



## Alvin G. West

March 14, 1974 - November 26, 2023

Alvin G. West, 49, of West Mifflin, died Sunday November 26, 2023. He was born March 14, 1974 in McKeesport, the son of Alvin J. West of West Mifflin and the late LuAnn (Davis) West.

Al was a lover of life! He especially shared a love of helping animals with his partner in crime, Stephanie. He often gave to a local animal shelter called FurAllKittys. In lieu of flowers, please consider continuing his legacy by donating to them today! [Furallkittys.org](http://Furallkittys.org)

Alvin was an extraordinary trivia novice, often beating the best Jeopardy contestants to the question. So good, that his father-in-law often accused Al of cheating. He also enjoyed playing strategy games with his best friends. A night out often included trivia nights around the Burg.

Al had such a bright sense of humor, always with a smirk on his face. Everyone loved Al and Al loved everyone. He was such a kind gentleman, always a person to lend a hand, give a one-up to someone in need or to make sure everyone at dinner was fed.

Scratch offs? No problem. Even the tickets he would give as gifts were often winners. Really.

You could always find Al with a pint of diet Turner's Tea and a dip of chew. In fact, he is probably kicking back and beginning his annual movie marathon of A Christmas Story on TBS with a big pizza and Turner's by his side.

Vacations, dinners and nights out were always so much fun! He always had a witty punchline or a wise guy crack of a joke.

He was especially adored by his nephew, Riv. They affectionately referred to each other as "Chickenhead" as they battled back and forth for the win.

Most of all, Alvin loved and served his best friend and partner, Stephanie, and their three kitties, Tyson, Daniel Tiger and Binx.

Alvin was employed as a supervisor for CVS Caremark Specialty Pharmacy and was a member of Ardara Evangelical Presbyterian Church. In addition to his mother he is preceded in death by his father-in-law Samuel K. McCune III. In addition to his father he is survived by his wife Stephanie L. (McCune) West; his brothers John West (Melissa) of Richmond VA and Michael West (Ashley Minech) of West Mifflin; his mother-in-law Sherry McCune of North Huntingdon; brothers-in-law Steve and Scott McCune (Louise) his many nieces and nephews, Kaleb and Kylie West, Olivia West, River and Wren Bhavnani-McCune, Cameron Davis, and Grayson West; his God children Maurya and Emerson Webb; and his aunts, uncles, and numerous cousins.

The family would like to give their appreciation and thanks to the tireless and compassionate staff in the CTICU at Presbyterian Hospital, especially the nurses who took such good care of Al over the past month.

Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Friday December 1, at the William Snyder Funeral Home, 521 Main Street, Irwin, 724-863-1200. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday December 2, in the funeral

home with Pastor Glenn Meyers officiating.

For online condolences please visit [www.snyderfuneralservices.com](http://www.snyderfuneralservices.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 1. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

William Snyder Funeral Home, Inc.  
521 Main Street  
Irwin, PA 15642  
(724) 863-1200  
<https://williamsnyderfuneralhome.com/>

## Visitation

DEC 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

DEC 2. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

RS

“ Hello Stephanie, it's Roberta Snyder from Marshall Dennehey, the Pittsburgh office, I am very sorry for your loss.

Roberta A Snyder - December 08, 2023 at 03:43 PM

NM

“ Always a sweet guy. We are lucky to have known you , Al! You will surely be missed. Rest with God. Keep watching over Steph!

Love, Joe and Nath



Nath Maygar - December 01, 2023 at 01:54 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Alvin G. West.

December 01, 2023 at 01:36 PM

DK

“ Stephanie, I offer you my deep sympathy on your great loss of a wonderful husband and friend. How very heart breaking. You are in my prayers and I'm sure Al is sending you his loving prayers from heaven.

Darleen

Darleen Koury - December 01, 2023 at 11:45 AM

YT

“ Your Ricoh Teammates purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Alvin G. West.



Your Ricoh Teammates - December 01, 2023 at 08:43 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Alvin G. West.



November 29, 2023 at 10:35 PM

IB

“ Sweet Stephanie, I have known Al a long time and he always called me Mrs. Boda and always so pleasant. I am having a hard time with your loss because it has brought back so many memories to me of my hubby, Ern and his illness. You now have 2 angels watching over you in heaven. Love you!!

Irma Boda - November 29, 2023 at 06:17 PM

TH

“ I worked with Al at AAA for many years. He was one of the nicest people in a very stressful job position. He smiled even when he had tough days. I was glad to have known such a beautiful soul. Rest on Al.

Tammy Hrabic - November 29, 2023 at 05:19 AM

JH

“ I worked with Alvin at both Dish Network and at CVS. I always enjoyed my interactions with him at work. Jim

James hoey - November 28, 2023 at 10:30 PM

SB

“ Alvin & I worked hand and hand every Wednesday until we moved to the new center October 2022 . That was my main man and he always told me "Savannah all you can do is your best and finish tomorrow" I am going to miss him ☐

Savannah Bowman - November 28, 2023 at 10:11 PM

EK

Stephanie, I'm so sorry to hear of Al's passing. He was such a pleasant man to be with. My thoughts & prayers are with you & your family. Wishing you Peace in these difficult times. 💖

Elaine Kushner - November 29, 2023 at 01:44 PM

JC

Dear Alvin and family I am so saddened to hear of little Alvin's passing. Brings back memories of Tina and me coming to visit you and Luann on 7th street and Alvin would have me off playing with his toys. He was a wonderful kid as I am sure he was in life. My prayers for the West and Davis families. Joe Costello

Joe Costello - December 01, 2023 at 09:26 AM

AM

“ I'm so sorry, Stephanie. I hope your memories with Al bring you comfort.

April McCune - November 28, 2023 at 08:25 PM

RD

“ Robert, Valerie, Ava, and Cameron Davis planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Alvin G. West.

Robert, Valerie, Ava, and Cameron Davis - November 28, 2023 at 05:46 PM



“ Al was one of the best managers I ever had. His kindness overflowed to those around him. Sending love to his family and friends during this difficult time.

Angela Cook - November 28, 2023 at 05:34 PM

EL

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Al's passing. I had the pleasure of working with him several years ago. He never refused when I needed help. I can still hear him saying "you got it." Such a loss!

Elaine Lafferty - November 28, 2023 at 02:26 PM

RW

“ RENEE WRIGHT planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Alvin G. West.

RENEE WRIGHT - November 28, 2023 at 12:37 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Alvin G. West.



November 28, 2023 at 12:37 PM

PZ

“ Polly Zastawnik lit a candle in memory of Alvin G. West



Polly Zastawnik - November 28, 2023 at 10:47 AM

PZ

Stephanie my thoughts and prayers are with you, I am so sorry for your loss.

Polly Zastawnik - November 28, 2023 at 10:48 AM

VD

I paused for a silent moment in pray for the family. Your co-worker Veronica Richburg-Davis

Veronica Richburg Davis - December 01, 2023 at 09:40 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Alvin G. West.



November 28, 2023 at 10:31 AM

JC

“ JOY CLARK sent a virtual gift in memory of Alvin G. West



JOY CLARK - November 28, 2023 at 09:55 AM

DD

“ Doreen D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Alvin G. West.

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**Doreen D.** - November 28, 2023 at 07:44 AM