



## David A. Bruschi

November 2, 1934 - September 20, 2021

David A. Bruschi of Manchester, TN passed this life on Monday, September 20, 2021, at his residence at the age of 86. No services are scheduled at this time.

Mr. Bruschi, a native of Raritan, NJ, was the son of the late Silvio and Mary Febo Bruschi. He enjoyed playing tennis and riding motorcycles when he was younger. He was member of SASS (Cowboy Action Shooting Society) and Wartrace Regulators of Normandy.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his brother, Matthew Bruschi; granddaughter, Elizabeth Bruschi and great-granddaughter Mayci Lynn Wilson.

He is survived by his wife, Constance Bruschi of Manchester; son, Kevin Bruschi of Roundup, Montana; daughter, Arlene Brown (Ray) of Loxahatchee, FL; grandchildren, Dawn Bruschi, Lynette Bruschi, Daniel Bruschi, Emily Brown and Raymond Brown and great-grandchildren, Caleb Bruschi and Kaydense Wilson.

Online condolences may be made at [www.davesculbertsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.davesculbertsonfuneralhome.com). Daves-Culbertson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



“ *David A. Bruschi*

January 25, 2023 at 12:28 AM



“ *Papa Dave was a great man and friend to many. He maybe gone but will never be forgotten especially by Wartrace family*

*Tombstone John and Linda Lasely Gallatin*



tombstone John Lasley - September 28, 2021 at 02:58 PM



“ *It is difficult to put into words the impact Papa Dave had on those who knew him. He was a man of outstanding character, a man of value whose word was his bond. Despite his many championships he was modest and put the welfare of others before his own. He taught us many lessons of life far beyond those of cowboy shooting. We are all better for knowing this fine, fine man.*

Cheyenne Thornton - September 24, 2021 at 07:08 PM

PJ

“ *Papa Dave always had a smile on his face and a kind word to say. We will certainly miss him. I recently made a pair of holsters for him - don't know that he ever got to use them.*



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**Pilgrim Joe** - September 23, 2021 at 01:08 PM

PJ

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**Pilgrim Joe** - September 23, 2021 at 01:00 PM

CS

“ *Papa Dave was always smiling, always helping someone. I never knew of anyone who didn't love him! We will miss him something fierce.*



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**Chickamauga Slim** - September 22, 2021 at 08:11 PM

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**Chickamauga Slim** - September 22, 2021 at 08:08 PM

SF

“ I first met Papa Dave through the Wartrace Regulators SASS club. He served as my early mentor and quickly became a friend. I truly admired this kind and generous man. I was constantly amazed by his energy, stamina, and zest for life. He became a role model for me in how to live one's senior years with grace and purpose. He was a SASS World Champion but he was also a World Champion in life, too. My sincere thoughts and prayers go out to his entire family. He will forever be missed.

*Stephan Foust aka Nantahala Ned*

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**Stephan Foust** - September 22, 2021 at 04:39 PM

SD

“ We loved Papa Dave so much! Whenever I saw him at a cowboy match he brought a smile to my face! He was a great Cowboy and Match Director, an outstanding shooter and a really GOOD person. Our lives are richer for having been able to call him our friend. Sending all his family much love and prayers of comfort. Scarlett Darlin' & Tommy

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**Scarlett Darlin'** - September 22, 2021 at 04:27 PM