



David Bryan Shockley

February 19, 1963 - October 6, 2015

David Bryan Shockley, 52, died on Tuesday, October 6, 2015, at UMSMC at Easton.

Born February 19, 1963, in Baltimore, MD, he was the son of Bobby W. Shockley, Sr. and Catherine Carson Shockley., Sr. He graduated from North Caroline High School in Denton. Upon graduation, he began his career in the construction field.

He loved his life with his wife, children, and his grandson. David was a lifelong fan of the Baltimore Orioles and Ravens. He was always helping others in away way he could, by participating in Operation Christmas Spirit, Habitat for Humanity, and the Wounded Warriors Project. David was an avid outdoorsman, enjoying camping, hunting and fishing. He was also member of Ducks Unlimited. He made a special memorial wall in remembrance of Matthew Cowdrey, that he took to heart. David had a multitude of lifelong friends and a family that adored him.

He is survived by his wife, Laurie, of Easton; his daughter, Mandie Shockley of Easton; two beloved stepchildren, Cheryl Slacum of Easton, Christopher Slacum of Cambridge; and one grandson, Karter Slacum. He is also survived by his siblings, Linda Jenks and Wayne Shockley, Sr. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Bobby Shockley, Jr. and James Shockley.

The family is requesting donations be made in lieu of flowers to Operation Christmas Spirit c/o Lord Scott, 123 S. Washington St., Easton, MD 21601 or the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 75851, Topeka, KS 66675.

There will be calling hours Sunday, October 11, 2015, from 2-4 p.m. at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A., Easton.

Tribute Wall



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



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - October 10, 2015 at 01:42 PM



“ *David Bryan Shockley*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *David Bryan Shockley*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Heidi Sharp Potter lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Heidi Sharp Potter - October 12, 2015 at 08:02 AM

HB

“ Dave would come by every week just to see if Brenda and I needed anything, he was a great friend and full of life. I loved listening to he Hunting and Fishing stories. We sent quite a bit time together lately because of breeding Turk his Labrador to our Star (Labrador), he would come by and see the puppies and want to take them all home with his. Good by old friend R.I.P. and I'll see you again. We will miss your smiling face.

God Bless...Herb & Brenda Brakebill

Herb Brakebill - October 12, 2015 at 06:17 AM

KB

“ Karen And Kevin Brown lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley



Karen and Kevin Brown - October 11, 2015 at 04:34 PM

LB

“ Liz Barnett lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley



Liz Barnett - October 11, 2015 at 01:31 PM

BF

“ *Bob & Liz Fitton lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Bob & Liz Fitton - October 11, 2015 at 07:49 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David Bryan Shockley.*



October 11, 2015 at 01:55 AM

MS

“ *The story of Brad and Dave dropping that bird in the middle of neighbor kid's birthday party is one of the all time funniest stories I have ever heard! Dave laughed so hard telling that story...*

Mike Kellie Chanel and Savannah - October 11, 2015 at 01:23 AM

MS

“ *Mike, Kellie, Chanel And Savannah lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Mike, Kellie, Chanel and Savannah - October 11, 2015 at 01:10 AM

MS

“ *Mike, Kellie, Chanel And Savannah lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Mike, Kellie, Chanel and Savannah - October 11, 2015 at 01:08 AM

MS

Not sure why this software removed Kellie's name but she joins us in our expression of love for Dave...

Mike, Kellie, Chanel and Savannah - October 11, 2015 at 01:12 AM

BS

“ David Shockley... Where do I begin? You are one of a kind...(not "were"...no past tense here!) We shared so much and have a CRAZY history. Some would say it was Jerry Springer or Maury-like...but that's what stories are made of...and we didn't give a shit. Thank god we didn't or else Mandie would not be here today! Linda and I were laughing about our past just a few days ago...(y'all have NO idea. Inquiring minds want to know, lol)

...skipping forward...it isn't often that ex husbands and exwives can reach a point that they can not only can put their differences aside and actually make peace with each other for the good and best of their kids...but they can actually become friends again and forget all that stupid bull shit and look at each other as two people with a common interest...our child deserves the best we can give them. Let's get past this and move on...

Even more rare is that an ex wife can bond with "the new wife"...I liked Laurie from the moment I met her. There was something about her, she was so genuine, kind, and very respectful to my daughter... And to ME. She could have hated me, but she didn't. Instead she came to my store and brought her sisters and her mom to shop. When Mandie was working at Frugalicious, Laurie brought us both coffee, her daughter, Cheryl even worked with us briefly. She was an asset to my shop and I enjoyed working with her. Just as she and i and Mandie and I realized back then its hard to work with family sometimes ...and we had to move on ...we all remained close and never lost touch

A few years ago Mandie had the idea to host Thanksgiving at her townhouse.OMG what a feast! When it was time to sit down she said mom come sit next to dad...and I did...we had the best time. Mandie is an amazing hostess. She got our old/new family together that day and it It felt so good. We all looked forward to the next family event... Little did we know that David would take such an interest in Operations Christmas Spirit! Mandie told him I was involved in a fund raiser in the community. When he heard a story about a child on Christmas who had to choose between a toy and a can of food for his family, and the child picked the can of soup...David decided he was going to make a difference.

He took on the challenge and collected toys and food with a vengeance! He had to haul it all to the firehouse with a truck and trailer! Scotty was amazed and liked to refer to Dave as a redneck hunter. Its amazing what just one person can do and what a difference one person can make. We are all in shock that you had to go so suddenly David ...there are so many people who will carry on with your legacy.

I felt your presence tonight. I know how much you love and adore our daughter and I promise you I will look out for her, and protect her. I will pass along your promise to kick anyone's ass who tries to hurt her too. Like you used yo say "I pity the fool!"

Thank you for helping me raise the most amazing beautiful young woman that Mandie is today. Also, thank you for allowing me to welcome your current family into my new home, they have blessed me with their presence in the absence of yours. Hopefully other families can overcome the obstacles that we have and there is a beautiful lesson to be learned....til we meet again, my friend :)

Brenda Stango - October 10, 2015 at 10:44 PM

WT

Amazing!! Brenda your the best!! I love you

Wendy Mitchell Taylor - October 13, 2015 at 04:05 PM

LS

Thank you for your wonderful memories and kind words. I also vow to be there for Mandie. Although I am her step-mom, she is a daughter to me. She is David's living legacy and every time I look at her, I will see him looking back at me. -Laurie Shockley

Laurie Shockley - December 10, 2015 at 07:31 AM

KB

“ *Kat Bern lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Kat Bern - October 10, 2015 at 07:03 PM



“ *148 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - October 10, 2015 at 11:55 AM

SW

“ *I grew up with David...elementary to high school. He was a good guy. My favorite memory was a mischief night in Ridgely when a group of us decided to visit a local vacant old house. That was great!
My thoughts and prayers are with his family.*



Sandy Ward - October 10, 2015 at 07:50 AM

BF

“ *Barrow Family lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Barrow Family - October 10, 2015 at 06:49 AM

BW

“ *Brenda (Blunt) Walls lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Brenda (Blunt) Walls - October 10, 2015 at 05:21 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of David Bryan Shockley.*



October 09, 2015 at 11:08 AM

DE

“ *Dave & Patti Eason lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Dave & Patti Eason - October 09, 2015 at 09:03 AM

JW

“ I recall this man coming to my church and being totally present for the service. I admired his thoughtfulness and now wish I had spoken to him.

Jonathan Williams, NDLA

Jonathan Williams - October 09, 2015 at 06:51 AM

LN

I'm so sorry for family's loss.

lisa neal - October 09, 2015 at 05:42 PM

DL

Thinking of you all and praying for the family as you go through this difficult time. Dave was a great guy. Many memories from Greensboro Baptist Church as a child and from school.

Doris Griffith Lee and family

Doris Lee - October 10, 2015 at 09:06 AM

 Martha
Griffith

“ *Dear Shockley Family:
We were so very sorry to hear about Dave's passing.
We shall always think of him as we knew him: a delightful, intelligent person who made us feel special and good whenever we talked with him.*

He was a rare person, and we are very grateful that we had the luck to know him. We will always think of him as a living spirit of goodness and kindness.

We send our condolences.

Sincerely, Martha and Jim Griffith

Martha Griffith - October 08, 2015 at 10:59 PM

JF

“ *John Howells And Family lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



John Howells and Family - October 08, 2015 at 10:14 PM



“ *Brad Kline lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Brad Kline - October 08, 2015 at 10:06 PM



“ *Kim Taylor lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Kim Taylor - October 08, 2015 at 09:36 PM



“ *Amanda Mendes lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Amanda Mendes - October 08, 2015 at 09:29 PM

BT

“ *Betsy Truitt lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Betsy Truitt - October 08, 2015 at 07:13 PM

PM

“ *To all the Shockley Family Members,
I extend to you my deepest sympathy and heartfelt condolences. I
pray that God will comfort and bless each of you at this difficult time.*

Phillip & Denise Mitchell - October 08, 2015 at 06:44 PM

TD

“ *Tracey Draper lit a candle in memory of David Bryan Shockley*



Tracey Draper - October 08, 2015 at 03:22 PM

BF

*To a Great Outdoorsman and wonderful individual, he could do it all!
You will be deeply missed by many! Our Thoughts and Prayers go out
to the Shockley Family, the Kline Family and all his beloved friends.*

Bob & Liz Fitton

Bob & Liz Fitton - October 11, 2015 at 01:28 PM

“ My Uncle Dabop was the big brother I never had. Growing up with him was so much fun. He got us in to as much trouble as he got us out of. He had a laugh that could only encourage you to join in. He taught me how to throw a softball (not like a girl). Because of him I loved to build things and did better in shop class then I did in Home Economics.

I remember watching him play football in high school, making paper airplanes together, singing along with Eddie Rabbit as we drove down the Ocean City Drag with the van door wide open. I remember how his coffee mugs would stick to his dash even though the rest of us would slide to the side as he took a sharp turn. I remember all the times he handed us cash to go into the store to get a treat, "whatever we wanted".

I remember how proud he was when he came to my home for the first time, and how good it felt to have his approval on my accomplishment. He bragged about his niece to anyone who would listen. He was present for every important moment and lived those moments with all of us.

Uncle David loved kids, which made him an amazing Uncle, Father, and Grandfather. He was a big kid himself and never missed the opportunity to allow us to just enjoy being in the moment. He encouraged everything that our mother's discouraged, making him the beloved Uncle he was.

I will miss the random calls, butt dials or otherwise, that would turn into an hour long conversation that would at some point having you laughing so hard you couldn't breath. I will miss his laugh, and hearing him call me Baby Doll.

I loved him so very much, and will miss him terribly.

My love and prayers go out to my family and our friends during this time. I truly love and appreciate you all.

Wendy Mitchell-Taylor - October 08, 2015 at 03:06 PM

JC

Kayden and I I'll keep everyone in our prayers! Love u guys

Jalayia Cruz - October 08, 2015 at 05:34 PM

PC

Our prayers go out to the Shockley family at this difficult time of loss. Dave had so many talents that no one could imagine. All that knew him are going to miss him dearly. May he rest in peace.

Patrick & Pinky Ciardullo - October 09, 2015 at 09:54 AM