



Dale Lee Schwab

November 17, 1941 - September 3, 2023

Dale Lee Schwab, 81, of Algonquin, passed away Sunday, September 3, 2023, at home surrounded by his family, while holding his loving wife's hand.

He was born in Belvidere on November 17, 1941, the son of Adelbert and Florence (Hartman) Schwab.

Dale was a member of the 1960 Class of Huntley High School. He was a lifetime resident of the Algonquin area. Dale was a barber in Arlington Heights for nearly 15 years, worked for Peter Pilgard & Sons Well Drilling for 10 years, and pursued the art of taxidermy, which was his passion, for the remainder of his life. Dale loved to hunt, especially antelope. He had a strong love for watching his favorite sports teams the Chicago White Sox and Green Bay Packers. Dale also enjoyed watching his family play sports from track and swim meets, baseball and softball games, soccer, and basketball. He was always there supporting his daughters and grandchildren. Dale was a member of multiple organizations in the community including The Safari Club International and Elgin Moose Lodge.

He is survived by his wife, Nancy; his daughters, Gail Ann (Rick) Thurow, Cheryl Lynn (Rodney) Montgomery, Connie Sue (Rick) Forner; 10 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren, with one of the way; and his sister, Carol (Steve) Goehl.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and his sister, Jo Gorges.

Visitation will be held on Friday, September 8, 2023, from 5:00 pm until 8:00 pm at The James A. O'Connor Funeral Home, 11603 East Main Street, in Huntley.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 9, 2023, at 11:00 am with a visitation from 10:00 am to 11:00 am at The Evangelical Free Church of Crystal Lake, 575 East Crystal Lake Avenue, in Crystal Lake.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or the American Diabetes Association.

Burial will follow at The Huntley Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Huntley Cemetery

Dean Street
Huntley, IL 60142

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 8. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

James A. O'Connor Funeral Home
11603 E. Main PO Box 74
Huntley, IL 60142
(847) 669-5111
jaoconnorfh@att.net

Service

SEP 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Evangelical Free Church
575 E. Crystal Lake Ave.
Crystal Lake, IL 60014

Service

SEP 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ 1 file added to the album *I HAVE HAD A WONDERFUL LIFE & WOULDN'T CHANGE A THING*



Cheryl & Rodney Montgomery - September 09, 2023 at 04:31 PM

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Cheryl - September 08, 2023 at 10:48 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album *AFRICA TRIP*



Cheryl - September 08, 2023 at 10:44 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album *PACKER FAN FOREVER*



Cheryl & Rodney Montgomery - September 08, 2023 at 10:42 PM

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“ *Delores E. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dale Lee Schwab.*

Delores E. - September 08, 2023 at 07:25 PM

PR

“ *Nancy...we are so sorry to learn of Dale's passing...you two and your family were very special to our parents. Please know we are thinking of you. love, Brad&Pam*

Pamela Rice - September 08, 2023 at 10:04 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dale Lee Schwab.*

September 07, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dale Lee Schwab.*



September 07, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Dale Lee Schwab.*



September 07, 2023 at 02:04 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dale Lee Schwab.*



September 07, 2023 at 01:36 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dale Lee Schwab.*

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“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dale Lee Schwab.*

September 07, 2023 at 09:58 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dale Lee Schwab.*



September 07, 2023 at 09:58 AM



“ *Peggy O. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dale Lee Schwab.*

Peggy O. - September 07, 2023 at 09:56 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Dale Lee Schwab.*



September 07, 2023 at 09:53 AM



“ *Julie T. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dale Lee Schwab.*

Julie T. - September 06, 2023 at 10:42 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dale Lee Schwab.*

September 06, 2023 at 07:32 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Dale Lee Schwab.*



September 06, 2023 at 07:32 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Dale Lee Schwab.*



September 06, 2023 at 05:23 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Dale Lee Schwab.*



September 06, 2023 at 04:43 PM