



## Arthur S. Rupert

July 31, 1962 - June 23, 2026

Arthur "Scott" Rupert, age 63, of New Bethlehem, formerly of Strattanville, passed away on Tuesday, June 23, 2026, at UPMC Hamot Hospital in Erie due to health complications.

He was born on July 31, 1962, in Brookville. Scott was one of four children of the late Arthur G. and Polly S. Guiher Rupert.

He was a graduate of Clarion-Limestone High School.

Scott worked for Neiswonger Construction in Strattanville for many years, operating heavy equipment and driving trucks until he retired.

He was a member of the Clarion Moose Lodge #101, where he always enjoyed stopping by to sign the books and have a beer with his buddies. Scott also loved spending time with his family, especially his daughter and granddaughter, and being outdoors, riding back roads in his side-by-side and truck.

He leaves behind his beloved daughter and best friend, Zora Mercer, and her husband, Mikey, of New Bethlehem, as well as his adored granddaughter, Peyton Mercer, also of New Bethlehem.

Scott also leaves behind his sister, Vicki Johnson of Strattanville; a niece, Lacy Johnson of New Bethlehem; two nephews, Raleigh Johnson and Zhiyi Wu of Maryland, and Jesse Werner of Strattanville; and numerous close friends.

In addition to his parents, Scott was preceded in death by his sister, Brenda Werner, and his brother, Rusty Rupert.

The Robert V. Burns Funeral Home in Clarion has the distinct honor of serving the family, and cremation care has been entrusted to the RV Burns Crematorium, Inc.

A celebration of life will be held from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, June 27, 2026, at Clarion Moose Lodge #101, 401 Grand Avenue Ext, Clarion, PA 16214.

# Upcoming Events

## Celebration of Life

JUN 27. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Clarion Moose Lodge #101  
401 Grand Avenue Ext  
Clarion, PA 16214

# Tribute Wall

MI

“ *Scotty and I had many cool conversations when I was bartending at the moose. I'll miss him. RIP scott*💕

misty - 1 hour ago



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Arthur S. Rupert.

1 hour ago



“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Scott's passing. My deepest sympathies to Vicki and all of Scott's family and loved ones. The Ruperts' friendship has always been such a blessing to our family. Sincerely, Diane Deffenbaugh.*

Diane Deffenbaugh - 2 hours ago

NG

“ *Scott was one of the nicest people that I have ever known. FLY HIGH SCOTT*

NANCY J GREEN - 2 hours ago

DG

“ *David Gabrovsek purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Arthur S. Rupert.*



David Gabrovsek - 3 hours ago



“ *worked with scott and went school with him gd guy jeff atkinson* ”

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**Jeff Atkinson** - 3 hours ago