



David N. Martin

June 23, 1967 - September 6, 2025

David N Martin, of North Tonawanda, passed away suddenly on September 6, 2025 at the age of 58.

A fierce protector and devoted family man, Dave lived his life with a heart bigger than words could ever capture. Though he didn't always show it in conventional ways, his love for his wife, children and grandchildren was immeasurable. He would have run through hell and high water for them without a second thought.

A proud businessman, Dave built Nitram Construction from the ground up with nothing but grit, determination, and endless hard work. He poured his blood, sweat, and tears into his company, leaving behind not only a legacy of craftsmanship but also a shining example of perseverance.

To his family and friends, Dave was the kind of man you could call at any hour—he would drop everything to lend a hand, no matter the need. His loyalty and generosity knew no limits. He made sure the people he loved always felt cared for and never doubted where they stood in his heart.

Dave found his greatest joy in family traditions, especially at Christmastime. Whether it was picking out the tree, making cookies, decorating together, or gathering around the table, Christmas was his season of magic and togetherness. He also loved making his signature chowder every year for the Winter Classic, celebrating his lifelong love of hockey. And even when he didn't have a motorcycle of his own, his passion for Harley-Davidson and the open road never faded.

Stubborn as nails but loving even harder, Dave was a man of strength, loyalty, and endless devotion. He worked to the bone to provide for his family, leaving behind countless cherished memories and a lasting example of what it means to love fiercely.

He will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Dave was the son of the late Leo James and Shirley Martin, he is survived by his beloved wife Lisa Martin, his children Alex Martin (Kelly), Marissa Price (London), grandchildren Layla and Logan Martin, Nala Price, siblings Stephen Martin (Addison) and Leo Martin (Linda), extended family, and many dear friends.

Visitation will be held Thursday September 11, 2025 from 4 to 8 PM at the Wattengel Funeral Home, 533 Meadow Drive in North Tonawanda, where Funeral Services will follow at 8 PM.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 11. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

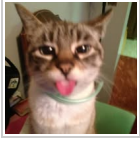
Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)
533 Meadow Drive
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Services

SEP 11. 8:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ We are so sorry Lisa, Alex and Marissa. Hockey is what bonded Dave and I ...both when we were kids, and then through our boys. Riding our BMX bikes , delivering our paper routes, and generally just being up to no good as kids are great memories. Wanda and I send our sincere condolences ❤️

Derek Disorbo - September 11, 2025 at 05:57 PM

S-

“ Lisa, Marissa, Alex and families,
There are no true words to let you know how sorry I am to hear of the passing of Dave, I'm in shock. I remember as a teenager hanging out with your sister Michele and hearing Dave make us laugh with his quick witted humor and always having a smile. I am wishing all of you to be able to no longer have pain and find comfort and peace soon.
You all will always be in my prayer and thoughts daily.
Shelley (Beals) Dayhoff

shelley beals -dayhoff - September 11, 2025 at 05:10 PM

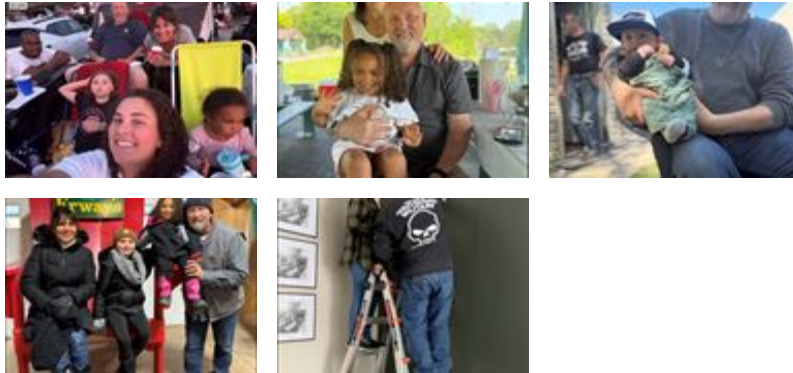
KR

“ I’m not sure where to start. Lisa, Alex and Marissa we are deeply sorry for this tremendous loss. We’ve never met, Alex & Marissa. But, Kristen and I “grew up” with your mom and dad. Way before children. High School and post HS. I swear almost every weekend we had fun. At the mall or putt putt golf or having some beers in their apartment. It was some of the best days of our lives. Life changes, military, kids , college, jobs etc etc. I will always cherish those days. We grew up together. I’m still in shock. May God protect you and comfort you. I know this doesn’t help your feelings but I want you to know how much your dad had an impact on people. Much love and hope for peace.
Keith & Kristen

keith reimers - September 11, 2025 at 01:57 PM



“ 178 files added to the album LifeTributes



Wattengel Funeral Home - September 10, 2025 at 05:34 PM

KA

“ Kitchen Advantage purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of David N. Martin.



Kitchen Advantage - September 10, 2025 at 03:44 PM

HE

“ Henry purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of David N. Martin.



Henry - September 10, 2025 at 08:53 AM

HE

“ Henry planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David N. Martin.

Henry - September 10, 2025 at 08:53 AM

MO

“ Matt Rusinski and Justin O’Shea purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of David N. Martin.



Matt Rusinski and Justin O’Shea - September 09, 2025 at 09:02 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of David N. Martin.*



September 09, 2025 at 09:07 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of David N. Martin.*



September 08, 2025 at 11:22 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of David N. Martin.*

September 08, 2025 at 11:22 PM



“ *Lisa I am so sorry to hear about Dave. You have been through so much and now Dave. My deepest sympathy for you and your family Sending prayers 🙏 Take care Love you.*

Ann Marie Canino - September 08, 2025 at 07:28 AM

TO

“ Teglash Ohana purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of David N. Martin.



Teglash Ohana - September 07, 2025 at 11:24 PM

LE

“ Lisa, Marissa, and Alex,
So sad to hear about Dave's passing.
Love and prayers to your
Laurie and Bruce Elliott

Laurie Elliott - September 07, 2025 at 09:04 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of David N. Martin.



September 07, 2025 at 08:43 PM

BB

“ Dave was one of my dad's best friends in the whole world, his family and mine have been super close for year and years. Dave and lisa were always over at our house when my dad was on hospice and even when he passed a little less then a year ago, you'll be missed so much Dave, I love you all so much. I know my dad and Dave are upstairs playing cards and drinking as we speak.

Bailey Boeck/Harms - September 07, 2025 at 08:39 PM

LW

“ Lisa, Alex, Marissa, and families.
I'm in utter shock to hear about the passing of Dave.
I have so many memories of spending time with all of you. From being at the hockey rink to swimming in your pool, so many of mine and Justin's memories include all of you. Dave, being Justin's first coach pushed him, but loved him like his own.
I'm so sorry that all of you have to suffer another loss, especially so soon. I'm praying for all of you that you find peace and comfort.
Sending love and hugs across the miles.
Laura (Streamer) Williams

laura Williams - September 07, 2025 at 08:07 PM

TH

“ The Heatons purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of David N. Martin.



The Heatons - September 07, 2025 at 07:29 PM

DM

“ Lisa, Alex and Marissa,
Dennis and I are so sorry to hear of Dave's passing! He was a great guy who gave love and respect to all that knew him. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the whole family! May Dave RIP! God Bless,
Coach Dennis and Cindy Marquis

Dennis and Cindy Marquis - September 07, 2025 at 07:12 PM

ML

“ We are very sorry to hear this! Just complete shock. Your family has been through so much. Prayers for peace and healing for your entire family. You all have been through so much. God be with you all!

Margaret Lloyd - September 07, 2025 at 06:56 PM

TH

My hear us broken for you and your family Lisa. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Tammy hilts - September 07, 2025 at 07:01 PM

EB

Lisa and family. I'm in total shock. My heart is breaking for you. Prayers for all. Eileen

Eileen Bayer - September 07, 2025 at 07:25 PM

MC

Truly sorry Lisa for Dave's passing sending my prayers to you and your family love you ❤️🙏🙏

Mary Canino - September 09, 2025 at 03:27 PM

BE

We were all saddened to hear of Dave's passing. He was one of the good ones and will be missed. Prayers for peace and comfort. from Dave's friends at Miris

Becca - September 11, 2025 at 04:35 PM