



# Daniel "Danny" P. Yau

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**D**anny P. Yau of Spotsylvania County, VA passed away Monday, September 8, 2025 at his home.

Danny leaves behind his best friend and loving wife of 43 years, Gwen Yau; his devoted daughters, Ashley Yau (Wells Sherman), and Courtney Yau; his mother Tomiko Yau; his brothers, Tommy Yau and Hoover Yau; and his beloved dog, Kuma. Additionally, he will be missed by his brother-in-law, Steve Goff and his wife, Hilda; sister-in-law, Donna Baker and her husband, Dennis; and his nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, Hoover Yau; and brother, Francis Yau.

Danny's professional journey was diversified, including owning and managing a restaurant, garage door and excavation company.

In his life, Danny found joy in traveling with his family as well as landscaping and gardening, but his real passion was cooking for everyone. His kindness, generosity, and joy of cooking will be remembered by all who knew him. He will be deeply missed by many who loved him and his memory will live on in our hearts.

Danny's life was honored by immediate family in a private service.

In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to your local SPCA as he was an avid animal lover.



## Tribute Wall

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**Vincent Spampanato** posted:

Sending Lots of Love, To Gwen , Daughters and family... Danny and I go back to 1980s New York City... He was My Best Pal....Danny was a True Friend to all who knew him ...Everyone sends their Love...Danny always shared how much he Loved his Family....Lots of Wonderful memories... Even Now I can hear him/his Laugh. Vinny.

September 16 at 1:05 PM



**Hilda F. Goff** posted:

Our hearts go out to your family. Danny was generous to others especially through his culinary skills. His laugh was contagious and always left us smiling.He will live forever in the hearts of his family and friends.Steve & Hilda ❤️

September 16 at 12:26 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Daniel "Danny" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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