



David L. Foster

October 23, 1933 - February 9, 2020

David L. Foster, 86, of Havana, passed away at his home at 4:17 a.m., on Sunday, February 9, 2020. He was born October 23, 1933, in Pekin, Illinois, to Frank and Ida (Hoch) Foster. He married Joyce Arlene Schaeffer on January 16, 1959. She survives.

Mr. Foster is survived by his wife, Joyce, of Havana; two children: Terry (Kim) Foster of Topeka and Debbie (Dean) Wickman of Havana; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, four sisters, one brother and one daughter, Cheryl Foster.

Mr. Foster was a member of 1st Baptist Church in Havana, where he had served as a Trustee. He enjoyed fishing, auctions and antiques. He served in the US Navy from 1953 until 1957, during the Korean War. He worked for Caterpillar Inc. for 35 years, retiring in 1986.

Funeral services will be held at 1st Baptist Church in Havana on Wednesday, February 12, 2020 at 11:00 a.m., with visitation one hour prior to the services. Military rites will be performed at the church, following the services. Rev. Daniel Swihart will officiate.

Memorial contributions may be made to 1st Baptist Church. Online memorial messages may be left for the family at www.hurleyfh.com.

Hurley Funeral Home in Havana is in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church Havana
101 S Charlotte St
Havana, IL 62644

Service

FEB 12. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *David L. Foster*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. I worked for Dave at Cat. He was a super boss. Later I would see Dave at Colchester on Labor Day weekends. He always had that smile and laugh.*
Bill Riley

Bill Riley - May 06, 2020 at 09:16 PM



“ *Deepest sympathies -
darlene (glen morris' wife - he passed away in 06)*

darlene (seward) miller - February 19, 2020 at 11:42 AM



“ *Jennifer Trimpe lit a candle in memory of
David L. Foster*



jennifer trimpe - February 17, 2020 at 03:53 PM

DM

“ *Darlene Morris Miller lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*



darlene morris miller - February 17, 2020 at 01:40 PM

RS

“ *Rod Shelabarger lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*



Rod Shelabarger - February 14, 2020 at 12:28 AM

JC

“ *Julitta Carpenter lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*



Julitta Carpenter - February 12, 2020 at 04:20 PM

BC

“ *Becky Chaney lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*



Becky Chaney - February 12, 2020 at 11:37 AM

RB

“Joyce, we are so glad that we met you and Dave during one of your daily walks years ago. Whenever we have seen you, you have brightened our day with your warm, friendly greetings and beautiful smiles. He will be deeply missed.

Dave and Rita Badger

Rita Badger - February 12, 2020 at 07:56 AM

JL

“Jon And Susan Lacey lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster



Jon and Susan Lacey - February 11, 2020 at 04:45 PM

PF

“I am sorry to hear of Dave's passing. He was a very nice person and gentle man. He was my 1st boss when I hired in to work at Caterpillar. He made a great impression on me. He helped get me my career on the right path. I grew up at 119 E. Dearborn in Havana and one of my best friends lived in your house when I lived in Havana (pre 1960). I always think of Dave when I pass by your house in Havana to put flowers on mom and dad's graves. That won't change. I will continue to think of Dave as long as I am able to drive through Havana. God Bless.

Paul Flynn - February 11, 2020 at 04:35 PM

DB

“ Dave was a very special Man and will be missed by everyone who knew him. As we lose loved ones and friends in this life, we are reminded of God's Word in 1 Corinthians 2:9 that reads "No eye has seen, no ear has heard, no mind has conceived what God has prepared for those who love Him. Dave loved God very much. With God's Blessings,
Donnie & Nina Bryant

Donnie & Nina Bryant - February 11, 2020 at 02:36 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of David L. Foster.



February 11, 2020 at 02:26 PM



“ You all are in my thoughts and prayers.



Robert Specketer - February 11, 2020 at 11:52 AM

GG

“ Deepest sympathies to all of David's family. He was such a warm and caring person and everyone who knew him will deeply miss him.



Gary and Patty Gilbreath - February 11, 2020 at 10:03 AM

BL

“ *Brad & Melody Lynn lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*



Brad & Melody Lynn - February 11, 2020 at 10:02 AM



“ *Our sincerest condolences.*

Carrie and Sandy Budyn

. - February 11, 2020 at 09:22 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of David L. Foster.*



February 11, 2020 at 09:18 AM

TS

“ *Tim Shelabarger lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*



Tim Shelabarger - February 11, 2020 at 08:56 AM

DK

“ So sorry to hear of Dave's passing. Many family memories and school memories. He was a dear friend and great guy. Sincerely, Doug



Douglas Koke - February 11, 2020 at 07:08 AM

NW

“ I'm so sorry for your loss Joyce and family. My sincere condolences to you and your family and friends. I was your next door neighbor when I was first married Joyce. I was Nancy Chaney-Watson You guys were the best neighbors anyone could have!! Big Hugs my friend💛



Nancy Wilson - February 11, 2020 at 12:11 AM

LP

“ Debbie i am so sorry to hear about your dad. i will keep you on my prayers

Lydia Poler - February 10, 2020 at 09:54 PM

CS

“ Craig Schaeffer lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster



Craig Schaeffer - February 10, 2020 at 09:37 PM

TP

Terry and Debra , I am so sorry for you loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Tina (Dissman) Parker - February 10, 2020 at 10:47 PM

KM

“ *Such a nice man, so sorry to hear of his passing. Our sincere condolences. Steve and Kay Moehring*

Kay Moehring - February 10, 2020 at 08:01 PM

KH

“ *KARL L HAGEN lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*



KARL L HAGEN - February 10, 2020 at 08:01 PM

KH

“ *Joyce and family, we are sorry for your loss and send prayers to all of you. God will comfort you in your loss.*
Karl and Barbara Hagen
Stephen and Mary Wages

KARL L HAGEN - February 10, 2020 at 08:00 PM

AK

“ *David was one of my favorite customers...he will truly be missed..*

Angel Kiestler - February 10, 2020 at 07:45 PM

BS

“ Joyce and family, I share in your sadness. Mif and I have good memories of all our times together. Love and prayers, Bernie sarff

bernie sarff. - February 10, 2020 at 07:14 PM

FA

“ Uncle Dave was one of the finest men I have ever had the pleasure to know in my life.

He truly loved his wife, his children and grandchildren and certainly loved and knew his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. While we will miss hlm in our daily life we look forward to being with him in Heaven and hearing his wonderful laugh and seeing the kjnd smile he always wore.

Fritz Alexander - February 10, 2020 at 06:57 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of David L. Foster.



February 10, 2020 at 06:36 PM

LW

“ Lori And Dan Wright lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster



Lori and Dan Wright - February 10, 2020 at 06:16 PM

PS

“ *Patti Specketer lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*

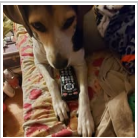


Patti Specketer - February 10, 2020 at 05:57 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. He always had a smile on his face and made me smile*❤️

Nancy Elliott - February 10, 2020 at 05:57 PM



“ *Nancy Elliott lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*



Nancy Elliott - February 10, 2020 at 05:55 PM

KI

“ *So Very sorry for the loss but knowing he will be with GOD is a comfort, He was always so nice and friendly. I feel honored in knowing him.*

Kim & Dale Branscum



Kim - February 10, 2020 at 05:46 PM

RN

“ *Our deepest condolences to Joyce and family. May you find comfort in God's embrace. Jimmy and Rhonda Neeley*



rhonda neeley - February 10, 2020 at 05:31 PM

KK

“ *Kraig Krause lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*



Kraig Krause - February 10, 2020 at 05:28 PM

KR

“ *KIM RUSSELL lit a candle in memory of David L. Foster*



KIM RUSSELL - February 10, 2020 at 05:26 PM

DW

“ *Sorry for your loss Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family*



Dan and chris Wilson - February 10, 2020 at 05:02 PM