



## David R. Vooris

October 17, 1956 - May 12, 2020

David R. Vooris, 63, of Springfield, passed away on Tuesday, May 12, 2020.

David was born October 17, 1956 in Medford, MA and grew up in Indian Orchard. He graduated from Springfield Trade High School in 1974. David then enlisted in the US Air Force from 1976-1978 and was an E3 Power Production Specialist. He was honorably discharged and later became plant manager for Dan Wesson Arms. After the closure of Dan Wesson Arms, he started his own trucking company, Vooris Transportation, and spent much of his adult life traveling the country through his work. He always found ways to make lifelong friendships wherever he went and he made it a point to drop in to see his friends whenever he could. He loved anything with gas, tires, and an engine. He was always someone who wouldn't just give you an answer of how to do something, he would teach you how and why. He was the life of the party at any gathering and no one would be surprised to pick up the phone and hear him singing on the other end. He was extremely proud of the accomplishments of his children and grandchildren.

He is survived by his daughter Heidi Vooris, her partner James Washington and their children Jordan Almore, An'Janae Washington, and Si'Ana Washington of Springfield, his son David Vooris and his wife Kathryn of West Springfield, and his ex-wife and lifelong friend Angela Roberts of Springfield; his parents John and Alice (Seferian) Vooris of Springfield and his sisters

Doreen Vooris LaValley and her husband Jay LaValley of Springfield, and Darlene "Leney" Vooris-Lape of Springfield. He also leaves many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Due to current restrictions his funeral and burial with military honors will be scheduled at a later date.

New England Funeral & Cremation Center, LLC, 25 Mill Street, Springfield, MA has been entrusted with the arrangements. Visit [www.nefcc.net](http://www.nefcc.net)

# Tribute Wall

AB

“ Without you our hearts have a big empty spot, we love you and will truly miss you. You were a GREAT friend. Allan & Vicki

allan bogard - February 14, 2023 at 10:05 AM

PT

“ What to say brother Dave, you are gone way to soon . I will never forget how you came into our lives. You were there for us on the worst day of our lives. The day we lost our son. You are so missed. Greatly loved and will never be forgotten . Until we can ride again , RIP our brother.

Paula & Bill Traver - February 14, 2023 at 10:05 AM

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“ To the Vooris family....our deepest sympathy , our love and hugs, and our broken hearts. We share your grief. \r\n Ron and Mikie

Raymond - February 14, 2023 at 10:05 AM

PM

“ Dear Vooris family,\r\n I am so sorry for the tremendous loss of your son, brother, father, uncle, and grandfather. You are all in my thoughts. Sending prayers for peace and comfort. \r\nLove, \r\nPat Meade

Pat Meade - February 14, 2023 at 10:05 AM

RF

“ Hadn’t spoken to David since we moved away from Louisville in 2006. Such a wonderful fellow, a disposition unmatched by all. Once again, I look up a friend to contact him, and discover that he’s gone. My wife and I both miss him, and now our old friendship is irretrievable. I volunteered to help him clean his truck out once. 6 hours later, we got it empty. Wow. Talk about ready for anything on the road ! God rest ye, David, and keep your soul.

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**Rick French** - February 14, 2023 at 10:05 AM