



Brian L. Krause

March 15, 1945 - April 16, 2006

Brian was raised in Warren, Michigan and spent summers in his youth in Gladwin, Michigan. Brian was a lover of life, who enjoyed Racquetball, woodworking, fine wine, good food, being up-north and photography. He was known for his smile that could light up a room.

Brian was a past member of the Board of Directors Warren Y.M.C.A. and an Army Veteran of the Vietnam War. He was a systems analyst for Daimler/Chrysler for 41 years.

He is survived by his loving wife and best friend Brenda, for 40 years, children; Karl (Nancy) Krause and Nikki (Todd) Hanselman, grandchildren; Alex, Emma, Mary, Madeline and Sam, father; Lester Krause, Brother; Susan (Al) Geoit, brothers-in-law; Ron (Gail) Moore, Danny (Mary) Moore and David (Heather) Moore and sister-in-law, Lana (Bill) Wells, and also survived by 13 nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by her mother Helen Krause.

Previous Events

Service

APR **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township
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Tribute Wall



“ To Brian's family: my sincere condolences and prayers that you are comforted during this time of grief to know that Brian is in a much better place and no longer in any pain. Having worked with Brian for the last 20 years, I always looked up to him and admired his wonderful attitude. He will be greatly missed (and has been missed) by our department. God's Blessings to all of you.##imported-begin##Shelby Rohr##imported-end##

April 24, 2006 at 12:10 PM



“ Brenda, Karl, Nancy, Nicky, Todd,
I was honored to be a part of today's service. Thank You for asking.

3or 4 years ago when Brian decided he no longer wanted to mow the lawn he sold me his brand new lawn mower in favor of hiring a lawn service. The darn thing has been a great mower but after sitting for the first winter it never wanted to come back to life each spring. Steve and I would pull on it for a half an hour or so and it would finally start, for the rest of the summer it would start on the first pull. This happened every spring. Easter Sunday was a pretty spring day and after church my Dad called with the news of Brian's passing. Like most men I took in the news and began to process and find things to do around the house while I thought and prayed for you guys. Since it was so nice out and feeling very seasonally optimistic I decided my first chore was to put away the snow blower and get out the lawn mower, (a sure sign that it will snow again). When I dragged out the lawn mower I was reminded of Brian because it was originally his mower . I gassed it up and prepared myself for another battle with the machine and a sore shoulder for the next week. I pulled hard to start it and much to my surprise it started on the first pull. It was sitting all winter, it should have not even come close to starting on the first pull but I swear to you it did. I looked up into the pretty blue Easter Sunday sky and said "Thanks Brian". Brian is already working up in heaven I thought to myself. I will miss him so much...He took me to my first Kiss concert after all.

Karen says our family parties will never be the same without Brian's shoulder massages!!

I love you all and God Bless.

Larry##imported-begin##Larry Moore##imported-end##

April 20, 2006 at 11:01 PM



“ Brian was my co-worker for many years and in that time I came to appreciate not only the qualities that made him an excellent DCX employee but the qualities that made him a very special person. He was kind, considerate, and quick-witted. He had a wonderful sense of humor and a great laugh which made work life more enjoyable. I'll miss him. My sincere condolences to his family.##imported-begin##Michelle Walters##imported-end##

April 20, 2006 at 10:52 AM



“ My deepest sympathy to Brian's loved ones, family, and friends. Although I did not work with Brian directly at Chrysler, he and I worked on various projects and meeting, etc. Brian was always a fine gentlemen, a hard worker, soft spoken and very easy to get along with. He always had a kind word and very seldom a negative comment. God Bless him. RIP##imported-begin##Jerry Kuczajda##imported-end##

April 19, 2006 at 08:44 PM



“ Ron and Gail
We saddened to learn your of your brother-in-laws passing. Our thoughts and prayers are you and the family..

J.D. and Nancy##imported-begin##J. D. and Nancy
Vlaz##imported-end##

April 18, 2006 at 10:08 PM



“ *Karl and family,
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Please know that I'll have you all
in my thoughts (as I always do), and I'll be hoping that you find
comfort in loved ones who are near and far. If only I were there to
hug and hold you. Take care,
Jaimie Madynski##imported-begin##Jaimie Madynski##imported-
end##*

April 18, 2006 at 05:58 PM



“ *I worked with Brian for several years and always though of him as a
very likeable person, and plesent to be around. His technical
knowledge was vast and he was always there to give help if
needed. I will have him in my thoughts.##imported-begin##Jerry
Watrobski##imported-end##*

April 18, 2006 at 11:59 AM



“ *We would like to extend our heart felt sympathies with all of you
during this sad time.##imported-begin##Paul and Jen
Kotwicki##imported-end##*

April 18, 2006 at 08:08 AM