



David Charles Judge

November 1, 1950 - July 28, 2013

David Charles Judge died July 28, 2013 at home in Napa. He was born in Denver, CO to Joseph and Janet Judge on November 1, 1950.

Mr. Judge was taught life science and physics at Arlington High School in Riverside. He recently celebrated his 40th wedding anniversary.

David is survived by his wife Narda Judge, children Sarai M. Judge and Joshua J. (Crystal Reagle) Judge; six brothers, three sisters and grandchildren Justin, T.J. and Josef.

Tribute Wall

CJ

“ Thinking about you, Mom & Dad, today Davy and how much I miss all of you.
Chris

christopher judge - November 11, 2025 at 10:01 PM

CJ

“ Another year has gone by already since you left us , Dave. I sure miss you, little brother.

Chris Judge - July 29, 2025 at 06:39 AM

CJ

“ Missing you, dear brother Dave.

Chris Judge - November 03, 2024 at 01:03 AM

NW

“ Dearest David,
It's been over 11 years since you left us here on Earth. We continue to love and miss you!!!!
Happy birthday 🎂. By now you have the best present 🎁 of all your questions answered forever. How awesome, amazing, and wonderful to have all revealed and your thirst for knowledge satisfied.
Love, Narda, Josh, and Sarai.

Narda Judge, David's wife - November 01, 2024 at 01:46 PM

CJ

“ Still can't get over losing you, brother Dave. So much want you to be here with us.

Chris

Chris Judge - November 02, 2023 at 01:47 AM



“ David Charles Judge

September 29, 2022 at 04:54 PM



“ *David Charles Judge*

September 29, 2022 at 02:55 PM

NW

“ *Dearest David,
I almost made it to Bodega Bay last week. So many changes on the way that I ended up at Point Reyes. It's the thought...*

Nine years today since you left us. Many feelings run their courses through my mind and heart. We were both angry at the end not to have more time for one more road trip, retirement together, and better health outcomes.

If nothing else, I hope that G-D has answered all of your questions. Now you have all the rest of eternity to take in the knowledge you craved for nearly every day of your life here in this universe. May your spirit be at peace.

*Love always,
Narda*

Narda Judge, David's Wife - July 28, 2022 at 09:21 PM

NW

“ *David, can't believe it's been eight years since your death. With the pandemic surges and different mandates changing, many of us have lost a sense of time. The weeks pass swiftly. Received call from Jonathan Linden last week and Brian and I text at the various holidays. We couldn't believe how long ago we talked.*

Chris sends e-cards at Christmas. I've called some of your brothers and sisters, even this year, but nothing other than a mass e-mail on occasion. Sad... Sarai reads about them on Face Book. Maybe they will read this?

Thank goodness that we did have 40 years together. And maybe I can go back to the coast this year, visit our favorite places. Couldn't face it in past. Still and always will love

*you! Josh and Sarai do, too.
Narda*

Narda Judge, David's wife - July 28, 2021 at 02:17 PM

NW

“ Dearest David,
Thankful that you didn't have to live through this past year. Between the government turmoil and the Covid-19 pandemic, these have been scary times. I've been remembering how you kept a pocket-size copy of the U.S. Constitution with you at AHS. I still have it on the bookcase on my side of our bedroom. I'm so glad and appreciative of how you informed your students to take time to read it, learn about the underpinnings of our country. And how it's meant to be adhered to by members of our government at every level with new amendments added when bipartisanship allows for them.
Freedom, honesty, respect, accepting and taking responsibility, seeking equality and equity, justice for all here in this USA. We almost lost all of the aforementioned and so much more. G-d willing that we continue to strive to be that nation, to live by the greatest Constitution for a true republic and democracy. Watch over us and may we be a good and righteous people. "A light unto the nations..."
Your Berna

Narda Judge, David's wife - March 06, 2021 at 12:42 AM

BJ

“ Love you, David. Seven yrs. since your death. Time passes and helps to heal the worst of our broken hearts. Shuki and Sarai are wonderful human beings, the major goal of our parenting. Miss having you here, sharing daily experiences and discoveries, and road trips to explore the wonders of the world. And so much more...
Your wife and best friend,
Narda

BERNARDETTE JUDGE - July 28, 2020 at 11:14 AM



“ Hello, brother. Another birthday behind us already and another year since you've been gone. It's still hard to believe, Sure miss you, Dave,

Chris Judge - November 02, 2019 at 04:33 AM

NW

“ David, 6 yrs and I still love and miss you. You deserved better! Sarai, Shuki, and I often share our memories and how significant you were and continue to be in our lives. This would be our 50th yr of knowing each other and 46th wedding anniversary this month.

Thank you, Chris, for remembering David's birthday each yr that passes.

Thank you to Brian from AHS for staying in touch and sharing his friendship and support.

Thank you to the Linden family from AHS for their love and caring all of these yrs. So touched and inspired by you, David. You brought us together, too.

Narda Judge, David's wife - July 03, 2019 at 04:53 PM



“ Hello Davey. Another birthday already. Sure miss you, brother.

Chris

Chris Judge - November 02, 2018 at 01:27 AM

NF

“ It has been five years since David died. It still feels as if he left us a few weeks ago. I tell him I love him every day and regret we didn't have many more years together here in Napa. He never had the opportunity to enjoy retirement, make more memories, and see our children grow into remarkable, humane, and purposeful people. They affirm life and doing their parts toward "tikun olam." Joshua and Sarai often talk about how he inspired them, positively influenced their lives. What a legacy he has left...and they, along with his extended family members, students, colleagues, and others who were fortunate to have spent time with him, do him proud.

May all of David's questions, yearning for knowledge, be answered and satisfied. And to his teachers and others who were skeptical about his capabilities, it was always a matter of thinking, analyzing data/facts, and seeing outside the box.

Often he was ridiculed, misunderstood, his genius denied. Many times, years in advance, he foretold theories on a variety of subjects, which later were proven to be accurate and insightful.

Who else do you know who was left back to repeat first grade based upon his supposed "immaturity" as exemplified by painting a mass of black lines on white paper? If they had asked, he would have explained it was spaghetti but you couldn't see it if he'd used white paint. And he was happy when sent out of his classroom to spend time with the Jesuit priests, known for their intellectual and inquisitive acumen.

I love you, David. I miss you so much. See you later in the great beyond.

Narda Judge, wife & best friend - August 06, 2018 at 04:40 AM

JJ

It is Spring, a time for new beginnings. I couldn't resist taking pictures of the clouds today, an addiction shared with my father in times gone by. He always looked beyond-- beyond himself, beyond the sky, beyond tomorrow (or yesterday, depending on one's perspective)-- and some took his seeming absence as an affront, but that man was the most grounded and connected person I have ever met. It is a strange thing to be grown and still feel a child, intrigued by and expectant of each dawn's new glimmer on the horizon, lost in wonder. As I begin my 45th year, I remember my father. When we meet again I have so much to tell you.

Joshua Judge - March 29, 2019 at 10:24 PM

CJ

“ You would have been 67 yesterday, dear Dave, and catching up to me once again. Miss you much, my brother.

Chris Judge - November 02, 2017 at 10:21 PM



“ It's your birthday, Davey and I'm thinking of you and how greatly we miss you.

Chris

Chris Judge - November 01, 2016 at 11:43 PM



“ Thinking of you, Dave. Really miss you.

Chris

Chris Judge - September 17, 2016 at 12:52 AM

CJ

“ Thinking of you again on your birthday, Davey. Miss you much.

Chris

Christopher E. Judge - November 01, 2015 at 03:00 PM

CJ

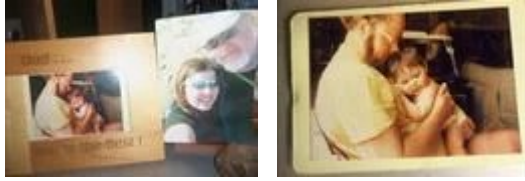
“ Miss you, Dave. Still can't believe you're gone.

Chris

Christopher E. Judge - June 22, 2015 at 01:25 AM



“ Happy Father's Day my sweet Abba. I was so lucky to have you as my father for as long as I did. I love you and miss you tremendously! ❤️



Sarai Judge - June 21, 2015 at 04:43 PM

DJ

“ I love you David and missyou.
God chose you to venture forward
To recieve us

Donald Judge - February 22, 2015 at 02:30 AM

KR

“ Mr. Judge was one of the best inspirations in my life. I'm just incredibly heart broken. This man changed my life and gave me the greatest confidence. He was the only teacher who believed in me and made me feel like I could do anything I set my heart on. I had him for 2 classes, biology and anatomy and he made class so interesting. I owe him my success in school. I'm going to miss him so much. I wish I had the chance to say goodbye. I give my greatest condolences to his family and friends. The world lost an incredible human being, but he will live on through the successes and inspirations of the lives he's made an impact on.



krissy - August 25, 2013 at 04:21 AM

DJ

Yes David inspired us to be who we can be
thank you on behalf of our family
His passing seems more a dreadful nightmare than reality
Reading your words brings comfort
Thank you God bless
Please pass on his love of encouragement

Donald Judge - February 22, 2015 at 02:37 AM

SB

“ *Shanwa Blanton lit a candle in memory of David Charles Judge*



Shanwa Blanton - August 09, 2013 at 03:28 PM

SB

“ *My condolences to the Judge family. I met Mr Judge in 1992 at Arlington High School and he was a blessing to me during a time in my life when I needed wisdom and guidance. As a teacher, he made learning fun and as a friend he was always willing to lend an ear. Although I lost touch over the last few years I still reflect on much of his experance and advice he has shares with me. He will surely be missed in the world. He was a special man with a big heart. I am greatful that I was able to know him.*

Best wishes to the family in the comeing weeks. I hope his life and living brings you warm memories and smiles.

Shawna (Bass) Blanton

Shanwa Blanton - August 09, 2013 at 03:22 PM



“ *There are so many things to say about my father. He was always there for me, my number one fan and supporter. With each day that passes without him is another heartbreak I have to deal with. I miss him with every minute that slowly ticks by. I'm taking his memory with me every single day of my life. I'll see him again soon. I love you and miss you tremendously Abba....*

I've set up a page for remembering the wonderful and amazing life of my dear Father. For those who knew him, knew of him; please share your thoughts, love, memories, etc. Feel free to like it to help honor my father's legacy

<http://www.facebook.com/RememberingDavidJudge>



Sarai Judge - August 08, 2013 at 08:55 PM

NW

“ On behalf of our family, thank you for your kind thoughts, messages, memories and pictures. I will share them at our family memorial gathering in San Leandro this Sat., Aug. 10, 2013. I will check for others throughout the next month. Also, there will be a memorial held in David's honor at Arlington High School in Riverside, CA on Saturday, Sept. 7, 2013. .Please check with the school closer to that date for additional information. Family, friends, RUSD colleagues, students and their families will be there to share their favorite "Mr. Judge/David stories." There will be a "memories" album for adding your written thoughts, stories, photos, and drawings.
FYI, he saved every card, note, e-mail, and other remembrances from his students.

If you would like to contact me personally, please send me an e-mail at:
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Narda Judge,
David's wife and best friend for over 40 years.

Narda Judge, David's Wife - August 07, 2013 at 12:54 AM

SO

“ To Narda and Family,
Sorry for your loss. I had the privilege of working with David for the last 5 years. He was my friend and there will not be a day that I won't miss seeing him. David was our "go to guy" at school. There were dozens of times that I and other faculty members went to David for help and advice. If we were asked a question that we could not answer, we sought out David and got the answer from him. I will miss his e-mails that he sent out, because his linguistic skills were unmatched by anyone else. David was a great teacher, and an even greater friend. I will miss him more than words can express.

Steve Oster

Steve Oster - August 06, 2013 at 08:14 PM

NJ

David had high regard for you, too, Steve. I look forward to meeting you at his memorial on Sept. 7. I know how it is difficult to get past expecting David to be just a room or e-mail away. I will enjoy hearing more "David stories". Linda and Sheri have called and told me some. They make me smile and laugh -- we had so many good and funny experiences with him. Narda

Narda Judge - August 08, 2013 at 02:28 AM



“ To Narda and family,

So sorry for you loss.

Devorah

Devorah Merwitz - August 04, 2013 at 08:14 AM

NW

Good to hear from you, Devorah. Just finished sitting "shiva" so I'll reconnect with you soon. B'shalom, Narda

Narda Judge, David's Wife - August 07, 2013 at 01:04 AM

LE

“ My sincere condolences to the Judge Family and may Jehovah God comfort them. Acts 24:15, Psalms 37:11

L E - August 04, 2013 at 12:22 AM

NW

Your condolences are very heartfelt. Thank you. Narda Judge

Narda Judge, David's Wife - August 07, 2013 at 01:14 AM

DV

“ David Judge was the best teacher ever. He always made me laugh. He told great stories and told great life lessons. I had him as a teacher freshmen year and I made sure to always visit his room during my sophomore year . Now going into my junior year, I will miss him greatly. I learned so much from Mr. Judge and I will never forget a teacher like him.

Destyni Vega - August 03, 2013 at 06:36 PM

NW

Mr. Judge never realized how many students he inspired through his teaching. He would be so happy to know that he and his teaching made a difference! I'm sure he's watching over you, cheering you on to continue your education and be happy and successful throughout your life. Mrs. Judge

Narda Judge, David's Wife - August 07, 2013 at 01:12 AM



“ 4 files added to the album Mr.Judge



Jonathan Linden - August 02, 2013 at 12:31 AM



Great photos, Jonathan. We don't have any of him at school. He didn't like posing for the yearbook. I will add them to our memory album. Are you related to Caleb? I mentioned the photos to him, too. Mrs. Judge

Narda Judge, David's Wife - August 07, 2013 at 01:20 AM



Yes, I am Caleb's brother. I'm glad I decided to take the random shots. I'll really miss him this year, I would always stay after class like my brother and talk about various topics.

Jonathan Linden - August 11, 2013 at 07:45 PM



“ Mr. Judge was one of the most influential teachers of my high school career and he will be missed. I always appreciated our chats after school and his sense of humor. I am glad I made time to see him when visiting home this past spring.

-Caleb Linden
(Class of 2006)

Caleb Linden - August 01, 2013 at 04:47 AM



Wonderful memories and photos! I know he appreciated your chats, too. You do him proud. Mrs. Judge

Narda Judge, David's Wife - August 07, 2013 at 01:00 AM



Caleb, it's Krissy from AGS...I didn't realize you had Mr. Judge as your professor too! I'm so broken hearted. He was an amazing teacher. He is my biggest inspiration. I'm going to miss him very much.

krissy - August 25, 2013 at 05:01 AM