



## Daniel J. Fournier

January 22, 1967 - September 28, 2019

BLOOMFIELD – Daniel J. Fournier, 52, of Bloomfield, Vt., passed away on Saturday morning, Sept. 28, 2019, at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital in Colebrook after a long battle with cancer.

He was born on Jan. 22, 1967, in West Stewartstown, the son of the late Lawrence and Alma (Duplessie) Fournier. He was the youngest of ten children and grew up in Island Pond. He was a 1985 graduate of North Country Union High School in Newport, Vt.

Over the years, “Dan” or “Danny,” as he was affectionately known, held many jobs in which he was a well-respected part of the team, from line manager at both Bose Corporation and Bonneville Windows factories in Colebrook, to night watchman at The Balsams Grand Resort Hotel, to maintenance manager at Canaan Schools for 13 years, where he was beloved by faculty and students alike. He had a lifelong passion for the outdoors, spending time each fall hunting deer and partridge, and each spring hunting turkey, and fishing with his daughters. In 2016, he achieved his lifelong dream of owning a hunting camp in Pittsburg, NH. He was an excellent cook and also enjoyed renovating the home he shared with his wife of 23 years, Rita L. Fournier, woodworking, and visiting with his family and friends. When his granddaughter Lita was born, he was overjoyed and spent as much time with her as possible, spoiling her rotten, and he was able to meet his grandson Ezra, who was born

in August.

He is survived by loving wife Rita (Hart) Fournier of Bloomfield; daughter Samantha Stebbins, her husband Bill, and their children Lita and Ezra, of Pittsburg, NH; his daughter Ashley Evans and husband Desmond of New Hampshire; and mother-in-law Emogene Hart of Bloomfield; two brothers, Joe Fournier and his wife, Janice, of Vermont, and Richard Fournier and wife Esther of Nevada; five sisters, Jacqueline Noyes of Washington, Irene Bean and husband David of Maine, Gloria Cross and husband Randy of New Hampshire, Sally Arseneau of Texas, and Rita Fournier of Texas.

He was predeceased by his parents, a sister, Marlene Reynolds, and a brother, Clifford Fournier.

At Dan's request, there are no public services scheduled at this time.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Danny may be made to the Two Rivers Ride for Cancer, c/o R. Mulliken, 53 Spring St., Colebrook, NH 03576.

Condolences may be offered to the family on-line by going to [www.jenkinsnewman.com](http://www.jenkinsnewman.com).

Arrangements are entrusted to the care of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home, Colebrook, NH.

# Tribute Wall

SA

“ Sending you Rita, the girls, Emma, and the entire Fournier family my sincere sympathy. Always in my thoughts, prayers, and my heart!



To my younger brother Danny: We grew up together shedding tears, laughter, and happiness as children. As we became adults, we had nothing but a loving bond as two siblings could have. You became such a kind, wonderful, loving person. You gave so much of yourself with anyone you came in contact with. That in itself says a lot about who you were.

When we were together we did nothing but talk and most importantly laughed. Enjoyed our texting but loved our phone calls. At times we could call several times in one week and still be laughing. You have only been gone a short time, but how I miss hearing your voice. Feels like you have been gone for such a long time.

MY DEAR BROTHER, how I love and miss you so. You have always been in my heart AND will continue to be there forever. One day we will be in heaven together again as brother and sister. What a celebration it will be!

Love you Danny with all my heart.....  
Your Sister, Sally

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Sally Arseneau - December 30, 2019 at 07:56 AM

DR

“ Rita,

*So, sorry to hear about Dan. Why does the good ones leave us, so early. Dan was one of a kind, so calm and focused in whatever he did. I will always remember the good times working with Dan at Bose and when he helped me in Stark.*

*I know it is going to be difficult in moving forward, always remember the good times.*

*Your friends always,*

*Dan & Janis Riley*

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**Dan Riley** - October 07, 2019 at 08:51 PM



“ *So very sorry for your loss Rita! My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family*

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**Krys Ouellette** - October 05, 2019 at 10:44 PM

RF

“ Deepest condolences to Rita and family.

*D - Devoted  
A - Amazing  
N - Nature Lover  
N - Noble  
Y - Young-at-Heart*



*My dear Brother, Danny, my friend. You and I took different roads, because of our ages. You are #10 and I am #7 sibling. I was 18 years old when I left home for the Army and you were 5 years old. I never had a chance to be with you as you were growing up to be a wonderful and loving brother. No matter where I was at, you were always with me close to my heart.*

*For me, the day you left, so suddenly, was the saddest time, but at the same time filled with happiness. Sad because I didn't hear your voices one final time and didn't tell you how wonderful and loving brother you were to me. Happy that you are with God, our Savior. No more pain to endure. No more fear. No more sadness. ONLY happiness and love in heaven above.*

*The thought of you no longer here, will always cause me to shed a tear or two. You'll forever be in my heart. One day we will see each other again. Miss you very much.*

*Your Sister, Rita*

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**Rita M Fournier** - October 03, 2019 at 07:40 AM

MH

“ So sorry, Daniel was a nice man.

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**Margery Harvey** - October 02, 2019 at 11:10 PM

LV

“ Our condolences to the entire family. He was a pleasure to work with at the Balsams, and we enjoyed talking to him, whenever we saw him at the Canaan Schools. One of the good ones, and gone way too soon.

Sincerely  
Bob and Lisa Vashaw



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**Lisa Vashaw** - October 02, 2019 at 03:56 PM

GL

“ My sincerest sympathies for the family of Dan Fournier. I was the Administrative Assistant for the Canaan Schools all of the 13 years that Dan worked there. He will be truly missed. He was a great friend and excellent worker. Ginette Ladd

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**Ginette Ladd** - October 02, 2019 at 09:02 AM

DB

“ I am so very sorry to the family of Daniel. I worked at Bonneville window factory and he was my boss. Sincere sympathy to everyone . He was a very nice person and a nice boss. May he rest in peace and be away from pain  
Deb Bonenfant



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**Deborah J Bonenfant** - October 01, 2019 at 12:45 PM

VM

“ Deepest condolences to the entire family.



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**Valerie Mahnke** - October 01, 2019 at 11:27 AM

JW

“ Janet Washburn lit a candle in memory of Daniel J. Fournier



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**Janet Washburn** - October 01, 2019 at 07:38 AM

JW

*Such a loss, he was a great guy, very quiet, very caring, wonderful to work with! He will be missed.*

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**Janet Washburn** - October 01, 2019 at 07:39 AM

BG

“ Bob And Mary Grant lit a candle in memory of Daniel J. Fournier



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**Bob and Mary Grant** - October 01, 2019 at 06:45 AM

BC

“ *Canaan Schools won't be the same without you, Dan. Bridget*



**Bridget Cross** - September 30, 2019 at 09:23 PM



“ *Rita Donnell lit a candle in memory of Daniel J. Fournier*



**Rita Donnell** - September 30, 2019 at 08:41 PM

DS

“ *My condolences to the family.  
I met Dan two years ago at Cannan school. I worked in the kitchen.  
Such a great guy. We shared stories of our grandchildren. He would  
tell the cutest stories about his darling granddaughter. You will be  
missed by so many.  
Your in the arms of the Angel's my friend.*

**Debra Schlaiss** - September 30, 2019 at 07:35 PM



“ *I can't believe this is real. Dan was my first boss at Canaan Schools  
and we had a great time working together. I always stop by the  
school to see him while I was in the area. The world has lost a  
wonderful soul. Rest in peace buddy.*

**Jeremy Westover** - September 30, 2019 at 06:47 PM

DL

“ *Rita and family, we are all thinking of you at this very sad time. What an unbelievable man Danny was. So caring and always there for many people and the kids. Thank you for taking Markus hunting and showing what it was all about. You will be so missed. God bless you and may you rest in peace, looking down on your beautiful family. Hugs to you all.* ”



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**Donna Lapierre** - September 30, 2019 at 05:57 PM

JT

*So sorry to hear of Danny's passing! Wonderful person, he will be missed*

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**John and Kris Topa** - October 01, 2019 at 10:26 PM