



David Roland Pannier

January 23, 1951 - February 1, 2020

David Roland Pannier died on 1 February 2020 in Tyler, Texas at the age of 69.

David is survived by his wife Kathleen of Tyler, Texas and his sons Zach of Charlotte, North Carolina and Lee of Denver, Colorado.

David was born on 23 January 1951 in Sheboygan, Wisconsin to Roland and Gertrude Pannier. He grew up as the youngest of 4, with 3 older sisters; Joan, Janet and Karen. David graduated from the University of Wisconsin – Madison in 1973 with a degree in Mechanical Engineering. David married Kathleen, the love of his life in 1972.

David was the proud grandfather of five beautiful grandchildren; Annabelle (10) and Mollie (12) of Denver, Colorado and Isla (2), Beck (8) and Ellery (10) of Charlotte, North Carolina.

David spent 33 years with the Trane company serving various engineering and leadership roles, retiring in 2009.

David's wishes were not to have a funeral or memorial. The family will be hosting an open house / life celebration on Sunday 9 February 2020 from noon to 4 p.m.

The family is grateful for the condolences, but in lieu of flowers that you please donate to one of the below charities: The Hospice of East Texas -

<https://www.hospiceofeasttexas.org>, American Cancer Association -

<http://www.cancer.org>, Tyler Type One Diabetes Foundation -

<https://www.tylertypeone.org>, or Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation -

<https://www.jdrf.org>.

Comments



“ David and I were close classmates in High School back in Random Lake ,Wisconsin. We double dated, raced cars, went to the outdoor theater with the girls and were each members of a foursome of buddies we called "The Fearsome Foursome" I am proud to have introduced Dave and Cathy when we were in high school. He will truly be missed by many, many , people and will always be remembered as a kind , wonderful friend. When I was about to get married, the bachelor party with many friends was held at Daves home outside the little town of Batavia. On behalf of my wife and I, we will you friend and out hearts go out to Cathy and family.
See you later Dear Friend. Bruce Jackson Leesburg, Georgia

Bruce Jackson - February 06, 2020 at 07:30 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear that Dave is no longer with us. He possessed the rare quality of always being a gentleman.

Jerry Weiss - February 07, 2020 at 06:56 PM



“ I served on many industry association committees (AHRI, NATE, GAMA) with Dave. I was always impressed by his directness and Thought Leadership. He will be missed by the entire industry.
Scott Boxer

Scott Boxer - February 06, 2020 at 06:26 PM



“ All of us at the Air-Conditioning, Heating, and Refrigeration Institute, an association Dave once chaired, send our heartfelt condolences to Dave's family. Dave was a true gentleman, a person who shared his light with the world -- both business and otherwise -- every day. Always with a kind word or gesture, Dave made friends everywhere he went, and our industry is diminished by his passing.



Francis Dietz - February 06, 2020 at 07:48 AM



“ I am saddened by the news! Dave was a true leader and friend! He will be missed. Condolences to his family!

Dick Schul - February 06, 2020 at 06:53 PM