

GER03

David Gertz

Individual Summary: **David Gertz**
16 Mar 1945 - 28 Sep 2007



Sex: Male
Father: Samuel Gertz
Mother: Betty Spector

Individual Facts:

Birth: Mar 16, 1945 in Philadelphia, PA
Address: 1950 in 2127 Unrah St.; Philadelphia, Pa
Bar Mitzvah: Apr 19, 1958 in Congregation Beth Emeth; Philadelphia, Pa
Military Serial Number: Sep 16, 1965 ; US52647693
Military Service: Bet. Sep 16, 1965–Sep 7, 1971 ; U.S. Army (SP4) - Honorable Discharge
Address: 1985 in 9200 New Bustleton Av - #2502; Philadelphia, PA 19115
Address: 1989 in 450 Byberry Rd - Apt I90; Philadelphia, Pa 19116
Address: 2000 in 75 N. Valle Verde Dr. #1722; Henderson, NV 89074
Death: Sep 28, 2007 in Newtown, PA
Burial: Sep 30, 2007 in Shalom Memorial Park
Cause Of Death: Brain Cancer (Agent Orange)
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Shared Facts: **[unknown spouse]**

Children [no facts]
 [no children]

Notes:

Person Notes: **FOLDER**

6th Grade Cert, Birth Cert, Birth Registration, Death Cert, Drivers License - NV, Military DD-214, Military Honorable Discharge, Military ID, Obituary, Selective Service Card & University ID

PHOTOS

Album "A" - A03, A06, A07, A28
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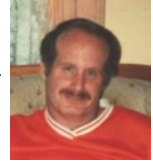
NOTES:

1) David **NEVER** felt pain. At dentist visits, he never requested Novacain. He was a **VERY** short tempered man. I (ELE07) once touched his new 1970 convertible and yelled so loud the neighbors thought that a murder was occurring.

2) When David was a young boy, his hero was "Superman". One day he tied a bath towel around his neck as a cape, climbed up on shed roof and leaped off trying to fly. He of course fell, landed on his side bracking his arm. He walked home and told his mother that he hurt his arm. He said that there was no pain, but his arm was twisted to the point that his mother screamed and they rushed him to the hospital.

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3) David spent a year in Viet-Nam. While there he came into contact with Agent Orange. In 2007, it developed into Brain Cancer and eventually killed him. The VA agreed with his diagnosis 4 months before he died, but by that time it was too late. Viet-Nam also changed his life, He never spoke of it except for 1 story. He said that he (his unit) was sent in to burn a village. 2 months later, the Army rebuilt the village with metal Q Huts and modern living conditions. 3 months later, the Army destroyed the village with Artillery. All within a 7 month period. David said that Army logic was insane and he never spoke of it again.

4) David never married or dated. If he was Gay; he never spoke about it. When asked about his "woman" life, he would snap and shut the conversation down. I (ELE07) believe that David had the same Genetic issues as myself, but I didn't have myself tested till 2019.