



## *When Tomorrow Starts Without Me*

*When tomorrow starts without me,*

*Please try to understand,*

*That an angel came and called my name,*

*And took me by the hand;*

*The angel said my place was ready,*

*In Heaven far above,*

*And that I'd have to leave behind*

*All those I dearly love.*

*But when I walked through Heaven's Gates,*

*I felt so much at home,*

*For God looked down, smiled at me,*

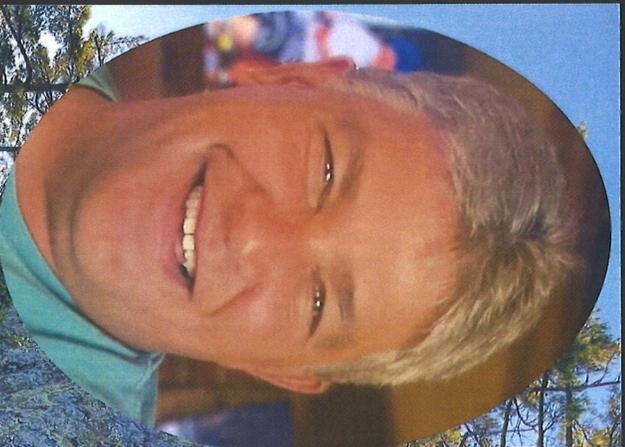
*And told me "Welcome Home."*

*So when tomorrow starts without me,*

*Don't think we're far apart,*

*For every time you think of me,*

*I'm right there in your heart.*



*In Loving Memory*

# *David A. Roy*

*September 17, 1967 - July 10, 2024*

David Alan Roy was born on September 17, 1967, in Cavalier, ND, to William and Kathleen (Carlson) Roy. He grew up in the Langdon area and attended Langdon Area Schools. On September 24, 1988, he married the love of his life, Stacey (Gjesdal) Roy. They made their home in Langdon, where they raised their three children. In 1989, David and his father, Bill, purchased Christie Motors where he worked as owner and operator until the time of his death. David enjoyed many hobbies such as dirt track racing where he had many loyal fans, hunting, grilling, and especially fishing with his family and friends. David also spent many hours working on the family farm in Fairdale and attending numerous sporting activities with his kids. For the last almost five years of David's life, he wore the title of Papa Dave proudly. Nothing put a smile on his face faster than spending time with his grandchildren.

Surviving David are his wife, Stacey, of Langdon; children: Jace (Lindsey) Roy, Nicholas (Kami Kay) Roy, and Matthew (Reanna) Roy – all of Langdon; grandchildren: Kynlee (4), Brooks (1.5), and Sonny (10 months); father William Roy of Langdon; siblings: Kevin (Lori) Roy, Lori (Chalmer) Dettler, and Billy Roy Jr. – all of Langdon; father-in-law Orris Gjesdal; sisters-in-law: Tamera Gjesdal (Shawn O'Brien), Kerna Gjesdal (Brian Wirth), Sherri (Mark) Romfo, and many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his daughter, Breah Roy; mother Kathy Roy; mother-in-law Karen Haraseth; and mother-in-law Lorretta Gjesdal.

David will be missed by all who had known him.

David A. Roy, 56, of Langdon, ND, passed away July 10, 2024, after an almost two-year courageous battle with glioblastoma, brain cancer, surrounded by family at Langdon Prairie Health.

## ***MEMORIAL SERVICE***

Tuesday, July 17, 2024 - 3:00 p.m.

United Lutheran Church  
Langdon, North Dakota

### ***CLERGY***

Rev. Jodi Myrvik

### ***SPECIAL MUSIC***

“Tears in Heaven” - Eric Clapton

“Your Song” - Elton John

“You Have Come Down to the Lakeshore” - Micah

Spruth-Janssen

“Rocket Man” - Elton John

### ***URN BEARERS***

Mark Fisk Jamie Furtani

Jeff Schneider Troy Stremnick

### ***INTERMENT***

Lebanon Cemetery  
Langdon, North Dakota