



David B. Arnold

August 9, 1950 - March 17, 2026

North Hampton – David B. Arnold, 75, of No. Hampton former longtime resident of Hampton, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, March 17, 2026. Born in Hartford, CT on August 9, 1950 a son of the late Robert and Mary Arnold..

For 33 years, David owned and operated Hampton Floor Covering, proudly serving the New Hampshire Seacoast and the greater Massachusetts and Maine communities. He was deeply respected for his meticulous attention to detail and the exceptional quality of his work.

A humble man, David was always willing to lend a helping hand to anyone in need and consistently put others' needs before his own. A true "foodie," he loved going out to eat and spending time with his family, who meant the world to him. He also enjoyed traveling—especially cruises—and antiquing with his wife. His dog Tucker, his loyal "sidekick," was never far from his side.

Surviving family members include his wife of 38 years, Eileen (Dube) Arnold of No. Hampton; children, Matthew Arnold of Dunbarton, NH, Barry White and his spouse Laurie of Derry, NH, Jeffrey White of Hampton, NH and Michelle Phelps and her spouse Eric of Londonderry, NH; daughter-in-law Jennifer Lanese; sisters, Kathy Sullivan of Millvill, MA and Linda Kast and her spouse David of Franklin, MA; grandchildren, Nikole, Corey, Madison, Mitchell, Noah,

Caleb, Jacob, Leah and Junior; great grandson, Bodie and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his brother, Robyn Arnold.

The family would like to thank Exeter Hospital and all of David's caregivers for the extraordinary care they provided during a difficult time.

All services will be private. In lieu of flowers do something nice for a family member or neighbor.

Tribute Wall

LT

“ So very sorry to hear of Dave's passing. I new Dave from my work at Drakes Appleton. He was always so friendly and fun to be around. He will be greatly missed.

Laurie Therrien - April 17 at 04:13 PM

JE

“ I met David and Eileen when I was just 16 years old, and although we were not connected by blood, over the past 30 years we became forever family. They have been a part of my life and my children's lives in ways I will always cherish. David was a loving grandfather, and his absence will be deeply felt.

I shared a special bond with David—always the first to lean in at a family gathering to help or laugh with me (especially when I dropped a birthday cake... more than once - LOL). He was kind, humble, strong, and made everyone feel safe. A mentor, a gentle giant, and truly the kind of person this world needs more of. He will forever live in my heart. I hope he is finally at peace and able to rest—he so deserves it.

Jennifer - April 08 at 10:35 AM

RB

“ Dave was a wonderful friend, neighbor and we will miss him greatly. Some people leave this world, but never leave our hearts. It's not only their absence we miss, but the silence of their voice and the light they brought into our lives. He will always be remembered. God bless you, Dave.

Sending love, peace and comfort to Eileen, Tucker and family at this sad time.

Rita , Joe & BaxterBear - March 25 at 02:50 PM

JE

Well said! He will always be remembered in our hearts.

Jennifer - April 08 at 10:37 AM

MB

“ *I am so very saddened to learn of David's passing. We met over 40 years ago when he was working for the company that he later bought, and was my "Go To Guy" for decades for flooring with his devoted and loving wife Eileen at the helm ! We worked together on countless projects in the Seacost and he was always there with his knowlegde and guidance when I needed advice. He was truly one of the kindest,nicest guys I've ever known and I can't think of a time that we didn't laugh about something, even if it was just the way we answered the phone to each other :) I will miss him greatly and thankful he had Tucker for these past few years. My thoughts and prayers are with you Eileen and family at this difficult time.*

Mike Burnett

Mike Burnett - March 23 at 05:36 PM

BA

“ *Dave and Eileen were such wonderful neighbors. Sometimes they're always graciously sharing our combined backyards where our pups could play. Dave shortly became a friend to many others in our small community and will be remembered as a very special man. Sending peace And love to Eileen and family.💕💕*

Bonnie Agrodnia - March 21 at 02:48 PM

EA

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Eileen Arnold - March 21 at 10:56 AM

JL



Jennifer Lanese - March 23 at 08:49 AM

KD

*I lived up the street from Dave and his wife and Tucker Dave was the nicest man and loved our talks and playing with Tucker You are so missed Dave
Kim Dailey*

kim dailey - March 23 at 12:00 PM

JD

“ *So sorry-such a tremendous loss. Such a great neighbor with Eileen and his pal Tucker. You fought hard and never gave up- rest easy now.*



Jean Davis - March 20 at 06:56 PM