



Mr David John Pratt

November 3, 1950 - April 19, 2020

Lenox –

David John Pratt, 69, of Lenox Dale died Sunday, April 19, 2020 at Berkshire Medical Center, after a brief illness.

Born on November 3, 1950 in Pittsfield, MA, he attended Wahconah Regional High School, graduating in 1969. He worked for nearly 40 years for Kimberly-Clark and then Schweitzer Mauduit Paper Mill. He also owned and operated the D. J. Pratt Excavation Company for 20 years, serving customers throughout the Berkshires.

David, who was known as John, married Cynthia M. Cornwell on November 9, 1970 at Saint Patrick's Church in Hinsdale. Besides his wife Cynthia, John is survived by his daughter, Jennifer Fleming, and husband Dan, of Winston Salem, NC, and three sons, David B. Pratt of Lenox Dale, Justin W. Pratt, and his wife Caroline, of Lenox, and Mitchell G. Pratt, and his wife Anne of Washington, MA, and grandchildren, Ryan, Sam, Vivian, and Harvey Pratt. David is predeceased by his father, Robert, special family member Donald Stanley, who died in March 2003, and his beloved son, Ryan M. Pratt, who died on July 17, 2013.

John was known for his kindness, generosity, sense of humor, and warm, disarming smile. He was an avid car lover, and civil war and American history buff. He enjoyed boating with his sons, attending the Lake George Car Show each year, and, in recent years, after retirement, spending time at Wakeda Campground with Cyndi and his family. His grandchildren brought him much

joy. Ever the optimist, John never gave up the hope that he'd someday win the Publishers Clearing House sweepstakes.

All services will be held privately and at the convenience of his family. In lieu of flowers, donations in John's memory may be made to either the Samuel Pratt Education Fund or the Berkshire Humane Society, both in care of the Roche Funeral Home, 120 Main Street, Lenox, MA 01240.

Tribute Wall

RK

“ Dear Cyndi, Justin, Mitchell, David, Jennifer and families,
I am so very sorry for your loss. I have no words to ease your pain, but I am sending along prayers for peace and comfort in the days ahead. May you find strength in each other. Hold one another close. My sincere condolences.
Becky Knox (retired 3rd grade Lenox teacher)



Rebecca Knox - April 24, 2020 at 03:44 PM

BM

“ With deepest sympathy from the Wahconah Regional High School Class of 1968

Barbara Simmons Mills - April 22, 2020 at 06:45 PM

GC

“ Dear Cyndi & family, So sorry to hear of Dave’s passing. I worked close with him for 40 years at Niagara Mill. You’re in our thoughts & prayers. George & Shirley Croughwell

George Croughwell - April 22, 2020 at 02:16 PM

CF

“ Dear Cyndi and family. Our deepest sympathy to you and your family. Our prayers are with you all.

Carole Forward and family - April 22, 2020 at 06:53 AM

CV

“ *Cyndi and family, so very sorry for your loss. Many prayers sent your way at this time.*

Christina Vreeland - April 21, 2020 at 10:16 PM

LS

“ *So sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers to all. Sincerely, Lynda Stanard*

Lynda Stanard - April 21, 2020 at 07:12 PM

EM

“ *I'm so sorry for the loss of your husband our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family thinking of you Cindy love Butch and Elise Marshall*

Elise Marshall - April 21, 2020 at 05:02 PM

GM

Cindy so very sorry to hear of Johns passing. We were very close back in the day. Will always remember that gold stingray we use to ride around Dalton in! My deepest condolences to you and ur family. Gordie Milne

Gordie Milne - April 22, 2020 at 12:51 AM



“ *Michael A. Laurano lit a candle in memory of Mr David John Pratt*



Michael A. Laurano - April 21, 2020 at 03:12 PM

CR

I am so sorry, my thoughts n prayers go out to the whole family Rest in peace John

Cecile Gop Roosa - April 21, 2020 at 05:48 PM