



David Joseph Fischer

March 14, 1952 - May 2, 2017

David Joseph Fischer, age 65, of St. Anthony, Indiana, passed away at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 2, 2017 at Memorial Hospital and Health Care Center in Jasper, Indiana.

Dave was born in Jasper, Indiana, on March 14, 1952 to Arthur J. and Lorene Rose (Blessinger) Fischer.

He was a 1970 graduate of Jasper High School. He then graduated from Lockyear Business College.

He worked at Buehler's Buy-Low and Save-A-Lot in Jasper for 45 years.

He was a member of Divine Mercy Parish - St. Anthony Campus.

He enjoyed gardening.

Surviving are four sisters, Joan A. Schwenk (Louis), Jasper, IN, Marilyn C. English (Richard), Vincennes, IN, Diane M. Fischer, St. Anthony, IN, and Ramona A. Roach (Dale), Bloomfield, IN, two brothers, James Fischer (Shirley), and Gerald L. Fischer (Jane), both of Jasper, IN, nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death were his parents, and one sister, Donna Elizabeth Fischer.

A Mass of Christian Burial for David Joseph Fischer will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, May 5, 2017 at St. Anthony Catholic Church in St. Anthony, Indiana, with burial to follow in the church cemetery.

A visitation will be held from 4:00-7:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 4, 2017 at the Becher-Kluesner Downtown Chapel and one hour before services at the church on Friday.

Memorial contributions may be made to Divine Mercy Parish, Dubois County Humane Society or to a favorite charity.

Cemetery Details

St. Anthony of Padua Church Cemetery

4444 Ohio Street
St. Anthony, IN 47575

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 4. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Becher & Kluesner Funeral Home - Downtown
214 East 7th Street
Jasper, IN 47546
(812) 482-4141
email@becherkluesner.com

Visitation

MAY 5. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St Anthony of Padua Catholic Church
4444 Ohio Street
St. Anthony, IN 47575

Service

MAY 5. 10:00 AM (ET)

St Anthony of Padua Catholic Church
4444 Ohio Street
St. Anthony, IN 47575

Tribute Wall



“ *David Joseph Fischer*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *Dave and I were together from 6-8 grade at St. Anthony and 8-12 at Jasper High School. The only high school reunion I attended was the 20th which I sat with he and his twin sister Diane. It was always a pleasure talking to him when seen at the Northwood IGA . He was always be very complimentary of my government career. I will definitely miss him when the 50th reunion rolls around in 2020. Your passing is unfortunate but your in a better life. Stan Schnell*

Stan Schnell - May 06, 2017 at 09:03 PM



“ *Dave you were one of the good ones and I am sorry to say that I was not able to go to the visitation or the funeral as I was in Las Vegas. Those card games at Scott's will not be the same without you being ther and paying to "see one more card". Rest In Peace, my friend!*



Kevin Mehringer - May 06, 2017 at 08:24 PM

DB

“ Dave was a one of a kind, I met him in 1993 at my 2nd job ever and have known him ever since. A true great man, full of wisdom about the ladies and gambling. I used to take his burning pipe from his back pocket and he would chase me. He will not be forgot in my mind as long as I am alive. Here is a pic of him, myself, Arnie, and Tom Egg. We will all miss you Dave. Love Dylan.



Dylan Braun - May 04, 2017 at 09:42 PM



“ As a mom, I am truly thankful to Dave for being such a great role model and mentor to my son Bailey. As a customer, I witnessed Dave as being such a hard worker and always caring so much about his customers. He helped me many times and was always thrilled to help. Blessings to all his family and friends.

Lori Keller - May 04, 2017 at 07:17 PM

SM

“ I met Dave when he had Fischer's book store on the square at Jasper. He was such a nice gentleman. We continued our talks when I was in Save A Lot. I will miss Dave & our talks. My deepest sympathy to the family-- friends & co-workers. Prayers for all. God hear our prayers.



Sheila Mueller - May 04, 2017 at 02:15 PM

DH

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David Hochgesang - May 04, 2017 at 07:47 AM

MM

“ I worked with Dave when I worked at IGA in the mid 80's. He was always such a nice guy and was always willing to help. Even through the years seeing him at Save A Lot he was always such a kind and helpful person. He will be missed !

Mary Jane (Spellmeyer) Miller - May 04, 2017 at 07:33 AM



“ Sending prayers to Dave's family and friends. I worked for many years with Dave at Buehler's. We had so much fun. Many memories.

Jen Speicher - May 04, 2017 at 06:49 AM

MB

“ I worked with Dave at Buehlers back in the early 90s. He nick named me "Mick". 20+ years later he still called me Mick. He was a great guy! Always lots of laughs with him! Great, great memories!! You will be missed.

Michelle "Mick" Brewster-Bowling

Michelle Bowling - May 04, 2017 at 06:16 AM

JA

“ We extend sympathy to Dave's family and the Sav-a-Lot family as well. He will truly be missed by all the customers. He was always busy but never too busy to help you. His work ethic is what every employer desires.



John and Camilla Allen

John and Camilla Allen - May 04, 2017 at 06:13 AM

PH

“ Reflecting the comments of others, Dave was truly a great person. A great family. Many good memories of conversation with him. I was sad to read of his passing. Our sympathies to the family. Paul, Sue, Thomas & Olivia Habig

Paul Habig - May 04, 2017 at 05:42 AM

 Maria Da Re

“ Maria Da Re lit a candle in memory of David Joseph Fischer



Maria Da Re - May 03, 2017 at 10:16 PM

 Ellen Burkhardt

“ Ellen Burkhardt lit a candle in memory of David Joseph Fischer



Ellen Burkhardt - May 03, 2017 at 10:08 PM

MC

“ *Megan Carter lit a candle in memory of David Joseph Fischer*



Megan Carter - May 03, 2017 at 09:23 PM

CH

“ *Chris Hinkle lit a candle in memory of David Joseph Fischer*



Chris Hinkle - May 03, 2017 at 09:05 PM

DH

“ *Dave was truly one of the kindest, wisest, and most selfless individuals I have ever met. He was always happy and his positive attitude and sense of humor were contagious. I worked with Dave at Buy Low and Save A Lot for nearly 10 years. He was a friend, a mentor, and simply a joy to be around. I learned so much about life from Dave that I will forever be indebted to him. I am so glad that my wife Mindy got to meet Dave and experience his amazing personality. Dave positively touched many more lives than he will ever know. I hope we meet again someday in heaven Dave. You were truly an inspiration to all of us. Thanks for all you've done for me!*

*Love,
David Hochgesang (and Mindy)*

David Hochgesang - May 03, 2017 at 08:11 PM

CJ

“ Will miss him when we shop for groceries always working hard and willing to help

Chris Jahn - May 03, 2017 at 08:09 PM

BR

“ Barbara And Ron Rasche lit a candle in memory of David Joseph Fischer



Barbara and Ron Rasche - May 03, 2017 at 06:17 PM

BR

You were one of Ron's classmates and friend to us both, You will be missed thats for sure...RIP Dave, until we meet again...

Barbara and Ron Rasche - May 03, 2017 at 06:19 PM

Christine Hemmerle

“ I worked with him years ago. My first job. He was as nice a guy then as he was now. Will not be the same without him. May God bless over him and his family.



Christine Hemmerlein - May 03, 2017 at 06:09 PM

JL

“ John And Linda Lemond lit a candle in memory of David Joseph Fischer



John and Linda Lemond - May 03, 2017 at 05:31 PM

JP

“ *Diane and family, I am sorry for your loss, May God give you strength during this difficult time.*

Jeanne Pfister

Jeanne Pfister - May 03, 2017 at 04:41 PM

JK

“ *Sending my deepest sympathy and prayers to Diane and the Fischer family.*



janet kordes - May 03, 2017 at 04:09 PM

TH

“ *Was always hard at work At Save-A-Lot... He was a good guy for sure !!!! Going to be missed...*

tony haas - May 03, 2017 at 03:12 PM

BK

“ *Dave was always kind and upbeat he was a friend to everyone. You always learned something new every time you worked with him. It was a honor to work with Dave for all these years. He will be sadly missed by many. Love ya Fischer*

Barb Kendall - May 03, 2017 at 02:05 PM

PF

“ Dave was a treasure and will be missed.....he had a heart of gold to go with that smile. I worked with Dave at the Northwood IGA mid to late 70s but really got to know him on my days off during high school where I realized the guy behind the book store counter was the same guy that worked at the store.....he had a heart of gold and always time for anyone and is the reason I love reading to this day.....

Pat Fleck - May 03, 2017 at 11:26 AM

TE

i couldn't agree more, pat.

tom egg - May 04, 2017 at 01:03 AM

KS

“ He was a great guy that sure will be missed by many. He always put a smile on my face when I saw him . He was a hard worker. Sure going miss your sweetness and that smile. He will never be placed at save alot. He up there chasing girls now (are little secret)...

Kristy Swan Spalding - May 03, 2017 at 10:19 AM

BS

“ Dave, thank you for the many laughs and all the people's life's you touched in your many years of work. My one question I always had is how that pipe would smoking in your back pocket and yet never started your pants on fire. That laugh will live on forever! RIP Dave, Arnie

Brian Schwartz - May 03, 2017 at 10:17 AM

CB

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. I worked with Fish for four years at Save A Lot and he was the reason I loved working on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and the weekend. He would always make the nights so much better. He was one of the people who pushed me to apply to IUPUI in Indianapolis to pursue my dream. I will always remember working with him and how we used to roll up the plastic and play basketball on days the truck came in and his laughter always brighten my day. He was always there to help if you needed it. He will be missed dearly.

Chelsea Nicole Bohnert - May 03, 2017 at 10:14 AM

TE

save-a-lot will never be the same, that's for sure. i worked with dave for more than 20 years and he was one of the good guys. we were both loyal dodger fans and now he will be up there with the great dodger in the sky. i'll miss our chats when i was shopping at the store. RIP my friend.

tom egg - May 03, 2017 at 11:36 AM

TH

Well put Tom

tony haas - May 03, 2017 at 03:13 PM

TE

thanks tony. i'll sure miss dave as will plenty of others.

tom egg - May 04, 2017 at 01:05 AM