



## David Neal Brutcher

April 27, 2025

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June 22, 1954 – April 27, 2025

David Neal Brutcher, 70, of Foley, Alabama, and formerly of Memphis, Tennessee, passed away peacefully at home on April 27, 2025, after a brief battle with cancer. Born in Nashville, Tennessee, David lived a full, spirited life.

David attended Ridgeway High School in Memphis, Tennessee. During high school, he met the love of his life, Judy Lundy, and the two were married in March 1975, beginning a lifetime of memories together. David went on to continue his education at State Technical Institute in Memphis and later attended the Yale School of Business in Connecticut.

David and Judy built a life centered around family, business, and adventure. Together, they owned and operated Aloette Cosmetics of Memphis and the Mid-South, where David was always the “Man of the Ball,” escorting Judy and all the ladies of their franchise to various work events. David also spent more than three decades as General Manager at Magnolia Paper and Janitorial Supply in Memphis, where he was respected for his leadership, loyalty, and steady presence.

The water was a constant source of joy throughout David and Judy’s life

together. From camping trips in the Ozark Mountain's lakes and rivers with family and friends to Caribbean vacations, and many years spent living on a lake outside Bartlett, Tennessee, being near the water always brought them peace. In retirement, they fulfilled a lifelong dream by moving to the Gulf Coast, embracing slower days, and ocean breezes.

David was preceded in death by his parents, Bud and Shirley Brutcher, his in laws, Dick and Jean Swann and his sister in law, Kay Redd. He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Judy; one daughter, Kelly McLure (Clint) of Collierville, Tennessee; one granddaughter, Ansley McLure and one grandson, Brady McLure, also of Collierville. He also leaves behind three brothers: Butch Brutcher of St. Augustine, Florida; Charlie Brutcher (Cathie) of Milton, Florida; and Wesley Brutcher of Hagerstown, Maryland; one sister, Carole Warrenfeltz (Daryl) of Williamsport, Maryland. A niece, Jamie Wright (Kevin) of Harrisburg, AR and her children, Jehlian and Drew. David also leaves his beloved pets, Ginny and Tedy.

A celebration of David's life will take place on Sunday, June 22, 2025, on the beach at Gulf State Park in Gulf Shores, Alabama.

# Previous Events

## Celebration

JUN **22**. 12:00 AM (CT)

Gulf State Park

20115 AL-135

Gulf Shores, Al 36542

(251) 948-7275

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David Neal Brutcher.*



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June 20, 2025 at 09:45 AM



“ *I have known David & Judy since the late 80's & we have SO many memories! My fondest ones are of Wine Wednesday at the house on the lake! We would sit on the patio having our wine/cocktails almost every Wednesday & solve the world's problems & laugh all night. I will miss his sarcastic humor! Loved him dearly ❤️*

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**Jan Fiedler** - April 30, 2025 at 02:52 PM

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“ I met David & Judy about 10 years ago. I decided a life change was needed for me and moved to Gulf Shores without knowing a soul. I met Judy first while she was walking Katie(their dog) and she introduced me to David(I call him Dave) and we bonded immediately. Soon after, it felt like they were my adopted family, or as Judy states, “we adopted each other”. We often traded food with each other, Dave was the griller and could make some mean fried fish nuggets. When 5:00pm rolled around you could, more times than not, find me & Dave sitting on their porch having wine for me & Miller light for him. We became family. I'll never forget watching the Super Bowl with them, my Falcons vs their Patriots. Dave and I hung their ceiling fans in their new home in Foley. Dave was always there for me when I needed him. One particular memory is my daughter, who lived in Fairhope, had just gone into labor with her first child, her husband was out of town for work and she called me, my car had broken down and without hesitation Dave drove me to the hospital so I could be with my daughter. That's the Dave I know and will sorely miss. I'm so glad Angie & I got to go to dinner with them one last time this past March. We love you Dave, RIP my friend(family).

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Andy - April 29, 2025 at 11:15 PM