



Steve Marcum

November 2, 1947 - December 19, 2017

Steve Marcum went to Heaven on Tuesday, December 19, 2017, following a long illness.

Steve was born and raised in the Highlawn area (Poplar Drive) of Saint Albans, WV. He graduated from St. Albans High School, in 1965. He enlisted in the US Air Force as a medic and was honorably discharged in 1970. He met his wife and was engaged for a full year and was married to Genevieve Marie Persely on June 5th of 1972 in Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, Charleston, WV. Married for 45 years. He was a member of Redeemer Lutheran Church, Charleston, WV.

He graduated WVSC with a BS in Biology in 1976 and worked as a Chemist for WV DNR, Water Resources Division, then as a Chemical Laboratory Technician for Union Carbide Corp. DOW bought Carbide. Few years later they down sized in 2005, and was then employed by Matric. He was a certified CPHT till he retired.

Steve was preceded in death by his parents, Warren Lawrence and Ethelyn Campbell Marcum; uncle, Fred Marcum Jr.; aunt, Kathryn Marcum.

Steve leaves behind his loving wife, Genevieve; son, David Lawrence Marcum (wife Candace); granddaughters, Aralun and Ariana Marcum; sister, Anna

Brannon (husband Delbert) and 2 nephews, Chris and Jason; uncle, Paul Marcum (wife Mary); aunt, Isabel Marcum and cousin, Doris Ann Marcum and many more family and friends.

Funeral service will be held at 2:00 pm Friday, December 22, 2017 at Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home, St. Albans with Delbert Brannon officiating. Burial will be in Cunningham Memorial Park, St. Albans with military honors will be conducted by the James E. Marshall, American Legion Post 187, Winfield.

The family will receive friends from 1 to 2:00 pm prior to the funeral service.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to Churches that feed the hungry.

You may visit Steve's tribute page at chapmanfuneralhomes.com to share memories or condolences with the family.

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home, family owned and located at 409 Sixth Ave., St. Albans is honored to serve the Marcum family.

Steve's message for those who remain on earth: "Do not look for me here, for I am with my father in paradise!" Luke 23:43. "I hope to see you there."

Cemetery Details

Cunningham Memorial Park

815 Cunningham Lane
Saint Albans, WV 25177

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **22**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

DEC **22**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Steve Marcum

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ Heartfelt blessings to the family during this very difficult time. Steve worked with me for many years at Carbide and then at MATRIC. I always admired his very positive attitude no matter what was happening around him. I will always remember his most favorite response when I would ask him: "Steve how are you doing?"--his consistent answer would be "Today is the best day of my life!" What a fantastic source of inspiration for all his coworkers and friends. God bless him and his family.
Dr. Parvez H Wadia, Vice President of R&D, UCC and Dow (Retired), CTO MATRIC, VP Strategy MATRIC

Dr. Parvez H Wadia - December 24, 2017 at 01:12 PM



“ My condolences to the family during this tough time in the passing of Steve. I knew him from the time we were kids in Highlawn. I am sorry that I didn't realize he was having issues or would have come to visit him, really feel bad. I use to see him out and he would kid me about a knife he had traded for from me when we were kids, said he still had it. He was a wonderful man and always the same to me whether at work or out and at Kroger or wherever. Will miss seeing him out and about.
Ernie Downey

Ernie Downey - December 23, 2017 at 09:27 PM

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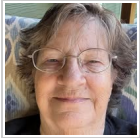
“ *My condolences on the loss of Steve. I worked around Steve at UCC and he was a great guy and a blessing. May God comfort you in the days ahead*
Marcy Wisman

Marcy Wisman - December 22, 2017 at 08:46 AM

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“ *Although I didn't work closely with Steve at Union Carbide, I observed him and I could tell he was a good man, a good worker, and a credit to his family. I am sure he is in a good place with loved ones and free from the discomforts of mortality. Condolences to his family.*

Paul Hinman - December 21, 2017 at 08:56 AM



“ *Anna I am so sorry for your loss. I haven't seen Steve in over 50 years but he was like the big brother I never had when we were growing up. So many fond memories of him tormenting us as kids but we knew he loved us. May God embrace you in his love and compassion during this time of grief.*
Hugs and Love to you and the family.
Evelyn (PeeWee)

Evelyn Marlow - December 21, 2017 at 08:34 AM



“ *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 Steve Marcum, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete.
I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten..
My thoughts
and prayers to the family of

US Air Force Veteran, Steve Marcum, 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 - December 21, 2017 at 08:11 AM

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“ *Deepest sympathies in the passing of Steve.*

Arvyl &Jo Hypes - December 21, 2017 at 02:30 AM