



David Austin Bugher

April 15, 1949 - February 12, 2014

David Austin Bugher, age 64 of Cambridge, passed away on Wednesday, February 12, 2014 at Kindred of Cambridge. He was born on April 15, 1949 in Cambridge, a son of the late Robert Warren Bugher and Stella "Irene" (Coleman) Bugher.

Mr. Bugher was a graduate of Meadowbrook High School and Methodist by Faith. David was a Postman for the United States Postal Service and also worked at Timco Oil. He was an avid reader, who loved the outdoors. He enjoyed fishing and was a gardening enthusiast. He was a wonderful father, grandfather, brother, uncle, son and friend. He was a very proud Marine and Vietnam Veteran, serving two tours, receiving various medals and citations, including two Purple Hearts, the Navy Accommodation Medal with Combat V, the Presidential Unit Citation and South Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry.

David is survived by: brother, John Bugher of Cambridge; two daughters, Brandie O'Connell (Kyle Requardt) of Cambridge, Mary Bugher (Shawn Neff) of Cambridge; son, Austin Bugher (Jessica Swisher) of Cambridge; grandchildren, Eden, Jackson, Hunter, Ella and Luke; the mother of his children, Carol Braden; nieces Dylan & Kelsey Bugher and nephew, David Lagle.

He is preceded in death by: his parents; and a brother Bradley Bugher.

Visitation will be on Saturday, February 15, 2014 at from 1:30 pm to 3 pm at Bundy-Law Funeral Home with the service at 3 pm. Judge John Mark Nicholson will officiate the service with burial following in Harmony Christian

Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the family at 120 N. 11th Street, Cambridge, Ohio 43725. David's online tribute wall may be viewed and signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Harmony Christian Cemetery

St. Rt. 313 west of Buffalo
Claysville, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 15. 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Bundy-Law Funeral Home
120 North 11th Street
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Service

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Tribute Wall

AC

“ *What can be said of a MAN with so much love for LIFE How you touched the people in your journey of life was amazing. My memories of you are ones that will forever live within me. I love you David Bugher and you will be sadly missed, Anita*

Anita Casey - February 15, 2014 at 05:14 PM

DS

“ *I remember when Dave, my brother Jim (who joined the Marines together on the buddy plan) and I were all in Vietnam for a while at the same time. Both Jim and Dave wrote me wanting each others address and I hooked them up. Dave and I continued to be friends after Jim was KIA. Allot of people talk about Dave's problems but the fact of the matter is Dave's death was due to his service in Vietnam. He is a hero and a great friend. My brother and Dave were best friends and I take great pleasure thinking about them being together doing something they probably aren't supposed to be doing. I love him like I loved my Brother Jim.*

Dick Snyder

Dick Snyder - February 15, 2014 at 11:42 AM

JS

“ *I will miss you, brother! We shared the common bond of having served our country in The United States Marine Corps. Your service in Vietnam will forever shine as a beacon of gallantry for all who loved you. Those of us who were there know of your sacrifices. RIP! Semper Fi, Marine!*

Jim Stewart

Jim Stewart - February 15, 2014 at 06:43 AM

AB

“ David I'm sorry that I wasn't home to shake your hand one last time. What a friend you were, one that I'll never forget. Rest in peace old friend you sure deserve it.

Brandie, Bet and Austin... Your Dad was a good friend and will truly be missed.

Art Bowman - February 14, 2014 at 09:20 PM

BW

“ May god be with you and your family at this with heavy hearts. Bill and Nina Wheeler

Bill & Nina Wheeler - February 14, 2014 at 08:52 PM

TW

“ David good-bye old friend and may the demons of Vietnam be left behind.

Terry L. Willis

Terry Willis - February 14, 2014 at 06:48 PM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time*

May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,

May your memories of David Austin Bugher, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your work on earth is complete. You will not be forgotten. David Austin Bugher, is “A True American Hero” God Bless†

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - February 14, 2014 at 05:57 PM

JH

“ *Dave. was one of a kind, I knew him from high school days. He always had his cigar. I am proud to have been a friend of a veteran who served his time during the Vietnam era. I ran into Dave this summer at Circle K, and we had a nice talk. R,I, P, friend. Joy Hannahs.*

Joy Hannahs - February 14, 2014 at 04:48 PM

KA

“ *Austin & Mary*

I am so sorry for your loss. I always liked David. He was one of a kind.

I will forever remember him and his cigars that he would come in and get at G's. Once again you are in my thoughts & prayers.

Kathy Anderson - February 14, 2014 at 09:00 AM