



Daniel James Sappington

May 19, 1953 - August 24, 2022

Daniel “Dan” James Sappington of Halethorpe, MD, passed away peacefully on August 24, 2022, at St. Agnes Hospital in Baltimore City, MD. He was 69 years old.

Daniel was born in Baltimore City on May 19, 1953, the son of the late Laura M. Bryden and Benjamin F. Sappington. His family relocated from Baltimore to Arbutus in Baltimore County in 1954.

He was a graduate of Lansdowne Senior High School in Baltimore County. He attended University of Maryland Baltimore County (UMBC) in Catonsville and graduated in 1988 with a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering.

After graduation from college, Daniel worked for Baltimore Asphalt Paving Company and P. Flanigan and Sons Contracting in Baltimore. His current employer was Coleman’s Speed Shop in Linthicum, MD, where he worked restoring high performance engines.

Daniel served in the U.S. Army between November 1971 and November 1974. He served in Korea for 13 months as well as in the 101st Airborne in Fort Campbell, Kentucky. He obtained the rank of E-5 as a Jet Turbine Engine Mechanic.

Daniel was a member of the Garrison Rifle and Revolver Club of Woodstock, MD; a life member of the National Rifle Association of America; a member of the International Norton Motorcycle Association #359; and a member of the Archaeological Society of Maryland.

He enjoyed restoring and preserving old Indian and Norton vintage motorcycles, as well performing archaeological excavations to locate Native American artifacts and arrowheads.

Daniel was preceded in death by his parents, Laura M. and Benjamin F. Sappington; his brother Donald W. Sappington; and his sisters Lavern Bryden Sappington and Laura Jane (Sappington) Quinn.

He is survived by his brothers, Wayne D. Sappington (Vicki) of Kennedyville, MD, and Glenn F. Sappington of Annapolis, MD, as well as many nieces and nephews.

Daniel will never die as long as those whom he loved never forget him.

Services will be held on Wednesday, September 7, at 12:00 pm at Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home in Chestertown, MD. A visitation will be held one hour prior from 11:00 am – 12:00 pm at the funeral home. Interment to follow at Wesley Chapel Cemetery in Rock Hall, MD.

Cemetery Details

Wesley Chapel Cemetery

6179 Rock Hall Road
Rock Hall, MD

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 7. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
<http://www.fhnfuneralhome.com>

Service

SEP 7. 12:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
<http://www.fhnfuneralhome.com>

Tribute Wall



“ *Daniel James Sappington*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Daniel James Sappington*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



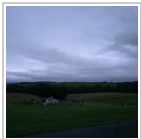
“ *Daniel James Sappington*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of Dans passing. We had many great conversations at AGC on tuesday's. He will be missed.*

Joe McQuaid - September 20, 2022 at 02:55 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your families loss.*

*With Deepest sympathy,
Michelle and Jessica Rush*

Michelle Rush - September 07, 2022 at 11:34 AM



“ 71 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - September 06, 2022 at 12:56 PM



“ *Dan was a really easy going man , always polite , he picked up parts at EPW laurel warehouse for many years, sorry to see him go to soon . jerry*

JERRY LEFEVER - September 06, 2022 at 12:11 PM



“ *Janet Sappington with Laurel and Colin purchased the Fall Fantasia for the family of Daniel James Sappington.*



Janet Sappington with Laurel and Colin - September 03, 2022 at 04:53 PM

WC

“ Dan worked for me off on for 30 years. He was my friend as well. He was one of the good guys. Totally honest and dependable. I am In the process of closing up shop and Dan was going to work on some of his projects. Never had the chance. Shame. Going to miss him.

Bill Coleman

William Coleman - September 02, 2022 at 09:28 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Daniel James Sappington.



September 02, 2022 at 09:22 AM

AP

“ AGC High Power purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Daniel James Sappington.



AGC High Power - September 01, 2022 at 10:53 AM

DM

“ To me, Dan was the quiet guy that never really talked about how good he really was at his sport. I cannot think of a time I saw him that he didn't greet me with a friendly smile. He had many other interests too and you could see him light up when he shared about them. Always willing to join a conversation. He had some fun quirks - especially his wind up clock he used as a timer. I will truly miss his presence at future matches - even when he tried to share his colonoscopy photos, though nobody took him up on that offer.

Dave Mack

David Mack - August 31, 2022 at 06:09 PM

PO

“ Dan was the nicest guy you'd ever meet. He was a pillar of calmness. That calmness allowed him the ability to really focus and achieve the highest standard. His politeness and kindness was always very inspiring and he was a joy to be around. Dan will be greatly missed

Phil Oscar - August 31, 2022 at 05:58 PM

RE

Dan was a good friend. He and I were a team on the high power line. He was always willing to help and we shared reloading equipment and ideas all the time. His calm demeanor was always appreciated by all. I will miss him tremendously!

Richard Erb - September 01, 2022 at 01:40 PM

MU

“ I am sorry to hear about losing Dan. I met Dan on the firing line and the firing line was the last place our lives intersection. Dan was a sweet, kind man. My thoughts are with him and his family.

mika uematsu - August 31, 2022 at 10:07 AM

FG

“ From Steve Levin and Ed Grove purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Daniel James Sappington.



From Steve Levin and Ed Grove - August 31, 2022 at 10:00 AM

SP

“ 1 file added to the album

A screenshot of a calendar or schedule, likely from a digital platform, showing dates and times in a grid format.

Steve Palmieri - August 31, 2022 at 09:59 AM

AM

“ Dan was a great guy and a good neighbor. Always a pleasure to talk to and so knowledgeable about so many things. We will miss him dearly and our heartfelt sympathy goes out to his entire family. Good byes are not forever, good byes are not the end they simply mean we'll miss you until we meet again. You will live in our memory Dan....until we meet again!

Angel Magalis - August 30, 2022 at 03:17 PM