



## David Henry Ross

September 1, 1961 - September 20, 2025

David Henry Ross, 64, passed away peacefully on September 20, 2025, in Stockton, California, after a long illness. Born on September 1, 1961, in Houston, Texas, David was a longtime resident of Benicia, California, where he built a life filled with hard work, laughter, and love.

For more than 40 years, David dedicated his career to his craft as a Boilermaker and General Foreman. Known for his strong work ethic and leadership, he took pride in his profession and the many friendships he built along the way.

A true sports fan, David cheered faithfully for his beloved Green Bay Packers. He also had a passion for barbecuing and smoking meats, often sharing his cooking with friends and family. In his younger years, he enjoyed fishing and camping, finding joy in the outdoors and the simple pleasures of life. He was an avid domino player and loved watching American Ninja Warriors and the sunrise every morning from his back patio. Above all, David treasured time spent with his family, friends, and his loyal dog, Dakota.

David is survived by his son Jesse J. Ross; wife, Debora Ross; his sister, Tracey E. Thomas; nephews Shawn & Jonathan Thomas, grand niece Zoey-Marie Thomas and his dog, Dakota. He was preceded in death by his parents, Leon and Martha Ross.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, October 3, 2025, at Pasalacqua Funeral Chapel in Benicia. Burial will follow at the Benicia City Cemetery. Reception to follow at the Benicia Veterans Hall.

David will be deeply missed and fondly remembered for his warmth, humor, and devotion to those he loved.

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

OCT 3. 11:00 AM (PT)

Passalacqua Funeral Chapel  
901 W Second Street  
Benicia, CA 94510  
(707) 745-3130  
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<https://www.passalacquafuneralchapel.com>

# Tribute Wall

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“ Worked with Dave at shell in the early 80s loved ol slogo ,  
From garymuilenburg (slim ) penny, Troy Tommy King

**Gary Muilenburg** - September 29, 2025 at 08:40 PM

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“ Our deepest condolences love and prayers are with David and his family. May he rest in peace. One of my fondest memories of him was when we first moved to 144 White Chapel Dr. in Benicia. David and his little sister, Tracey were two of the first children that showed up at our house, he and my two sons, Sean and Paris Breaux became friends immediately. He was a great kid and a wonderful man. In sympathy, Dana Avila

**Dana Avila** - September 27, 2025 at 09:30 AM

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Hi Dave was like my brother, like to text Traci

**Gary Muilenburg** - September 29, 2025 at 08:43 PM

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