



David A. Libby

August 3, 1949 - March 11, 2010

CANAAN, VT -- Mr. David A. Libby, 60, of Canaan, Vt., and formerly of Rochester, NH, passed away on Thursday, March 11, 2010, at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital in Colebrook, NH, after a long and courageous battle with cancer.

He was born on August 3, 1949, in Rochester, NH, a son of Sid Libby and Marie (Castonguay) Libby.

David was educated in Rochester and joined the U.S. Navy following graduation. He served with honor in the submarine service on the U.S.S. Entemedor. He was a member of the American Legion Post 47 in Canaan, Vt.

Following his military service, David then worked in electrical maintenance at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard and at the shipyard in Long Beach, California. After that, he worked in the construction industry. He moved to the north country in 1999 and worked at the Beecher Falls Division of Ethan Allen.

Mr. Libby was an avid outdoorsman who loved to hunt and fish. He also enjoyed the softball games in Canaan and watching all types of sports on TV. He loved the North Country ways and was overwhelmed with the kindness of friends and neighbors in his time of need.

He is survived by his wife, Patricia Seale, of Canaan, Vt.; a daughter, Tera Libby of Barrington, NH; his father, Sid Libby of Rochester, NH; his mother, Marie Libby of East Rochester, NH; two brothers, Wayne Libby of Maryland, and Ed Libby of New Durham, NH; and two grandchildren, Kasey Lynn Morgan and Richard "RJ" Jacobs; as well as his faithful canine companion, Zack.

David is preceded in death a brother, Steven Libby.

At his specific request, there are no calling hours or public services.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Mr. Libby may be made to the Two Rivers Ride for Cancer, c/o Rosemary Mulliken at the First Colebrook Bank, 132 Main Street, Colebrook, NH 03576.

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

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home, Colebrook, NH.

Tribute Wall



“ David was my little brother. He and Steve were family and I loved them both very much. I can't tell you how often he was in my thoughts and prayers. He was a very special person. I am glad to know that he had people who loved and cared for him.##imported-begin##Barbara (Gagne) Winson##imported-end##

March 21, 2010 at 03:53 PM



“ Dear Patti,
I just want to say thank you for all the love and care you gave to my son Dave, before and after his sickness. I will never forget your love and kindness to my son.
I love you.
Mom##imported-begin##Marie Libby##imported-end##

March 16, 2010 at 06:29 PM



“ I am a very old friend of Dave's. I live in New Durham, NH as I saw one of his brother's does. I only knew Dave & Steve. My father & Dave's mother worked together @ GE. Although we lost track of each other over the years--I will always remember the fun times we had in & after high school as well as the long talks about life we had. He was very special. I was shocked & saddened to read of his passing. My sympathy to his wife & his family.##imported-begin##Gail Remick Hoage##imported-end##

March 15, 2010 at 04:17 PM



“ Pat,

I'm so sorry to hear that David has passed, but you know he is in a better place now. My thoughts are with you, and have been for the last two weeks steady. If you need anything at all, please let me know - I'll help in any way I can, even if it's just listening to you. Take care and I'll see you soon.

Sue Gove##imported-begin##Sue Gove##imported-end##

March 15, 2010 at 03:24 PM



“ Tera,

It is never easy when Daddy's Little Girl loses Daddy. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Please let us know if you or the kids need anything. We are thinking of you.##imported-begin##Laurie Bernier##imported-end##

March 15, 2010 at 10:55 AM



“ Patti,

I will always have wonderful memories and a special place in my heart for my friends since childhood Dave and Steve. May your memories give you comfort in the days ahead.##imported-begin##Denise (Lacasse) Gannarelli##imported-end##

March 14, 2010 at 09:52 PM



“ My name is Don Chesnel and I am a lifelong resident of Rochester, NH. I knew David for many years, for the most part due to our employment at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard. I actually had lost track of Dave and was shocked to read his obituary. My condolences are extended to his wife and family on his passing. It truly was a shock to me but I know that Dave is in a very good place now. I will pray for him and ask for the blessing of God for all his family and loved ones.

Sincerely, Don Chesnel##imported-begin##Don Chesnel##imported-end##

March 14, 2010 at 08:42 PM



“ Patty we are sorry to hear of Dave's passing but now he is not suffering any more. Our prayers are with you both.##imported-begin##Haven & Peggy Haynes##imported-end##

March 14, 2010 at 08:18 AM



“ So very sorry for your loss Patty, Dave was a great person, he will be missed very much by many people. My memories of him are, and always will be, very vivid, we had some great times together. Love ya Dave, I know you are up above smiling down upon us.##imported-begin##Earl & Ellie##imported-end##

March 13, 2010 at 11:31 AM