



David Franklin Spurlock II

September 5, 1961 - January 13, 2025

David Franklin Spurlock II, affectionately known as Little Dave, passed away at the age of 63 on January 13, 2025. Born on September 5, 1961, in Salyersville, KY, he was the son of the late David Franklin Spurlock and Shirley Conley Spurlock.

Little Dave was a passionate car enthusiast, well known around town for driving his cherished Datsun 280z. He had an enduring love for motorsports, particularly the Grand Prix races, and he fondly remembered attending the Palm Beach Grand Prix in 1985—a highlight of his racing fandom.

In addition to his love for cars, Little Dave had a special place in his heart for Labrador Retrievers, whose loyalty and companionship brought him great joy throughout his life.

David attended Mid-America College of Mortuary Science, where he earned his degree and went on to become a dedicated funeral director and embalmer. He was a highly skilled embalmer and restorative artist, taking immense pride in his work and the care he provided to the families in his community. His commitment to helping others during their most difficult times left a lasting impact.

David will be remembered for his kind heart, unwavering dedication, and the

way he made a difference in the lives of those around him.

He is survived by his children Evan Spurlock and Trey Spurlock, as well as a host of cousins and extended family and friends.

A memorial service in their honor will be held at 5:00 p.m. on January 31, 2025, at Salyersville First Baptist Church. Family and friends are invited to celebrate his life and legacy starting at 4:00 p.m. at the church.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the ASPCA, PO Box 96929

Washington, DC 20090-6929, in David's memory. Arrangements are under the direction of the Steen Funeral Homes of Ashland, Kentucky.

Rest in peace, David, and may you have found find the peace that you couldn't find in this life.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 31. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Salyersville First Baptist Church
Dixie Avenue
Salyersville, KY 41465

Memorial Service

JAN 31. 5:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *My deepest sympathy and prayers for the family*

Kaye Stone - January 28, 2025 at 06:47 PM

LP

So sorry for your loss. My heart and prayers are with your family in their time of need. God bless you all

Loretta Prater - January 30, 2025 at 09:05 PM

LP

“ *My Condolences to David's sons, Trey and Evan. Little Dave and I were in the same grade and became friends in high school. Our Senior trip to FL is one of my fondest memories from my youth and David was a big part of the fun I had on that trip. He was athletic, cute, funny and kind. We remained friends through the years, but had lost contact in the last 15+years.*

In the 90s I was blessed to be Trey's Kindergarten Teacher and enjoyed sharing that year with Little Dave and his family (especially with his mom, Shirley).

In 1994 while David was working at one of the Funeral Homes in Salyersville he became a man that I admired and appreciated so very much. I went through a heartbreaking time in my life, I lost a son at birth and David was the first person my husband called. We had no clue what to do at that very trying time in our lives. David took care of our baby and us. He was our "Saving Grace" at that time. The professionalism, friendship, kindness and compassion he displayed to us at that time will always be in my heart. He was my Friend and I will have him in my memories always because of his Friendship and Compassion..... RIP my Friend

Love & Prayers,

Lois Ann Bowling Preston

lois ann bowling preston - January 28, 2025 at 11:24 AM

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“ *Faye Rife lit a candle in memory of David Franklin Spurlock II*



Faye Rife - January 27, 2025 at 12:50 PM

JC

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with David's family. Although we were competitors for a number of years, he always treated me with respect and was always cordial with me.*

Joe Clark - January 27, 2025 at 11:58 AM