



David "Dave" Lee Allen

August 5, 1955 - October 26, 2022

David "Dave" Lee Allen, 67, of Pueblo was born August 5, 1955 and passed away peacefully at home. He is preceded in death by his parents, James "J.D." and Rheta Allen. Dave is survived by his children; Hannah, Sarah, and Leah Allen; sister, Danelda Allen; niece, Galadriel (Rhys) McCollum; nephew, Isaac Comito; cat, Molly Waffles Allen; as well as numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, extended family and close friends. Dave graduated from East High School in 1973 and went on to receive a B.S. in Psychology. He spent his first few years after graduation working with children before breaking into the automotive industry. It was then that he found his groove, working as the proud owner of Merrill Axle for over 30 years. During his time at Merrill Axle, Dave married Maria Rosario Montes and soon after became an amazing, patient, goofy, loving, and witty father to his three fortunate children; Hannah, Sarah, and Leah. After selling the business, Dave began working at St. Mary-Corwin, supervising their Environmental Services team. He soon after found another home at Goal Academy as their Procurement Specialist, from which he retired in 2021. Dave had many passions that brought light to his life. He was an avid Broncos fan, a nature lover blessed with a green thumb, a man of many home improvement projects, a curator of an extensive music library, and a seeker of knowledge who found comfort and contentment in the pages of thousands of books; but, his greatest joy of all was the time he shared and the memories he made with his family, friends, and pets. Dave touched the lives of everyone around him in every interaction, big or small. Family friends, even

strangers and acquaintances, could always see his joy, light, and warmth. His spirit and love for life will be deeply missed and will forever live on in the hearts of those who loved him.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

NOV 5. 10:00 AM (MT)

Roselawn Funeral Home Chapel
1706 Roselawn Rd
Pueblo, CO 81006

Tribute Wall

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“*Dave was one of my best friends in High School. When I got too many speeding tickets and lost my drivers license, he used to pick me up for school on the back of his Yamaha ... in the freezing cold. Brrrr Every one of us needs some good friends like Dave. Gone too soon. :-(Our other "adventures" shall remain between the two of us. Rest in peace, Dave!*

Michael Mayfield - November 07, 2022 at 02:17 PM

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“*We were so saddened to hear learn about Dave's passing. You have our deepest and most sincere sympathy for your loss. First got to know Dave when we bought parts from him at Merrill Axle and more recently when he worked part time for us before our closing. Dave was the embodiment of a true GENTLEMAN and just a genuinely nice, caring individual who will be missed by all who knew him. You are definitely in our prayers. Roland and Dan Dent*

Daniel Dent - November 06, 2022 at 11:51 AM

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Darold w copp - November 17, 2022 at 09:08 PM