



David Brian Hames

January 1, 1957 - January 1, 2026

David Brian Hames of Blaine, MN passed away on January 1, 2026 -his 69th birthday-surrounded by his loving family after a hard-fought battle with cancer.

Dave was born on January 1, 1957, in Owatonna, Minnesota. He graduated from Owatonna High School and began his career in the mining & logging industry, then as a construction superintendent. The last 25 years, he thrived at his role as a Director of Sales. No matter the role, Dave was known for his strong work ethic and dependability. Providing for his family and doing his job well were sources of pride and purpose for him.

On July 13, 1985, Dave was united in marriage to Roxy Swigerd. Together, they raised three amazing and strong daughters-Ashley, Alyssa, and Amber. Dave wasn't one for grand displays of affection, but his love for his family was constant and unmistakable. He was deeply proud of his girls and supported them in everything they did.

Dave enjoyed traveling, especially the family's yearly trips to Mexico, which became some of their most treasured memories. These trips reflected what mattered most to him-time together, shared experiences, and being present with the people he loved.

Dave will be remembered as a devoted husband, a proud father, and a man of

quiet strength. His love was steady and his loyalty unwavering. His independence-stubborn at times-was simply part of the man everyone knew and loved.

David is survived by his wife, Roxy; his daughters, Ashley (Mark) Mangskau, Alyssa (Trey) Broussard, and Amber Hames; his eight grandchildren, Korbin, Brynlee, Rylee, Sydney, Afton, Peyton, Leyla, and Dallas; and his mother-in-law, Evelyn Swigerd.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Margaret Baumgartner, father-in-law, Bruce Swigerd and brother-in-law, Rick Swigerd.

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

JAN **10**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Coon Rapids Chapel
1827 Coon Rapids Blvd.
Coon Rapids, MN 55433

Tribute Wall

KF

“ *Katz and Weller Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of David Brian Hames.*



Katz and Weller Family - January 09 at 08:24 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of David Brian Hames.*



January 09 at 01:16 PM

YF

“ *Your Legacy Fitness Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Brian Hames.*

Your Legacy Fitness Family - January 08 at 11:49 AM



“ *Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of David Brian Hames.*



January 08 at 11:49 AM

LS

“ Love from The Sallies planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Brian Hames.

Love from The Sallies - January 07 at 07:41 PM

LS

“ Love from The Sallies purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of David Brian Hames.



Love from The Sallies - January 07 at 07:41 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David Brian Hames.



January 07 at 01:20 PM

TF

“ The Hautala-Bateman Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Brian Hames.

The Hautala-Bateman Family - January 06 at 07:30 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of David Brian Hames.*



January 06 at 07:30 PM



“ *The Mangskau Families purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of David Brian Hames.*



The Mangskau Families - January 05 at 07:27 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of David Brian Hames.*



January 05 at 04:37 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss! Prayers go out to you all.*

Lynnae Bergherr

Lynnae Bergherr - January 04 at 02:57 PM

DJ

“*Roxy and girls, Leonard and I send prayers for peace on your hearts as you mourn this sad loss. We wish we could join in the celebration of Dave but are not in town. Please know we will be with you in spirit. We enjoyed knowing Dave and know he will be continuing to care for you all from heaven.*

Dana and Leonard Jaques - January 04 at 01:23 PM