



Dan S. Kieffner

January 11, 1962 - July 24, 2016

Dateline Jasper, IN

Dan S. Kieffner, age 54 of Jasper, Indiana, passed away at 2:43 p.m. CDT on Sunday (July 24, 2016) at St. Mary's Medical Center in Evansville, Indiana after a 14 year battle with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma leukemia.

Dan was born in Jasper, Indiana on January 11, 1962 to Richard and Marjorie (Trimble) Kieffner, and raised by Richard and Carol (Prechtel) Kieffner. He married Gloria Osgatharp in Terre Haute, Indiana on June 23, 1984.

He attended Rose-Hulman University, where he received his bachelor and master degrees in Electrical Engineering and later received his doctorate in Business Administration from North Central University.

He worked for 32 years at Crane Naval Base.

He was a member of Redemption Christian Church in Jasper, Indiana, where he served as an elder and was very active with the youth ministry.

He loved life and enjoyed reading, traveling, fishing, working in his garden, and working toward his goal of attending a game in every major league baseball stadium.

Surviving;

Wife;

Gloria Kieffner, Jasper, IN

Two Sons;

Gregory Kieffner and fiancé Heather Ferguson, Jasper, Indiana

Andrew Kieffner and wife Jade, Jasper, Indiana

Two Sisters;

Diana Hurt and husband Scott, Evansville, IN

Katrina Buse and husband Scott, Jasper, IN

One Brother;

Gary Kieffner, Texas

Two Half Sisters;

Anne Keneipp, Virginia

Julie Throop, Birdseye, IN

One Half Brother;

Charlie Bowman, Georgia

Honorary Grandchildren;

Hayden, Carrigan, and Harrison Heathco

Nieces and Nephews

Preceding him in death were his parents.

Funeral services for Dan S. Kieffner will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday (July 28, 2016) at Redemption Christian Church of Jasper with burial to follow at St. Paul's Lutheran Church Cemetery in Haysville, IN.

Friends may call from 1:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday (July 27, 2016) at Redemption Christian Church in Jasper, Indiana, and from 9:00 a.m. until the 11:00 a.m. service time at the church on Thursday.

Memorial contributions may be made to Redemption Christian Church or a favorite charity.

Online Condolences may be made at www.becherkluesner.com

Cemetery Details

St. Paul Cemetery Haysville, IN

Haysville

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 27. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Redemption Christian Church of Jasper
1450 Energy Drive
Jasper, IN 47546

Visitation

JUL 28. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

JUL 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Dan S. Kieffner*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *Patricia Dillon lit a candle in memory of Dan S. Kieffner*



Patricia Dillon - August 17, 2016 at 08:15 PM



“ *Gloria and family,
Dan was such a nice, friendly person. I remember when I first met Dan I felt like I had known him forever. He was such a good person and always had such kind words to share. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Patty, Donnie and Jenny Ingle

Patty Ingle - July 28, 2016 at 12:48 PM



“ *Dan was such a great guy. His smile would always light up the room. He will be missed greatly. My deepest sympathy to his family.*

Jayne Porter - July 27, 2016 at 08:15 PM

MS

“ Dear Gloria and family,
There will NEVER be a better example than Dan of a man of tremendous faith and gratitude. His smile was more than contagious as he shared His Savior's love by his kindnesses and appreciation of each day. For him, life's circumstances were opportunities to tell others of his Heavenly Father's greatness and even better plans for life after earth. Dan always will be a very special mentor and dear friend.

May God surround you with wonderful memories and give you comfort as you celebrate Dan's life. Thank you for sharing such a terrific man with us.

Love to you,
John & Miriam Sermersheim

MIRIAM SERMERSHEIM - July 26, 2016 at 02:30 PM

VA

“ Our deepest and sincere sympathy goes out to your family at the passing of your loved one.

Vincennes University Alumni and Foundation Staff

VU Alumni - July 26, 2016 at 10:00 AM

BR

“ Barbara Rasche lit a candle in memory of Dan S. Kieffner



Barbara Rasche - July 26, 2016 at 08:07 AM

BR

Dan was loved by all and his smile will NEVER be forgotten !! Prayers to the Kieffner Family, and God Bless You All !!!

Barbara Rasche - July 26, 2016 at 08:09 AM



“ *Dan was an amazing person. He was always so cheerful and always had a smile on his face! We will all miss him so much. Love, Stephanie.*



Stephanie Gardner - July 26, 2016 at 07:16 AM

CS

“ *Gloria, sorry on your loss, Dan was a wonderful person, and as a kid I could see the love he had for you and the boys. May Gods hand touch you with the loss of Dan. Your old rabbit leg neighbor, chris Satterfield*

chris satterfield - July 26, 2016 at 06:47 AM

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chris satterfield - July 26, 2016 at 06:45 AM

DW

Gloria, I am saddened to hear of Dan's passing. He was a great co-worker and friend, always energetic and interested in both our work related projects and our personal lives. Dan could always find a ray of hope even in the worst of situations. He was a great role model for young people, and offered valued insight to his co-workers. Dan will be missed.

David Woolsey - July 26, 2016 at 07:12 PM

MB

“ *Melissa Blackgrave lit a candle in memory of Dan S. Kieffner*



Melissa Blackgrave - July 26, 2016 at 06:27 AM

SS

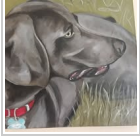
“ *I had the privilege to know Dan thru my wife Gerri. He always greeted you with a smile and had the time to ask you how you were doing . Gloria ,Boy`s, Diana, Katrina,and Gary you have my deepest sympathy. Dan enjoy your life in peace. May God bless your family in this difficult time. Steve Schnaus*

Steve Schnaus - July 25, 2016 at 11:38 PM

RP

“ *My memory of Dan is his big smile to someone he hardly knew, as I am a long distance cousin to his wife. Dan is one of those people who genuinely wants to know you. On my brief and occasional visits I always left feeling like we were the best of friends. We shared a bond. First, our mutual love for Gloria. But, secondly, a mutual love for our Creator. Dan's faith was evident in his actions. We who remain believe in God by faith but Dan gets to believe by sight. I imagine Dan hearing, "Well done, you good and faithful servant" (Matthew 25:21)*

Robyn Pryor - July 25, 2016 at 08:27 PM



“ So very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with your family.

God Bless. Brenda Schmett

Brenda Schmett - July 25, 2016 at 07:42 PM

RH

“ Dan has been a part of the best times of my life. It's hard to imagine arriving at the next family milestone without him. We could always count on Dan. Honesty, I see so much of that in Gregg - I can't remember a time he didn't show up when I needed him even when I didn't ask. It's hard to share from so many memories. But the time that stands out most was sometime in my early 20's before kids, when Dan and I took turns praying for each other on a patio in Patoka. I remember that prayer because it was probably the most honest conversation I've ever heard someone have with God. I didn't know Dan well yet, but right there I knew this guy REALLY believed God was in our midst.

Ryan Heathco - July 25, 2016 at 07:02 PM

CF

“ I remember Dan n Gloria working at McDonald's many yrs ago . I think that's where they actually met .

Dan would come in with that smile wether he wanted to work or not .

I'm gonna miss seeing his smile at church

Rest in peace Dan

My sympathy to the Family

Sincerely Charlene Fuhrman

charlene fuhrman - July 25, 2016 at 06:35 PM