



David A. Husted

June 29, 1958 - April 3, 2011

Dateline: Alton

David A. Husted, 52, died at 1:10 a.m. Sunday, April 3, 2011 at St. Louis University Hospital. Born June 29, 1958 in St. Louis, MO, he was the son of Robert F. and Miriam R. (Jackson) Husted. He was a graphic artist for Booker Engineering in St. Louis. He loved spending time with family and shooting pool and was a former member of the Order of DeMolay in Ferguson, MO. Surviving are three daughters, Sara E. Ross of Alton, Brianne N. Husted of Witt, IL, and Kimberly D. Husted of Godfrey, and their mother, Shirley Husted, five grandchildren, Dominick Ross, London Wood, Seth Hubbard, Davin Hubbard, and Tadan Foster, three brothers, Richard R. Husted, Littleton, CO, Russell F. Husted, North Liberty, IA, Thomas C. Husted, Phoenix, AZ, and two sisters, Marilyn R. Gummels of Panama City, FL, and Kathy Redford of Fair Play, SC. He was preceded in death by his parents. A memorial service will be at 11:00 a.m. Saturday at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Reverend John Gregory will officiate. Memorials may be made to the American Diabetes Association.

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Tribute Wall



“ *David A. Husted*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *David A. Husted*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Took me a awhile to muster up the courage to see what everyone said. I appreciate all the kind words and sincere thoughts from everyone. Bob, dad still has that book you wrote of and can remember myself flipping through the pages so carelessly but only until he shared with me joy of reading which I will pass on to my children. I love and miss him dearly.*

Kimberly Husted - April 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *David and I worked together at Booker Associates and Parsons Brinckerhoff for 20 plus years. We were very good friends and continued that friendship even after he left PB. You will be truly be missed. Your buddy B-Dub*

Bradie Wilson - April 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ DEATH NEVER CLOSES A DOOR BUT ONLY OPENS ONTO A THRESHOLD OF INDESCRIBABLE JOY AND GODS WONDERFUL LOVE. DAVID IS ENJOYING THAT JOY, LOVE AND PEACE NOW. WE MUST TAKE COMFORT IN KNOWING THAT WE WILL SEE AND BE WITH HIM AGAIN ALTHOUGH WE MISS HIM SO VERY MUCH.

IT WAS MY HONOR AND PRIVILEGE TO KNOW DAVID AS MY COUSIN AND MY MEMORY OF HIM IS STRONG TODAY BECAUSE OF HIS GENUINE PERSONALITY. DAVID HAD A WONDERFUL SENSE OF HUMOR, MUCH LIKE HIS FATHER BOB. ALWAYS A SMILE, A SHY LOOK, AND A LITTLE CHUCKLE AT A JOKE. HE LEFT AN INDELIBLE MARK ON ALL HE MET AND ALL WHO VIEWED HIS ART AND WORK.

MY SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES GO OUT TO HIS WIFE SHIRLEY AND HIS EXTENDED FAMILY.

"WHEN YOU ARE SORROWFUL LOOK AGAIN IN YOUR HEART, AND YOU SHALL SEE THAT IN TRUTH YOU ARE WEEPING FOR THAT WHICH HAS BEEN YOUR DELIGHT"

KAHILL GIBRAN

CHUCK CLAYTON - April 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ I worked with David for many years at R.W. Booker/Booker Associates, Inc. I will always remember what a talented young man he was. My prayers are with his daughters and all his family. I know he will be missed by all.

Marcy Altschuh - April 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ My uncle David was just eight years older than me. When I was growing up, he was more like a really cool older brother than an uncle. I remember one visit to St. Louis when I was about ten, he and his girl friend took my brothers and I to see the movie *Good Guys Wear Black* in his sports car. To a ten year old this was awesome! He drove a great car, and had a girlfriend, and could go to movies by himself! AND, he was willing to take us along. We had a blast but I bet he may not even remember it, because he was inclined to do just this sort of generous and unselfish thing so routinely. Even that long ago, David was a gifted artist. He let me trace some of the seven dwarfs from a Disney book that was one of his prized possessions. When I decided to cut out the tracings, I accidentally sliced some of the pages in the Disney book. Even as a teenager, his kind heart overcame his initial anger at my carelessness. In reading the other postings here, it is clear the giving and generous teenager that I fondly remember as my cool uncle was a giving and generous coworker, father, and friend to many.

Bob Husted - April 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ David I was provided with some words of wisdom that whatever your life's work is, do it well. A man should do his job so well the the living, the dead, and the unborn could do it not better." You did that for us at Booker. Thanks

Clarence Dula - April 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with your family during this trying time. May God comfort you now and always.*

Pam (Booker/PB) - April 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ *My heart goes out to David's family, it's never easy losing a loved one. Just lost my mother a few months ago, who also suffered from diabetes. David was a wonderful person, he had such a good heart. I worked with him at Booker and PB. He was an awesome graphic artists. My thoughts and prayers are with you & your family. God Bless*

Pam Seipp - April 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ *I will miss David's wry sense of humor. What a great guy and devoted Dad--just like his dad.*

Ruth Hurlburt - April 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM