



## David Bushen

September 15, 1949 - July 15, 2021

David Bushen, age 71, of Zeeland, passed away on Thursday, July 15, 2021. David was born on September 15, 1949 to Harold and Dorothy Bushen. After graduating from Grandville High School, he went on to Western Michigan University where he received a degree in business administration. After marrying his wife Roxanne (Couretas) they raised their family in Hamilton, Michigan. He worked for many years in financial planning with Old Kent, 5th/3rd and more recently at Macatawa Bank. He enjoyed preparing taxes and gave his time and expertise to help with taxes through the AARP. A man of few words, David was humble and methodical in his work, but he loved his family fiercely. In addition to family, David was passionate about horses, golf and fishing. He had a strong faith and was active at Central Wesleyan Church. David is survived by his wife of 47 years, Roxanne Bushen; children: Jennifer (Matthew) Clayton, Jonathan (Heidi) Bushen; grandchildren Brynn Clayton, Madelyn Clayton, David Alexander Clayton, and Grady Bushen. A funeral service will be held at 11:30am on Monday, July 19, 2021 at Central Wesleyan Church, 446 West 40th Street, Holland, MI 49423 with Rev. Lynn Bruce officiating. Visitation with the family is from 5:30pm to 8:00pm on Sunday July 18, 2021 at Yntema Funeral Home, 251 S. State St. Zeeland, MI 49464. As well as from 10:30am-11:15am at church prior to the funeral service on Monday. Memorial contributions in David's honor may be given to the American Cancer Society. Burial to take place in West Drenthe Cemetery. [www.yntemafh.com](http://www.yntemafh.com)



# Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of David Bushen*



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**Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes** - July 15, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ *David Bushen*

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August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"I heard today that Dave passed away. I am so saddened by this news. I worked with Dave a few years and enjoyed working with him very much. He was kind and quick with a smile. To the family, I am so sorry for your loss. I pray you will find comfort in knowing he loved you all very much. I pray God will grant you peace."*

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**Joyce DeBoer** - July 25, 2021 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Rox,  
Thinking of you and your family during this difficult time."*

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**Misty Galant** - July 23, 2021 at 12:00 AM

KA

“So sorry for your loss, Rox. I was shocked to hear the news. May God wrap his loving arms around you real tight!”

Karen Alderink - July 20, 2021 at 12:00 AM

BS

“Rox, I want to extend my deepest sympathy to you and the family in the death of Dave. May the Lord be your hope, comfort, and peace in the days ahead.”

Beverly Smoes Stroven - July 20, 2021 at 12:00 AM

GJ

“Oh Rox, I truly have no words to express my sense of loss for you and your family. I was unaware of significant issues that precluded David's passing. We haven't communicated this past year as we have previously. David was so kind and easy to talk with. We'll see him one day and rejoice.”

George Jernigan - July 19, 2021 at 12:00 AM

SV

“Roxie, I just heard about Dave. I'm so sorry. I'm praying for you and your kids.”

Shirley Valk - July 19, 2021 at 12:00 AM

BM

“Dear Rox and family, We are saddened by this news, and are remembering many good meals and conversations when we were all so much younger. Please accept our sincere condolences.”

Barbara and Richard Mezeske - July 19, 2021 at 12:00 AM

JG

“Dear Rox,I am so sorry. May your memories carry you through this very hard time.”

Judi Giddings - July 18, 2021 at 12:00 AM

CK

“We were so saddened to hear the news about Dave. Dave was such a compassionate and kind man. We send you our sympathies.”

Craig and Nancy Kuipers - July 18, 2021 at 12:00 AM

CF

“Roxie, Jennifer, Jonathan and families,  
Sending our sympathy and hugs to each of you as you begin grieving such a big void in your life upon Dave's death - he was always such a kind, quiet, strong, helpful guy who gave the biggest bear hugs! Trust the promise of Heaven and all of those wonderful family memories will bring comfort and peace to each of you. Continued prayers, sympathy, and hugs as you say "Good bye for now!" from the Les/Marleen Cook families”

Cook Family - July 18, 2021 at 12:00 AM

SH

“Rox, Jen and Jonathan, are hearts and deepest sympathy with you all , best Hamilton neighbors ever ! Best memories are how Dave always painted horse fence with tigers game on radio , miss you all , lots of love Dave and Sally Hutta .”

Sally Hutta - July 17, 2021 at 12:00 AM

BD

“Oh Rox, I'm so sorry to hear of Dave's passing. I will always remember his easy smile and quiet strength. One day at a time, my friend.”

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**Beth Dubbink** - July 17, 2021 at 12:00 AM

BS

“Prayers for you, Rox and your family, for peace and comfort in an incredibly difficult time! May memories of good times being a smile as you think of Dave, if not now, in the future.”

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**Barb Schepel** - July 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM

HA

“We grieve Dave’s leaving. We rejoice that he is with Jesus forever and will be reunited with his family and friends. Dave is remembered for his kind smile and soft demeanor. That he stepped out and began substitute teaching-even kindergartners!-is a testament to his enthusiasm for living with purpose. He will be greatly missed. Rox, we pray your memories will be sweet and God’s peace surrounds you.”

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**Harvey** - July 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM

CA

“We were so sorry to hear of the loss of your father. Praying the Lord gives you peace and comfort as you try to fill the void in your heart”

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**Candi** - July 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM

JV

“Dear Rox and Family,I am sorry to hear of your loss. Praying for comfort in your time of grief.”

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**Jane Veneklasen** - July 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM

TF

“Rox and family,  
Knowing Dave is in the presence of His Heavenly Father will bring you comfort at this difficult time. We remember all the wonderful times we spent over the years with your family. We will be praying for you all as you begin this journey without him. The Deroo family”

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**The Deroo Family** - July 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM

LS

“Oh Rox, I'm so sorry to hear of Dave's passing. My thoughts & prayers you & family. Treasure your memories holding them close to your heart forever.”

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**Linda Schaftenaar** - July 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM

RK

“With sympathy and prayers.”

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**Ruth Klungle Klungle** - July 16, 2021 at 12:00 AM