



David L. Beckner

October 7, 1959 - August 30, 2020

David L. Beckner, age 60, of Bourbonnais, passed away Sunday, August 30, 2020 in Lake Geneva, WI, while on a golf trip with his son and their close friends.

He was born October 7, 1959 in Kankakee, the son of Louis & Josephine Beckner.

David married Cheryl Pool on October 1, 1982 at Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church in Bourbonnais.

He was a graduate of Bradley-Bourbonnais Community High School.

David was most recently an employee of Ecolab after retiring with 37 years of service from Armstrong World Industries.

David most enjoyed spending time with his family. He also enjoyed traveling, collecting and drinking wine, and golfing. He was a lifelong Chicago Cubs fan.

Surviving are his wife, Cheryl Beckner of Bourbonnais; one son and daughter-in-law, Bryan & Ellen Beckner of Libertyville; one daughter and son-in-law, Ashley Beckner & Matt Harris of Austin, TX; one sister, Nancy Ruel & Gary Weber of Bourbonnais; one brother, Lou Beckner of Zionsville, IN; sisters-in-

law and brothers-in-law, Kathy & Dean Hutson of Bourbonnais, Bonnie & Mike Gross of Chebanse, Debbie & Kirk Redenius of Cadiz, KY, and Jennifer Pool of Jacksonville; many nieces and nephews; and his grand-dog, Ruby.

David is preceded in death by his parents; his father-in-law and mother-in-law, James "Jim" & Barb Pool; and his brother-in-law, Bill Pool.

Visitation will be held from 2:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 3, 2020 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. A funeral service will follow and will be limited to immediate family only due to COVID-19. Deacon Patrick Skelly will officiate the service.

Please practice social distancing. Face masks fully covering nose and mouth will be required at all times. Please be prepared to wait outside as only a certain number of people will be allowed in the building at one time.

Memorials may be made to the family wishes.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

SEP 3. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
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Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 932-1214
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Memorial Service

SEP 3. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

AJ

“ I knew the Beckner family since 2002. I just don't ever remember Mr. B not having a smile on his face. You will be missed Sir, to his family, I send my condolences. To Beck (his son), my brother for life, my heart goes out to you. You are one of the toughest guys I have ever met, and a good friend.

Anthony Mason Jr. - February 20, 2021 at 07:15 AM

MB

“ Minnie Brewer Brewster lit a candle in memory of David L. Beckner



minnie brewer brewster - September 08, 2020 at 08:47 PM

MB

so sorry for you husband and father passing i work with David for years at armstrong

minnie brewer brewster - September 08, 2020 at 08:51 PM

BS

“ So sorry to hear the loss of a great friend. May God Bless Dave and his family in this tough time!

My Deepest Condolences,

Brad Shear

Brad Shear - September 08, 2020 at 05:35 PM

SF

“ Cheryl and family...So very sorry to hear of Dave's passing. I worked with Dave at Armstrong for 35 years and on the Mottle Line for over 15 years. We were in the Superbowl Pools every year together. Played Football together in grade school. We were friends. I'm still in shock from this news! Rest in peace Dave !!

Steve Fournier "Fred"

Steve Fournier - September 07, 2020 at 08:58 AM

JA

“ We are all so very sorry for your loss. Praying God comforts you Cheryl and your children during this very difficult time. Sincerely ,
The Altmyer family

Juli Doud Altmyer - September 03, 2020 at 10:03 PM

LM

“ Cheryl and family, I am so terribly sorry for your loss. Our sympathy and thoughts are with you during this difficult time.
Lana and Don Middleton

LANA KAY MIDDLETON - September 03, 2020 at 09:46 PM

CO

“ We are so very sorry for your loss, Beckner family. We are just next door if you need anything. You are in our prayers in these difficult days.

Chris & Trish O'Brien - September 03, 2020 at 05:24 PM

SH

“ *Sr. Martha Harrington lite candle in memory for David L. Becker. My prayers and sympathy.*



Sr. Martha Harrington,sscm - September 03, 2020 at 02:12 PM

GL

“ *Cheryl and family,
Words can not express how sorry we are for Dave's passing. The four of us made great memories together, they will stay with us forever. Dave was a funny and caring friend. To young and to soon to leave us. Our thoughts and prayers are with you, Ashley and Brian.
Our sincere sympathy,
Greg and Debi Leek*



Gregory J Leek - September 03, 2020 at 12:56 PM

RZ

“ *Our deepest Sympathy to the Beckner Family. I worked with Dave at Armstrong and played lots of Golf with him and was present when he got his first hole-in-one. His Father Louie Sr. and Jr. were also good friends and fellow Employee's at @. God Bless you Dave and your wonderful Family.*

Robert Zirkle - September 03, 2020 at 11:54 AM

LD

“ Lori, Sherry and DLL purchased the Meat & Cheese Sympathy Gift Crate for the family of David L. Beckner.



Lori, Sherry and DLL - September 03, 2020 at 10:58 AM

CW

“ I'm sorry for your lost. I'm Phil Tucker's wife and he talked about Applegate all the time.

Carolyn Tucker Phil Tucker's wife - September 02, 2020 at 09:10 PM

JM

“ Josh and Kim Martin
Our deepest sympathies to Cheryl, Brian, Ashley and the entire Beckner family. We will always remember what a good guy Dave was and all the enjoyable pizza nights we had with him and Cheryl at Sammy's. So sad.

Josh Martin - September 02, 2020 at 07:18 PM

DC

“ Words cannot express how very sorry to hear of Dave's passing. Dave and Cheryl are wonderful people, friends and we're great neighbors. Please know that Dave will truly be missed for the awesome guy that he was. Dave will live in many's great memories forever. You are all in our prayers 🙏

Darla & Jack Casey - September 02, 2020 at 06:14 PM

JG

“ *Dave was a true gentlemen and wonderfully kind person. I feel so badly for the Beckner family, one of my favorites. I am sorry I will be out of town for the services. Please know my thoughts and prayers are with each of you.*

Respectfully,

Joe Giacchino

Joseph Giacchino - September 02, 2020 at 02:43 PM

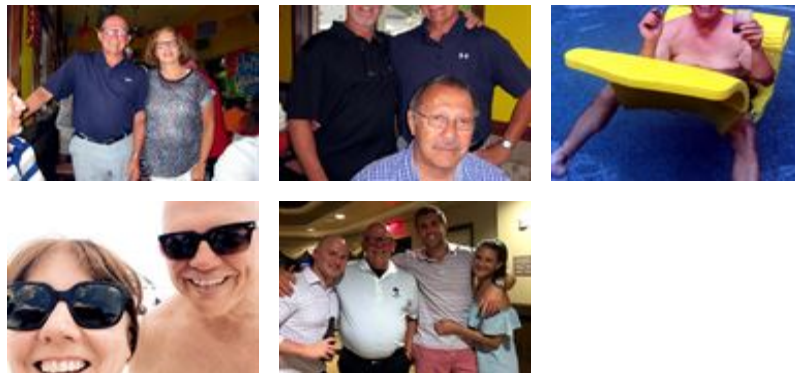
DC

“ *Cheryl, words can't describe the shock and sadness my wife Teresa and I felt hearing about Dave. A good hard working honest man. He was always a joy being around whether at work, playing softball, golfing or just being around him. Remember they can never take away memories. Cherish them. He was much to young. Such a sad sad thing. I know he loved you all. God bless you and all his family. The world lost a great one!*

Dean Cailteux - September 02, 2020 at 02:21 PM



“ 100 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes - September 02, 2020 at 11:21 AM

JH

“ Words cannot express our sympathy felt for your family !! Jim & I both enjoyed working with Dave for years Much Much too young Find comfort in your memories of a Truly wonderful person To Louie Nancy & Gary A special hug Thoughts & Prayers !!

Jim & Anita Honn

James Honn - September 02, 2020 at 12:25 AM

MB

“ So very sorry. Sending heartfelt condolences.

Jim & Mary Kay Beedle

mary kay beedle - September 01, 2020 at 10:19 PM

DM

“ Cheryl & family, Kathy & I give our greatest condolences. I cherish the good times we had working together for 37 years! My heart was broken the day he stepped down from Supervision, he was hands down the best at his job! When he left there was a void, I truly missed his personality, never a question where he stood, and his commitment to doing his best! He will missed by everyone that has crossed paths.

Daryl Meyer - September 01, 2020 at 07:29 PM

CB

“ Bob And I have been friends with Dave and Cheryl for many years now. We traveled together, shared holidays together, drank many bottles of wine together which all equates to MANY wonderful memories together. Our hearts our broken with the loss of a great friend who was more like Family to us. Rest In Peace David, we will miss you dearly.

Cheri Baron - September 01, 2020 at 03:47 PM

JP

“ Cheryl I just could not believe this when I heard this. You and your family have our deepest condolences and peace be with you and your family. Dave was a great guy and great friend. RIP my good friend we will miss you.



Jim Patterson - September 01, 2020 at 03:25 PM

MA

“ 3 files added to the album Memories Album



Mark - September 01, 2020 at 02:36 PM

MH

I worked with Dave at Armstrong. Very hard worker! Thank you for sharing pictures that hand pose in picture by computer! Signature Dave! I feel lucky I got to work with him! Thoughts and prayers to his family!

Michelle Hoekstra - September 01, 2020 at 02:56 PM

MA

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Mark - September 01, 2020 at 02:34 PM

RC

“ Had a lot of good playing golf and softball with Dave. A lot of years at Armstrong also. Prayers to the Beckner family for their loss.

Ray Cummins - September 01, 2020 at 10:48 AM

DB

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



DAVE BOUDREAU - September 01, 2020 at 07:09 AM

DB

Dave was a good friend and will be missed by all. We all worked together at Armstrong for many years. Praying for all of Dave's family and especially his wife Cheryl.

DAVE BOUDREAU - September 01, 2020 at 07:17 AM

MO

Thanks for sharing 😊 What a great picture of Dave he looked so happy. I am truly heartbroken by this loss and work will never be the same. Take care

Mark Oehmke - September 02, 2020 at 10:59 AM

JC

“ Many memories...in Northfield Subdivision. David and family were right around the corner from the Corbett's. We went to grade school, HS together and continued our friendship.

Was able to catch up with Dave more than once this last year. We had some great laughs...memories. Dave said, "I still can't believe that Steve died so young".... I am now saying that about my friend, Dave.....You were a great guy and you will be missed, my friend. Our condolences from the Corbett family to Cheryl/family and to Lou and Nancy.

May God hold all of you close.



Joni Corbett - August 31, 2020 at 10:32 PM

SE

“ I remember Dave from H.S . He stuck up for me at the YMCA during a disagreement with a older kid twice my size . I'll never forget that it took courage he was older and bigger but Dave stood up to him . Dave did not like bully's. I worked with him at the Kankakee Daily Journal when we were in HS. I met his Brother , sister and Mom and Dad . He was a great guy . God bless his Wife , son , daughter and family . We have another guardian angel in Heaven . RIP Dave .

Scott Ellis - August 31, 2020 at 03:45 PM

HF

“ Over the years Dave and I were lifetime friends. We especially enjoyed coaching our sons together back in Little League and enjoyed them playing together in the All Stars. My condolences to his family.

Sincerely,
Herb Forkenbrock

Herb Forkenbrock - August 31, 2020 at 03:41 PM

TN

Please pass along our sympathies to David's family from us. We lived several houses away from the Beckners while living on Edwin Dr. David delivered the newspaper to us for several years and did a good job.

Sincerely the Nelsons.

Tom Nelson - September 01, 2020 at 11:32 AM

JG

As Mike's mom I was at the Pool get togethers a lot over the last 34 years that Bonnie and Mije have been married. I always admired the traditional meals and cookouts they all had together. Good families and Dave was there for all of them with his family. My condolences to the family. Losing your family member is one of the hardest things in life. God bless you and know Dave will be remembered with good thoughts and prayers for you.

Joan Gross - September 02, 2020 at 04:13 PM

DC

Please pass along our sympathies to Dave's family. We spent alot of fun weekends with the Beckner family during our kids' NIU football days. We will never forget all the fun we had in Tennessee and at several bowl games. Dave always had a smile on his face and was so proud of his kids and their accomplishments. We will pray for Cheryl and the kids and know we are with you in spirit.

Debbie and Jeff Clasey

Debbie and Jeff Clasey - September 09, 2020 at 09:21 AM