



Charles (Dave) David Roper

May 10, 1938 - June 21, 2021

Charles (Dave) David Roper 83, passed away peacefully on June 21st, 2021 at his home in Ardmore, TN.

Dave was the 4th of 5 children, born to George and Deverril (Workman) Roper on May 10th, 1938 in Mansfield, Ohio.

He graduated from Johnsville High School in 1956 and soon thereafter began a career with Air Liquide that would span 4 decades and much of the continental U.S., retiring in 1998. His greatest accomplishment and source of pride, however, was his family. He was a devoted husband, loving father, doting PaPa, and friend to all.

Dave is survived by his wife of 40 years Barbara Roper; his children, Jeffery (Bev) Roper, Kimberly (Bruce) Garn, Christi Roper Franks, David (Mindy) Roper, and Philip (Rita) Roper; 10 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren; as well as his siblings, George (Kathleen) Roper and Peggy Williams.

He is preceded in death by his parents; and siblings, Jim Roper and Sue Smith.

The family will receive friends at Ardmore Chapel - 27186 East Main St., Ardmore, AL on Thursday, June 24th from 6pm – 7pm.

Tribute Wall

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“ Reminding those whom you support that your thoughts are with them.

Valerri Hill - June 24, 2021 at 07:12 PM

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“ My memories of Dave, will always be special. He loved His Family and Friends with compassion. He was my Step-Dad for many years. I was always treated with dignity and respect from Him. I loved Him, for that.... His laughter was contagious... He always did His best to make us feel loved and appreciated. He will be Dearly missed by so many of us. He loved outdoor activities, like Duck 🦆 hunting in the swamps with my Husband, Jude. A smile ear to ear... 😊 when they got their limit... 😭 He was a very gentle Grandfather, as well. My heart goes out to the Family and Friends during this time. He'll never be forgotten. May He soar with the Eagles 🦅...And to Jeff, Kim, Chris and David, just know I cherished our times together with your Dad. Much Love to you all. Terri and Jude, Marla, and Josh. 🌈🌈

Terri Breaux - June 23, 2021 at 09:06 PM

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“ Always a good memory when thinking of this family and Dave, but even with all the baseball memories my most fond may have be the trip we took to Ohio, and the whole trip home including the stop at the Corvette Museum was a constant reminder of Dave's passion for Vette's. Loved it, would live it again in a heart beat. Was fortunate to get to be around this man during my childhood. Hang in there PJ and Barbara, I love you guys let me know if you need anything at all.

Chris - June 22, 2021 at 01:47 PM