



David A. Howitt

July 12, 1942 - October 21, 2025

David A. Howitt, 83, of East Prospect Street, Northville passed away at home on Tuesday, October 21, 2025.

He was born in Amsterdam on July 12, 1942, a son of Samuel and Marguerite Stowitts Howitt and moved to Northville as a child. David was a graduate of Northville Central School. He lived in Northville most of his life.

David served as a police officer in the Village of Northville. Mr. Howitt was employed as a machinist at GE in Schenectady for 33 years and retired in 1988. He was also a landlord of 7 apartments in Northville that he built and maintained for 30 years.

David was a veteran of the US Army and served with the military police when he was stationed at Fort Huachuca, AZ. He was honorably discharged in 1966.

David enjoyed attending car shows and spending time with family and friends. He was a good husband, father, and friend.

In addition to his parents, David was predeceased by a brother, Robert. Survivors include his wife, Flora Finch Howitt, whom he married April 20, 1968; a son, Samuel C. Howitt (Jeanette) of Northville; a sister, Margaret Taylor of Broadalbin; and several nieces and nephews.

Cremation was performed at Park View Crematorium, Schenectady. A military graveside service will be held on Saturday, November 1, 2025, at 11am at Prospect Hill Cemetery, Northville with Rev. Dr. R.W. Williams, officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

or to the Shriner's Hospital for Children, in care of the funeral home.
Arrangements are by Robert M. Halgas Funeral Home, Inc. 111 County
Highway 106, Johnstown, NY 12095.

Previous Events

Military Graveside Service

NOV 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

Prospect Hill Cemetery
Prospect Street
Northville, NY 12134