



David K. Burrill

March 7, 1940 - July 6, 2024

PITTSBURG - David Kingman Burrill, 84, died on Saturday evening, July 6, 2024, at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital in Colebrook, with his family at his side after a brief period of declining health.

David was born in Brockton, Massachusetts, on March 7, 1940, son of the late Henry K. and Gertrude (Garvey) Burrill. He was raised in West Bridgewater and was a 1959 graduate of Abington High School.

Upon graduation he joined the Army National Guard, serving with honor from 1960-1968. David married the love of his life, Jean Marie Corey of Abington, Massachusetts, in July of 1961.

A hard worker his entire life, David worked for his family as a youngster on a creamery truck delivering milk. He also worked at Bailey's Auto Shop as an auto mechanic during his high school years. In 1967 he moved to Derry, N.H., where he worked at Gillette for 25 years in Boston and North Andover servicing their fleet of forklifts. After retiring from Gillette in 1985, David and Jean purchased Powder Horn Lodge in Pittsburg and

operated it until 2000. Concurrently, David and Jean relocated Granite State Power Equipment and became an Arctic Cat snowmobile dealer. Granite State Power Equipment continues as a family-run business to this day. David and Jean's legacy will live on through their son Paul and his wife Wanda continuing to run the business in their honor.

David loved anything to do with snowmobiling and was a well-respected legend in the New Hampshire snowmobiling community. He also enjoyed old cars and tractors. One of David's other passions was driving trucks. He drove a dump truck for Howland Construction, and a tractor trailer for GP Rodrigue Trucking. One highlight was the time he spent driving over the road with his son Paul in his tractor trailer.

David is predeceased by his beloved wife, Jean (Corey) Burrill in 2009, and a brother Richard Burrill.

He leaves behind his two children, Joanne Cilley and her husband Kip of Palm Coast, Florida, and Paul Burrill and his wife Wanda of Pittsburg, N.H. David especially loved spending time with his five grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren, and he also leaves behind a countless number of great friends who will all miss him dearly.

Calling hours will be at the Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook on Friday, July 12, 2024, from 5 to 7 PM, and again on Saturday, July 13, from 3 to 5 PM. Casual dress is the order of the day at the visiting hours.

A graveside service with military honors will be held on Monday, July 15 at 1:00 PM at the Mad River Cemetery in Thornton, N.H.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of David Burrill may be made to the Easterseals, for the benefit of Camp Sno-Mo, Easterseals, 525 Prospect St., Lancaster, NH 03837, (603) 788-0911, or online at www.eastersealsnh.org.

Condolences may be offered on-line by going to www.jenkinsnewman.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home
103 Main Street
Colebrook, NH 03576
(603) 237-4311
info@jenkinsnewman.com

Visitation

JUL 13. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home
103 Main Street
Colebrook, NH

Graveside Service

JUL 15. 1:00 PM (ET)

Mad River Cemetery
Mad River Road
Thornton, NH

Tribute Wall

LY

“ *Paul, Wanda & family, Dave will be missed by everyone who knew him far and wide! So sorry for your loss. Lisa & Bryan Young*

Lisa Young - July 13, 2024 at 03:46 PM

JT

“ *Judi Hanson John Tomasko lit a candle in memory of David K. Burrill*



Judi Hanson John Tomasko - July 12, 2024 at 02:23 PM

CL

“ *David will be so very much missed. He was one of a kind as was his wife Jean. He was always willing to lend a hand and fixed our sleds more times than I can count. We will miss our chats and seeing him sitting on his stool behind the counter of his beloved Arctic Cat business. Our condolences to the Burrill family. Doug, Carolyn, David and Sonya LeBlanc*

Carolyn and Doug LeBlanc - July 12, 2024 at 09:09 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of David K. Burrill.*



July 11, 2024 at 03:53 PM

YF

“ Your Lincoln Financial Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David K. Burrill.

Your Lincoln Financial Family - July 11, 2024 at 03:53 PM

BG

“ Billy, Teri and William Gilnack purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of David K. Burrill.



Billy, Teri and William Gilnack - July 11, 2024 at 10:37 AM

BG

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Billy, Teri and William Gilnack - July 11, 2024 at 10:37 AM

RC

“ Ron and Ryan Pelski - East Branch Camp purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of David K. Burrill.



Ron and Ryan Pelski - East Branch Camp - July 11, 2024 at 10:08 AM

MF

“ *Melissa (Burrill) StClair and Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of David K. Burrill.*



Melissa (Burrill) StClair and Family - July 10, 2024 at 07:37 PM

DF

“ *Dohoney and Oliver family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of David K. Burrill.*



Dohoney and Oliver family - July 10, 2024 at 02:12 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of David K. Burrill.*



July 10, 2024 at 09:40 AM

KA

“ *I'm so very sorry to hear of your loss. Dave, Pumpkin Belly as some of us knew him as, was always so pleasant and helpful. Him and Jean hosted some great parties. And the games in the field were fun. My condolences to you and your family. He will be missed.*



Kris Albert - July 10, 2024 at 07:32 AM

PN

“ Pete Nikias Sr. And Pete and Tobi Nikias purchased the A Full Life for the family of David K. Burrill.



Pete Nikias Sr. And Pete and Tobi Nikias - July 09, 2024 at 11:15 PM

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Pete Nikias Sr. And Pete and Tobi Nikias - July 09, 2024 at 11:15 PM

PD

“ So very sorry to hear of this. He helped me so much with my older Arctic cat. Nothing but a gentleman at all times and always there and available to help people .My condolences to the whole family.
Peter DiBonaventura Lincoln RI

Peter DiBonaventura - July 09, 2024 at 09:56 PM

KF

“ So many memories of our Families snowmobiling and Dave and Jean were great friends of my Parents. Pumpkin Belly had the best laugh!! He also had a twinkle in his eyes. So sorry for your loss. He will be missed by all who knew him.
Love, Kelli McDonough- Flynn

Kelli McDonough- Flynn - July 09, 2024 at 07:14 PM

JB

“ *Joanne, Paul, and Family -
I am sincerely sorry to hear of Dave's passing. He would always wave to me as he drove by to and from the shop. I will miss seeing the big man in the red truck driving by waving.*

Jon Bevins - July 09, 2024 at 06:30 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of David K. Burrill.*



July 09, 2024 at 06:17 PM



“ *I was just telling a friend the other day about how Uncle Dave and Auntie Jean had a cat named "Shithead" and I wasn't allowed to swear so I had to call it "Monster Cat." So many memories of growing up, swimming at the pool in Derry, cleaning cabins at the lodge, driving around in the MooseMobile. Uncle Dave was always kind to me. Sorry I can't be there in person, but please know Truckie sends her love.*

Emily Shrader - July 09, 2024 at 05:25 PM

BK

“ *Kind and generous. Salt of the earth man who will be sadly missed and fondly remembered. The Keyes Family*

Brian Keyes - July 09, 2024 at 04:51 PM

CB

“ We would like to send our condolences to Dave’s family and friends. We know he will be missed dearly. We got to know him through the Arctic cat dealership. It was always great doing business there. Sincerely, Carl and Laura Buesser.

Carl, Buesser - July 09, 2024 at 03:44 PM

BC

“ Bob and Diane Currier purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of David K. Burrill.



Bob and Diane Currier - July 09, 2024 at 02:17 PM

TY

“ Tami Young lit a candle in memory of David K. Burrill



Tami Young - July 09, 2024 at 01:49 PM

GF

“ Our sincere and deepest sympathies to the entire Burrill family. Dave (and Jean) always welcomed us and did everything to make us feel at home each and every time we visited Pittsburg. Dave was a staple of the community and sure to be missed by so many. Thanks for all the treasured memories Dave, you will be missed.

Greg & Kim Miller & family - July 09, 2024 at 01:27 PM

FL

“ . So sorry for your loss, he was such a good man!
Richard and I enjoyed having him in our pool league!

Francine Latendresse - July 09, 2024 at 12:29 PM

AY

“ DAVE ALWAYS GOT MY CAT RUNNING WHEN I CAME UP FOR THE WEEKEND. I HAVE PURCHASED A LOT OF CATS FROM DAVE AND PAUL. HE WAS A HARD WORKER AND A WONDERFUL MAN AND WILL BE MISSED. ALAN YOUNG ROCKY MOUNT VA. STILL MISS PITTSBURG I AM VERY SORRY FOR THE FAMILY LOSS.

ALAN M. YOUNG - July 09, 2024 at 12:15 PM

DH

“ We were so saddened to hear of Dave's passing. Please know you are all in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. He will be missed terribly.

David & Corinne Howland - July 09, 2024 at 10:50 AM

KD

“ Joanne,Paul and family my sincere condolences. Dave was a very special person, loved and respected by everyone. RIP Dave

Karen Dickson - July 09, 2024 at 10:44 AM

LC

“ Linda Clogston lit a candle in memory of David K. Burrill



Linda clogston - July 09, 2024 at 09:15 AM

LC

I am so sorry to hear about David he was such a nice guy. Thinking of all of you at this sad time

Linda clogston - July 09, 2024 at 09:21 AM

RS

*My sincere condolences to the family ! When I first discovered Pittsburg the first place I stayed was powder horn lodge I remember it like yesterday 35 years ago. We became friends and I use to help him repair the groomer on the trail ! Dave and Jean were the nicest people very warm and caring. I will miss dave RIP MY FRIEND
RICK & ROE SINACORE*

Rick sinacore - July 09, 2024 at 12:31 PM

JM

What a wonderful human being! My condolences to the entire family.

Joe Malenfant - July 09, 2024 at 12:42 PM

AB

Very sorry to hear this. Dave will be missed. A great man. The Beard Family

Andrew Beard - July 09, 2024 at 04:16 PM

KO

Very sorry to hear of Dave's passing. He was always kind and friendly to me and I will miss him behind the counter at GSPE. My deepest condolences to the entire Burrill family.

Ken Oliver - July 09, 2024 at 07:31 PM

JK

Paul & Wanda & Joanne, Jean and I are very sorry to hear the sad news. We send all of you our condolences but we will always cherish the memories we have of the enjoyable times with your dad & mom at Snow Stormers ski club, Derry and Pittsburgh. I will always remember your dad and his PBR. Rip Dave.

Jake Kunelius - July 10, 2024 at 12:20 PM

BD

Our sincere condolences. He was a great and kind man!

Bill Duggan - July 12, 2024 at 01:13 PM