

David Alan Powers

January 16, 1955 - January 22, 2026

David Alan Powers, 71, of Stevensville, Maryland left this life to be with his Lord, Jesus, on Thursday, January 22, 2026 surrounded by his family. David was born in Pittsfield, Massachusetts on January 16, 1955. He was the oldest of three boys born to Joseph A. Powers, Jr. and Eunice Joan (Diamond) Powers. David attended schools in Shertz, TX; West Springfield, MA; Colorado Springs, CO; and was a proud member of the Spartan's class of '73 graduating from East Longmeadow High School (ELHS) in Massachusetts. He was a loving father, brother, cousin, uncle and friend.

After graduating from ELHS, David struck-out on his own traveling west to Colorado, Utah and Oklahoma. In Oklahoma David pursued his dreams of playing semi-pro hockey until his knees could no longer keep up with his desire and ambition. David became expert in the complex process of building, staffing and training personnel for a rapidly growing national restaurant firm. His skills were in high demand, but after a successful 10-year career in the industry, David, leaped into a new career, channeling his God-given skills, and those honed back in Birchland Park, to become an engineering draftsman and then civil engineer, beginning with McCrone in Annapolis, MD in 1983. Following a very successful and rewarding career with McCrone, David took his skills and the enormous network of work associates to work for the State of Maryland in its Highway construction division. David was respected and well-liked by his co-workers and business associates for his candor, commitment and indefatigability. Throughout his life, no one could out-work David.

He attracted friends easily and there was no truer friend than David. Growing up in East Longmeadow, it was football, baseball and street hockey at Mapleshade; wiffle ball in the backyard; hockey games at Blackmon's pond with goals marked by winter boots; riding bikes everywhere until he traded in his bicycle for a '57 Chevy; snowball fights on Converse Circle; trips to Fenway park – always surrounded by the friends he loved then and for his whole life. When David made friends, he kept them. There was no more natural location for David than orchestrating a multi-grill BBQ or crab-feast, dressed in a Baltimore Ravens jersey, surrounded by family and friends.

David was pre-deceased by his father, LTCOL Joseph A. Powers, Jr (USAF) and mother, Eunice Joan (Diamond) Powers. He is survived by his son Cody Powers (Stevensville, MD) and brothers Gary Powers (Annapolis, MD) and Craig Powers (Hudson, NH) and a multitude of much loved cousins, nieces and nephews and his treasured friends.

The family will receive friends Sunday Feb 1, 2026 from 3-5 pm at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam (FHN) Funeral Home, 106 Shamrock Road, Chester, MD 21619. A funeral service will be held at FHN the following day, Monday Feb 2, 2026 beginning at 11:00 am. Burial will follow the service at the Stevensville Cemetery, 808 Main St., Stevensville, MD 21666.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 1. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A.
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619

Funeral Service

FEB 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A.
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619

Burial

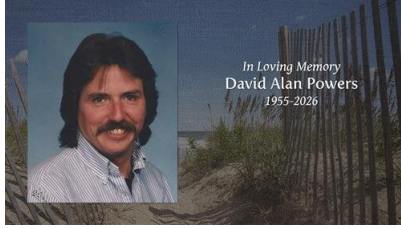
FEB 2 (ET)

Stevensville Cemetery
808 Main St
Stevensville, MD 21666
(410) 643-2226

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of David Alan Powers*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - January 30 at 09:28 AM

CD

“ *Candice D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Alan Powers.*

Candice D. - February 01 at 11:33 AM

LL

“ *In the latter 1980's, Dave MC'd the McCrone Crab Feasts at Mayo Beach Park. My daughter Kerri thought Dave was a Rock Star . . . and he was, he is, and he always will be. ❤️*



Lynn Laws - January 31 at 07:07 PM

CP

“ *86 files added to the album David Powers Photo Album - CSP*



Craig Powers - January 29 at 03:43 PM

BB

“ David reached out to me on WWF and wished me a Happy Mothers Day. We began to chat and became friends. David told me that I was the female version of him, and I told him that he was the male version of me. We developed a bond, a strong spiritual connection, and love. We knew God brought us together. We were soulmates. My heart goes out to Craig, Gary, and Cody at this time...Love,
Belinda Sue.

Belinda Sue Bowling - January 28 at 05:53 AM

BW

I had the distinct honor and pleasure of working with Dave while working together at McCrone, Inc. I was a slight mentor, selecting him to train on newly acquired Computer Assisted Drafting application as well as Storm Drainage Design.

We both moved on to other work ventures and a few tears ago reconnected. We met in Chesapeake Beach and enjoyed a very delicious meal and had a great time catching up. We met one two more times, but my health prevented much more.

I told him, from my heart, that he was always one i admired for his work ethic, his ever present positive outlook, and his quick and sharp wit.

I know he was so very proud of his son, as he told me so and I know he greatly admired his brother, Craig a former Tom Cat pilot!

My heart breaks at the loss of a great friend, excellent student, talented co-worker whom I was privileged to call My Friend!

RIP, Dave

Bill Watson.

Bill Watson - January 28 at 01:51 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David Alan Powers.



January 27 at 10:03 AM

LL

“ Love, Chris and Linda planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Alan Powers.

Love, Chris and Linda - January 27 at 10:03 AM

CM

“ Dear Craig, Gary, Powers family - I am so sorry for your loss. David was a big brother to me in our wonderful Converse Circle neighborhood/family. So many wonderful memories. He was loved and he will be missed.

Carla Moses - January 26 at 09:46 AM

GP

Thank you, Carla. We did have a lot of fun growing up there and you all were a big part of it. Give your family a big hug for me and tell them that's from Dave. Gary

Gary Powers - January 27 at 01:35 PM

JP

“ My heartfelt, sincerest condolences to you, Craig, your brother & the rest of your family. I will be praying for all of you & pray your grief eventually turns to joyous memories to hold close to your hearts until you're all reunited in Heaven forever. May God bless you & keep you close.

judy paris - January 25 at 08:59 AM

GP

Thank you, Judy. Gary

Gary Powers - January 27 at 01:34 PM

SL

“ Sherri Logue lit a candle in memory of David Alan Powers



Sherri Logue - January 25 at 07:44 AM

GP

Thank you, Sherri. Gary

Gary Powers - January 27 at 01:36 PM

SL

“ I'm so sorry to hear about David's passing . He was my client in the salon for 37 years . I moved away and it was hard to say goodbye then . He was a wonderful fun loving person . Always a smile , a story and lots of laughs . I pray for Cody to be strong without his dad . Cody , dad loved you to the moon and back . Dad will be watching over you . My heart aches . He was a true FRIEND to me . Sherri Logue

Sherri Logue - January 25 at 07:42 AM

JE

David was a member of a social group called Young Anne Arundel Professionals in Annapolis MD around the mid-1980's. He was a kind, decent person and a friend to many of us. Jenny Spivak (Lamb)

Jenny - January 26 at 11:56 AM

GP

Thank you, Jenny. He loved the greater Annapolis Area as well as his home for the last thirty years on Kent Island. Never far from DTA!!

Gary Powers - January 27 at 01:38 PM