



## Dr. Dallas Brozik

March 15, 1950 - May 15, 2021

Dr. Dallas Brozik, PhD., died Saturday, May 15, 2021. He was a retired Professor Emeritus from Marshall University and a Nuclear Polaris Submarine Navy Engineer veteran. He leaves his wife, Doris, of 47 years. According to his wishes, there will be no public services. Henson & Kitchen Mortuary, 6357 E. Pea Ridge Road, Huntington, WV 25705 is caring for the family. Online condolences and memories may be shared with the family by visiting [www.hensonandkitchen.com](http://www.hensonandkitchen.com)

# Comments

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“ On a whim, I just Googled Dr. Brozik and sadly learned of his passing in May 2021. He was my favorite professor at Marshall and the reason I ventured off to the University of South Carolina for my MBA. I concur with the comments below about what a hard and challenging professor he was - BUT if he knew that you were putting in the effort, he was your biggest fan and supporter. Blessings to his family!  
Jill Parsons, Marshall '91; USC '94

**Jill Parsons** - January 08 at 08:17 PM

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“ Dr. Brozik was always a shark and never a lemming. If you know you know. God bless.

**Lee Vickers** - December 07, 2021 at 04:01 PM

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“ I was very saddened with the news of Dr. Brozik's passing when I randomly pulled up the herald Dispatch obituary page back in May. I took several of his Finance classes many years ago in the latter 80's. I have often thought of him over the years and especially the last few. I wanted to let him know what he had meant to me as a student and for his tenacious ability to prepare us for life and our careers. I wish I had not put this off as I did...I will always regret not being able to tell him thanks. As the previous tribute from Mr. Burke states, I am privileged to have known this fine man. I know I speak for his former students with this close, Dr. Brozik we love you and we always will..

Tom Templeton

**Tom Templeton** - June 09, 2021 at 02:58 PM

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“ I was a student of Dr brozick's many years ago. This evening I just found that he had passed as I was searching for him because I wanted to write a letter and tell him that I retired this year and that he had contributed more to my career than any other professor I had known. Although I had not seen him the last 18 years, I considered him a friend and he played a significant part in my life. I am privileged to have known this fine man.

**Dennie Burke** - June 08, 2021 at 10:10 PM



“ My family and I are heartbroken that ‘our Dallas’ is gone, and these meager words don’t even scratch the surface to explain how fortunate we are to have been part of Dallas’ life. From the first moment I arrived on campus and met Dallas, he extended the hand of friendship. He embodied & exemplified all that is good and decent and kind about a man, a teacher, and a friend. Through the years he has taught me so much about how to be successful in academia, at Marshall, and at life. I’ll miss his wit & humor, his hearty laugh at a good joke, his ire at an idiotic policy. Dallas lived life with boldness and courage. His patriotism was infectious, and he told me more than once that ‘if everyone just lived by the rules, life would be so much easier’. He would stand and fight by your side if your cause was just. He probably took more pleasure than needed to keep university administration living by the rules, but he often told me he did it because someone had to protect the faculty, the students, and our beloved University. Dallas was our sword & shield for our country and at Marshall, but it was only an extension of his real self: a warrior for good. We love you, Dallas, and we’ll miss you, but you will live forever with us.  
~ Robin & Tim McCutcheon

**Robin M** - May 21, 2021 at 06:23 AM

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“ My heart and prayers are with you Doris and all the family. He was such a wonderful man I will always remember the good times we had. Love you Jackie

**jackie Mathley** - May 20, 2021 at 04:40 PM

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“ So hard to comprehend.. He never tried to be Dad, he just loved us girls as his own and loved our mother with all his being.  
I will forever miss him, his wisdom and advice. Love you Dallas

**Ann** - May 20, 2021 at 04:03 PM

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“ Dear Doris,

I am so sorry to hear of Dallas' passing. He was a force of nature and I miss him. He was a champion of truth, justice, and honesty as a member of the Marshall faculty. He always championed faculty rights and required an honest evaluation new directions and policies. You could always tell the students who had made a presentation in his class. They were the ones better prepared and gave the best presentations.

May God comfort you at this challenging time.

Rick and Hilary Weible

**Ricky J Weible** - May 19, 2021 at 09:58 PM

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“ Dallas was a fighter, a fellow who took no prisoners when it came to holding MU's administrators accountable. I always respected him for that as I am one who did the same during my years at MU. Dallas was A good man. Rest well, Buddy.

**Joe Wyatt** - May 19, 2021 at 06:31 PM

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“ Doris, I am shocked and saddened. Dallas was my sincere friend and professional colleague since 1991. He was a man of honor, and he won the respect and admiration of everyone for his hard work and dedication to academic excellence, professionalism, and efficient service to his students, the community, and the country. He will be greatly missed for his academic excellence, friendly personality, and sense of humor by his friends, colleagues, and students. There are no words that can express my deepest sorrow and feel of loss. Please accept deepest sympathy from me, Lucy, Ania, and Magdalena. With sincere sympathy, I remain, Yours, Alina Zapalska

**Alina M. Zapalska** - May 19, 2021 at 02:18 PM

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“ Dallas was well respected at Marshall and will be missed. I have fond memories of talking to Dallas (and you, Doris) in my backyard. As recently as two weeks ago, I had two alumni tell me that Dr. Brozik was their best professor while at Marshall. That made me feel really good for him. I wish I had reached out to share that with Dallas.

My sympathies to the family on your loss and our loss.

Jerry Gilbert  
President of Marshall

Jerome Gilbert - May 19, 2021 at 01:45 PM

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“ Hello Doris and Family,

Dallas was a good man who worked hard to make the world a better place. I will miss him. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Warmest regards, James Sottile

James Sottile - May 18, 2021 at 10:00 PM

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“ My deepest sympathy Doris & family. So deeply sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to you & will be in our prayers.  
Karen Peterson & Ty Ozburn

Karen Peterson - May 18, 2021 at 08:06 PM

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“ Dallas, you were a Great Stepdad. You did so much for me through all these years. I loved hearing your stories & your knowledge was beyond remarkable. I got to see places that I would have never been able to see if it wasn't for you. I also got to eat things I never even heard of. I will miss you! Cheers to you! Love Renee

Renee Dede - May 18, 2021 at 01:20 PM

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“ The best professor that I ever had. I was a tutor at Marshall and students would ask, “who’s the best to take for finance?” I would always have to ask, “do you mean the easiest or the best? Because hands down, Dr. Brozik is the best, but definitely not the easiest.” I had to work hard to get my B in my very first finance class, but in the next class that I had, a different professor asked if I had Dr Brozik for principles because it was obvious based on what I knew that I had a strong foundation and that has carried me through many years. I’m saddened that my kids won’t be able to learn principles. Heartfelt sympathies to his family.

**Christy Lewis** - May 18, 2021 at 12:31 PM

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“ Dr. Brozik was one of the smartest people I ever met and will be greatly missed. His passion for finance was immense and the effect he had on me before I started my career in finance cannot be understated. He taught all of his students so much about finance, business, random facts, and life in general. He was a great man and I wish his family and loved ones nothing but the best.

**Noah** - May 18, 2021 at 11:53 AM

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“ Doris and Family. I am so sorry for your loss. Sending prayers. Todd

**todd** - May 18, 2021 at 11:16 AM

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“ The smartest man I will ever know. Taught me more things (some useful - some needless trivia) than I can count... It is not easy being the stepdad of three Irish daughters, but you did it with love and compassion and we love you for that. You will be missed but I know you are now pain free and enjoying a glass of fine wine, which by the way knowing how to properly taste wine is one of the things you taught me. :-)

**Kerri O'Rourke-Robinson** - May 17, 2021 at 02:31 PM



“ Doris - we are sorry to hear of Dallas' passing. We did not know him, but his tributes speak to what a fine person he was. Our prayers and sympathy are with you.

Lois and Pat O'Rourke

**Lois O'Rourke** - May 19, 2021 at 12:14 PM



“ A smart, funny, and principled man, gone too soon. Had many interesting and insightful discussions with him over the years at Marshall.

**Dan Holbrook** - May 19, 2021 at 01:26 PM



“ I am very sorry to read of the passing of Dallas.. he was a warrior with common sense!! I appreciated his input and his passion for making MU a better place... David Mallory, Professor Emeritus, Department of Biological Sciences

**david s mallory** - May 19, 2021 at 01:32 PM



“ I will miss my discussions with Dallas, he was a fantastic person to work with and he contributed enormously to my training in administrative tasks. His encyclopedic knowledge was always welcome.

**Philippe Georgel** - May 19, 2021 at 02:08 PM



“ I am sorry to hear of the passing of Dallas. I considered him a good friend and colleague. He always stood up for what he thought was right. I miss his insight into issues at the college.

Dennis Emmett

**Dennis Emmett** - May 20, 2021 at 08:04 AM



“ Doris - I pray that your sadness and sense of loss will gradually be replaced by the fondest of memories. I appreciated Dallas so much for his commitment to Marshall and his profession. I admired him for his love of his family and his students. I am grateful for his friendship.

Bob Simpson

**Bob Simpson** - May 20, 2021 at 09:43 AM



“ Although I haven't seen Dallas in 50 years his presence was a constant in my life. Everyone should be so blessed as to have such a friend, as kind and forgiving as he was wise and talented. My heartfelt sympathy to Doris and the family.

Rose Jacobius

**Rose Jacobius** - June 08, 2021 at 02:15 PM