping into you guys in Hannaford! If there is anything that I can do for you, please ask! (845) 346-5899*”

Leslie Campillonga - August 21, 2024 at 02:12 PM

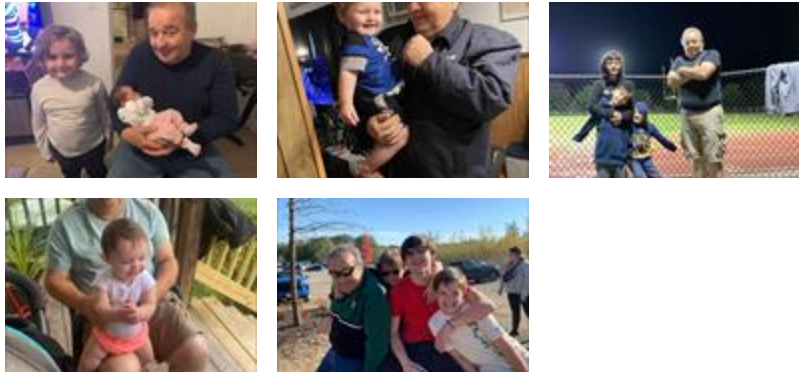
SM

“ *The best brother in the world. Funniest person on earth in my opinion, which is biased of course. He always had my back & I had his. Will always be there in my heart & great memories. I will be forever grateful and extremely lucky to have had you in my life. Love you Fudd!* ”

Sandi Mance - August 17, 2024 at 07:43 PM

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“ *The best dad a girl could ever have, my super hero❤️ He always knew what I needed even before I did he knew how to cheer me up with just a silly face 😜 He never gave up on me and never let me give up on myself, he loved his family with every ounce of his being ❤️ He is the best papa too all the grandkids adore him... the laughs the memories 💔 I miss you so much already daddy 💔 I love you always and forever ❤️* ”



Cassandra Nicole Kniffin - August 17, 2024 at 02:44 PM