



## David R. Steffes

May 15, 1981 - April 30, 2017

David “Bubba” “Sprocket” R. Steffes, 35, of Manitowoc, died unexpectedly at his home on Sunday, April 30, 2017.

He was born on May 15, 1981, in Fond du Lac, a son of Joseph and JoAnn Wagner Steffes. He was a graduate of New Holstein High School, Class of 1999.

On July 30, 2014, he married Kari B. Wagner at Bethany Lutheran Church, Manitowoc.

David was well liked by his employer, Wiese Brothers Farms, where he worked in the shop and the fields. Prior to that, he worked for KSI Construction. He loved four wheeling, snowmobiling, and working outside. He enjoyed playing sheephead with the neighbors and country music.

He is survived by his wife, Kari, and her two children: Darian and Gavin; his parents, Joseph and JoAnn Steffes of Johnsburg; two brothers: James (Hannah) Steffes of Appleton and Donald “DJ” Steffes of Madison; five nieces and nephews: Asa, Noah, Alyssa, Silas, and Hailey; aunts, uncles, and cousins; and his fur babies: Lilly and Ollie.

He is further survived by his in-laws.

VISITATION: The visitation will be from 3:00 – 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 4, 2017, at Kurki-Mach Funeral Chapel & Crematory, 31 East Division Street, Fond du Lac.

SERVICE: The funeral service will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday at Kurki-Mach Funeral Chapel & Crematory with Deacon Dale Paczkowski officiating.

Cremation will follow the traditional service.

Memorials would be appreciated.

Special thanks to the Manitowoc Police Department and the Manitowoc County Coroner. His life continues with the donation of his eyes, pericardium, heart valves, arteries, veins, and bones.

# Tribute Wall

BD

“ *David R. Steffes*

BARBARA DROSSART - May 07, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GE

“ *Sorry to hear about your son prayers and thoughts be with you.*

gerald - May 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM

KR

“ *Jim, Aaron and I send our thoughts and prayers to you and your families. May you find comfort soon!*

Kim Rankinen - May 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ *Death brings pain that time can only heal, No words can ease what we truly feel; but with God, his joy is eternally sealed and cherish his memories that death cannot steal. To David's parents and brothers we would like to express our deepest sympathy.*

Cindy and Dan Push - May 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ *Very sorry for the loss of your loved one, our thoughts and prayers are with u and your family. James & Melissa Theune*

Mr - May 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

PL

“ *We are so sorry to hear of your loss and send our thoughts and prayers to all, especially the Steffes family.*

Pam Lefeber - May 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ We are so sorry for you loss. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

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**Buchholz Family** - May 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Our deepest sympathies are with your family at this time.

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**Jessica and Ken Pickart** - May 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ Joe and Jo, my thoughts and prayers are with you. May God carry you and your families at this time.

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**Mary Jo Abler** - May 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ Dave was part of our family when him and Ashley dated, such a wonderful young man. Kind and caring. I am at a loss. For 2.5 years his smile and Witt graced our family, joining in holidays, camping, etc. We would occasionally run into each other he would greet me with the same smile. He will definitely be missed. Rest In Peace my friend. Debbie Meyer

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**Debbie Meyer** - May 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ Joe, Joann, Jim, and Don, I cannot express how sorry I am for the loss of Dave. You are in my thoughts and will put your family on a prayer list. God be with you all!

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**Staci Rose** - May 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM