



## Shaun Michael Cresswell

December 20, 1978 - August 16, 2023

Shaun passed away suddenly on Wednesday, August 16, 2023 at the age of 44, leaving behind a loving father and brother. Our hearts are broken. Shaun was much loved by his family and friends.

Shaun was born in Fairfax Virginia on December 20, 1978, the second son to Frank and Cynthia Cresswell (dec'd) his big brother is Steven Cresswell. Shaun and his brother Steve grew up with his family in Dale City, Virginia. They were a close knit family, creating many wonderful memories on family vacations, playing little league soccer, and basketball.

Shaun attended Hilton High School where he was an outstanding athlete and had many great friends. He went on to achieve a Bachelor of Science degree from The University of Virginia. Through the years Shaun accumulated many wonderful friends who have remained loyal to each other through the years. He touched so many lives with his upbeat personality and infectious happiness and smile, always the first to lend a hand and the last to ask for anything in return. Shaun lived his life to the fullest. Shaun was an avid golfer and gardener and took great pride in his new home, continuously making improvements to both his home and to his gardens. He especially loved his new neighborhood, where they could all be found taking evening walks together. He shared his home with his girl friend Kellie and Wally, his four legged best friend. Uncle Shaun found great joy spending time with and doting

on his nieces and nephews Riley, Morgan, Brayden and Keegan.

He was loved and embraced by everyone whose life he touched. He was tragically taken from us way too early, breaking all our hearts. We can take comfort in knowing that the life he lived was always filled to the max with happiness, love, family and many friends who cared deeply for him.

Shaun is survived by his loving father Frank Cresswell and stepmom Arlene Nestel, brother Steve Cresswell, his wife Dana and their children, Riley, Morgan, Brayden and Keegan, Aunt Cindy England and her husband RJ, Shaun's cousin Caitlin Morrison and her husband Robert and their daughter Ryann, Uncle David Cresswell (dec'd) and his wife Wanda and cousins, as well as many other extended family members. May Shaun rest in peace for all eternally.

# Cemetery Details

## National Memorial Park

7482 Lee Highway  
Falls Church, VA 22042

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 27.** 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home  
9609 Center St.  
Manassas, VA 20110  
(703) 257-6028  
pfh@piercefh.com  
<https://www.piercefh.com>

## Funeral Service

**AUG 27.** 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

JC

“ It was over 20 years ago that I graduated high school and went on my first cruise. My sister and I met Shaun, his family and friends since they were hard to miss and probably took up half the ship, haha! Shauns smile and laugh was infectious. We stayed in touch throughout the years and visited each others hometowns.



I just recently threw away a broken cd that was given to me that someone made for that trip and the theme song was "who let the dogs out." I'm pretty sure we all played that on repeat at the pool. There are so many other songs that I immediately think of that trip and all the amazing memories with Shaun.

"Your impact on the world is measured by the footprints you leave behind."

I know Shaun lived life to the fullest and will be missed dearly, but never forgotten. I am just learning of Shauns passing and this one hits hard. I hope this message gets to his Dad and brother Steve. I am so incredibly sorry for your family and friends with this huge loss. My heart goes out to you, Jess from CLE

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**Jessica Brown Carey** - January 15, 2024 at 11:03 PM

RD

“ It is a tragic loss to no longer have Shaun in this world. What great guy!  
I have known Shaun for about 16 years but it seems like we were friends since childhood! He was always always laughing and one of the funniest guys Ill ever know!

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**Richard Delaney** - September 06, 2023 at 12:51 PM

YB

“ Frank,  
I'm so sorry to hear about  
Shaun passing. Steven you also. So many good memories. Always  
in my  
heart. YvonneXO

Yvonne Bennett - August 31, 2023 at 07:55 PM

ST

“ So, so sorry to hear. You are in my heart and prayers. ❤️🙏🙏

Suzie Harmon Tucker - August 28, 2023 at 12:13 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

August 27, 2023 at 07:29 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

August 27, 2023 at 07:28 PM

JE

“ We had some wonderful, fun, crazy memories together. All the trips  
and things we did I will always hold close to my heart. I am still  
trying to process this loss. My heart goes out to everyone that knew  
Shaun. To know him was to love him. He could light up a room with  
laughter. You will forever be missed. We love you!  
The Pendley's ❤️

jen - August 27, 2023 at 11:42 AM

DL

“ Danny Lawray lit a candle in memory of Shaun Michael Cresswell



Danny Lawray - August 27, 2023 at 08:45 AM

DL

Sorry to hear about Shaun's passing. I have known him sine he was in Middle School. He will be missed but never forgotten. Praying to the family! Rest Peacefully Shaun 🙏🙏🙏💙

Danny Lawray - August 27, 2023 at 08:47 AM



“ A grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

August 27, 2023 at 07:17 AM



“ Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



August 25, 2023 at 03:11 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

August 25, 2023 at 03:11 PM

JD

“ Jim and Debbie purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



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**Jim and Debbie** - August 25, 2023 at 10:58 AM

JD

“ Jim and Debbie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

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**Jim and Debbie** - August 25, 2023 at 10:58 AM

SF

“ Shaun's colleagues at ASRC Federal purchased the Serene Reflections Bouquet for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



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**Shaun's colleagues at ASRC Federal** - August 25, 2023 at 09:44 AM

AC

“ Al and Rhonda Casper purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



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**Al and Rhonda Casper** - August 25, 2023 at 09:16 AM

AC

“ From: Al and Rhonda Casper planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

Al and Rhonda Casper - August 25, 2023 at 09:16 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



August 24, 2023 at 05:50 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

August 24, 2023 at 05:50 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



August 24, 2023 at 05:34 PM

CK

“ We were so fortunate to have Shaun as a neighbor. He was warm, kindhearted, and selfless. We could always count on being greeted with a big smile and an equally bigger wave every morning when we passed his house, headed to work, and returning home. Shaun loved his neighbors, especially his “walking crew.” He made a beautiful home for himself and his beloved Kellie. To say he will be missed is an understatement. Our deepest condolences to Kellie, Mr. Cresswell, and Steve.

*Candace and Marc Kim*

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**Candace Kim** - August 24, 2023 at 03:41 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



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August 24, 2023 at 02:18 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

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August 24, 2023 at 02:18 PM

KO

“ Keith O. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

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**Keith O.** - August 24, 2023 at 12:39 PM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.*



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August 24, 2023 at 12:02 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

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August 24, 2023 at 12:02 PM



“ *Shaun, Kellie, and Wally moved onto our street about two years ago. They brought a new life to our street. Shaun was so happy with his new house and so proud of what he had accomplished. He had great plans for his yard, trees and flowers. He was so proud of his little vegetable garden and shared tomatoes with all of us from his "first harvest". He was out there every day watering and tending to his plants. He referred to that as his farmer duties. He even loved mowing his yard. But above all, he loved Kellie and Wally and the new life they made for themselves in the country. The "walking crews" nightly walk will not be the same without Shaun and his golf club out front leading us on. Shaun, we miss you and you will not be forgotten.*

*Joanne Hale*

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**Joanne Hale** - August 24, 2023 at 10:10 AM



“ A grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

August 24, 2023 at 08:37 AM



“ Christopher J. purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



Christopher J. - August 23, 2023 at 06:55 PM



“ Paula & Fernando Nicolau purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



Paula & Fernando Nicolau - August 23, 2023 at 02:54 PM



“ Paula & Fernando Nicolau planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

Paula & Fernando Nicolau - August 23, 2023 at 02:54 PM

PN

“ Paula N. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

Paula N. - August 23, 2023 at 02:39 PM

PN

“ We met Shaun shortly after moving into the neighborhood. He had also just moved in and between our house and his it looked like a scene from "property brothers" with all the construction going on. Like my husband, he had so much pride in his new home and worked so hard getting it just how he wanted. We quickly became not just neighbors but friends. Shaun was such a friendly man. He was always ready to lend a hand and always had such a nice smile on his face. Thinking of Shaun just made you happy. We used to look out our window at 5:30am and there was Shaun watering his flowers and playing with Wally. Shaun left a void in our hearts and our neighborhood will not be the same. We will miss you Shaun.  
Paula & Fernando

Paula Nicolau - August 23, 2023 at 02:32 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



August 23, 2023 at 09:14 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

August 23, 2023 at 09:14 AM

MO

“ Shaun boy was full of life. Words cannot describe him. He used the gifts that God bestowed on him to help others and make you laugh. Shaun lit up the room every time he entered it. His smile told you he was enjoying life to the fullest. His love for his family and friends meant everything to him. He helped so many and truly touched so many lives. Shaun will not be forgotten that's for sure. His spirit and zeal for life will live on. Shaun's smile was from ear to ear and he could always cheer you with his many stories and jokes. He had the gift of gab and used it well. He was a hard worker and everything he touched turned to gold. I remember when Shaun hurt his shoulder in 1994 and we drove to Ocean Isle to see him and his family. He was bummed because he could not golf but he still had fun watching his Dad and his buddy TR hacking at golf. These are great memories we will never forget. Shaun never tooted his own horn and always wanted to make others feel special. He was truly a humble gentleman. To know Shaun was to love Shaun. We were so surprised to see see him at Captain Pells in Fairfax for hard shelled crabs. His Dad picked a table way in the back of the restaurant and we kept looking for them. We were so excited to see tall Shaun standing up waiting for us. Also the many fun cruises together and we laughed so much. Shaun boy was a joy to be with. He was quite entertaining and so very special. He will be missed by many. Thank you MaryKay and Tim [TR] Otting Leland, North Carolina

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**Mary Kay and Tim Otting** - August 22, 2023 at 08:52 PM

TH

“ Shaun and our son, Michael were great friends growing up and loved hanging out with other friends in our neighborhood, playing soccer, and beach vacations with our families. Shaun grew into a wonderful young man who was successful in his career and successful in life. His smile was infectious and he knew no strangers. He will be missed by all who knew him. The Herrick's

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**The Herrick's** - August 22, 2023 at 02:22 PM

BC

“ Shaun was such a great man! So friendly, kind and funny. He was always smiling and will truly be missed. Watch over your family Shaun and God Bless!!

Beverly Cumes - August 22, 2023 at 12:37 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



August 22, 2023 at 12:32 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



August 21, 2023 at 10:25 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

August 21, 2023 at 10:25 PM

SP

“ Shaun was absolutely one of the funniest people I have ever known! We have so many fond memories of him! The Scourby/Paulsons will miss him dearly. My deepest condolences to Mr. Cresswell, Steve and the rest of Shaun’s family and friends.

Stephanie Paulson - August 21, 2023 at 09:43 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



August 21, 2023 at 08:50 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Shaun Michael Cresswell.

August 21, 2023 at 08:50 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



August 21, 2023 at 05:26 PM

BH

“ Shaun gave me an opportunity as I retired from the Air Force. He was a good mentor for that chapter of our lives. I will miss him. Rest Easy.

Bobby Holland - August 21, 2023 at 04:26 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



August 21, 2023 at 02:05 PM

HR

“ Holly and Herman Ratcliffe purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



Holly and Herman Ratcliffe - August 21, 2023 at 08:57 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Shaun Michael Cresswell.



August 20, 2023 at 06:42 PM