



David W. Olsen

October 24, 2022

Mr. David W. Olsen, 74 of Surprise, Arizona passed away on October 24, 2022, in Surprise, Arizona of cardiac arrest. He was born in Mineola, New York, to Walter and Lois Olsen.

David served in the United States Marine Corps.

David met the love of his life, Nina while they both worked as telephone techs. They had to work together to troubleshoot issues, and David remarked that “I’m not gonna help you unless you agree to go out with me.” Nina’s uncle had worked at the same company as David and gave her the inside scoop on him and what he was like. They married in Garden City, New York, and remained by each other’s sides for 46 years.

He was a member of the Long Island Practical Shooters Club, the Sun City Grand Architectural Review Subcommittee, and the Wickenburg Sportsman’s Club. David enjoyed cooking; it was one of his favorite past times. One of his other hobbies included riding his motorcycle, and he taught Nina how to ride. He will be remembered for his dry sense of humor, and greatly missed by all who were fortunate to be in his life.

David is survived by his wife, Nina Olsen, and his son, Joshua Olsen.

He was preceded in death by his son, Christopher Olsen, his parents, and a whole family of cats and dogs.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations be made in his honor to Hope4Paws, your local animal shelter or animal charity of choice.

A Celebration of Life open house will be held on November 17th between 1 pm and 3:30 pm at the Sun City West Foundation / Grand Canyon room. The address is 14465 R.H. Johnson Blvd., Sun City West, AZ 85375. Light refreshments and some of Dave's favorite recipes will be served. Coffee, soda, beer, and wine will be available. Please bring your favorite memories.

Tribute Wall

DM

“ Dave will indeed be missed by his family and friends as the memory of his kindness, good humor and easy spirit will be with us for a long time.

Dianne Miller - November 16, 2022 at 10:38 PM

KG

“ I am member of the Arc Subcommittee, have worked with Dave over 4yrs on that committee..He will truly be missed, one of the most knowledgeable member and everyone thoughtvery highly of Dave. The highlight of our Zoommeeting on Thursday's was Dave and Cassie💕💕💕 those meetings will never be the same for me again ☐☐will certainly send a donation to4paws local rescue for cats here in Arizona.. May all your happy memories get you through this difficult time 💕💕💕💕🙏🙏🙏 Karen Graves

Karen Graves - November 06, 2022 at 06:28 PM

LC

“ Our deepest condolences to your family & those who Dave meant so much to. Prayers for you all during this difficult time.

Laura Cochikas - November 04, 2022 at 11:07 AM

DW

“ Nin,My thoughts and prayers are with you. Let me know if you need anything.

Dayna I Werley - November 01, 2022 at 08:44 PM

JL

“ So very sorry to hear this sad news. Both Kathy and I share our condolences to both you and Joshua.

Jeff Laws - November 01, 2022 at 08:19 PM

AK

“ My deepest condolences to Nina and the rest of Mr. Olsen’s family and friends. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time.

Ashley Keese - October 28, 2022 at 01:33 PM