



John David Goddard

November 28, 1939 - July 20, 2013

John David Dave Goddard, 73 of Shelby Twp., passed away July 20, 2013 at his home with his wife and family at his side. Dave was born November 28, 1939 in Detroit, Michigan the son of Christopher and Janneke Goddard. He graduated from Royal Oak High School and earned his degree in Insurance Law and Real Estate from Michigan State University in 1961. He was the owner of Goddard & Goddard Carpet & Upholstery Cleaning for the past 32 years. He remained very active in the day to day operation up until his death. He will be greatly missed by the community and the many friendships he gleaned from his years in business. Dave loved to play golf and was an avid tennis player for many years. He enjoyed reading about the Civil War and doing crossword puzzles in pencil. He enjoyed listening to music and loved being with his friends and family.

Dave is survived by his wife Karen Faye Winright Goddard of almost thirty two years, his daughter and love of his life, Amanda Kaye Goddard, three sons, Christopher Liz Goddard, Timothy Goddard and Michael Goddard. Brother Murk Goddard, and best friend and Karen's helper, Ric Lynda Gosk. He was pre-deceased by his parents and two brothers Philip Goddard and Hillary Goddard.

Friends may visit at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Rd. 3 blks. E. of Van Dyke Utica on Monday, July 22 from 1-4pm and 6-8pm with a prayer service at 7:30 pm. Christian Funeral Service Tuesday, July 23 at New Hope United Methodist Church, 53246 Van Dyke, Shelby Twp. where friends may

visit from 10 am until 11 am time of service. Rev. Galen E. Grulke, Dave's brother in law, of Heart of the Shepherd Lutheran Church, Howell, MI. will officiate. In lieu of flowers, contributions would be appreciated to New Hope United Methodist Church. Please share a memory at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com

Tribute Wall

LG

“ Karen, my thoughts are with you and your family as I heard the news after being up north. I know family and friends will help you through these days of sadness as you remember and smile of a great life. Warm hugs. Lynda Donaldson Gunckle

Lynda Donaldson Gunckle - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ You are in our thoughts and prayers! Just heard from Aunt Ruth of his passing. Pray that you will find peace with his passing. Dennis and Cary Winright

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JY

“ Karen and Amanda, We are saddened to learn about Dave's death. Although we haven't seen you in years, we have fond memories of the laughter and love we shared, while we lived in Clinton Twp. You welcomed us with open arms, when our churches were blended into one, and Dave was one of the first to make us feel at home with our new church family. He was always reaching out to help and I recall he had a love of music and a beautiful voice. We know he will be missed. May you feel God's spirit sustaining and strengthening you and please know we are affirming healing and hope for you in your grief. With heartfelt sympathy, Jim and Karyl Young

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“ Dave will be missed at New Hope Church for sure.. I will miss singing with him in the choir , and sitting with Dave, Gale and Leon during practices. And the many conversations in the halls of New Hope. My family has been praying for Dave. And will continue for Karen and family during this time.

Jeff, Marcia, Ryan Jordan K. - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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