



## Daniel Joseph Bonacorsi

May 8, 1964 - April 4, 2023

Bonacorsi, Daniel Joseph, April 4, 2023 age 58 of Plymouth. Beloved husband of Laura. Loving father of Alex (Gina), John, Kenna, Roman, and Mario Bonacorsi. Proud grandfather of Vincent. Beloved brother to David (Kimberly) Bonacorsi, and Donna (Jeff) O'Malley. Dear son of the late: John and Gloria Bonacorsi, and dear son-in-law of John and Theresa Buffone. Loving brother-in-law of John (Michelle) Buffone, and Kim (Ricky) Smith. Also survived by many loving nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, and cousins. Arrangements entrusted to Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home, Plymouth. Interment Friday, April 14, at Great Lakes National Cemetery, 4200 Belford Road, Holly, MI 48442. Please arrive to the cemetery by 12 noon, honors will begin at 12:30 PM sharp. The Bonacorsi family requests that no additional flowers be sent, as the cemetery does not permit flowers during services. To share a memory, please use the share a memory tab on this webpage.

# Cemetery Details

## Great Lakes National Cemetery

4200 Belford Road  
Holly, MI 48442

# Previous Events

## Committal Service

APR **14**. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Holly, MI 48442

# Tribute Wall



“ *Daniel Joseph Bonacorsi*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *Lisa Marie Prysock lit a candle in memory of Daniel Joseph Bonacorsi*



**Lisa Marie Prysock** - April 27, 2023 at 05:39 PM



“ *I am so sad hearing of Dan's passing. He was such a true servant at Northridge Church. When I first joined the church in 2017, I would sit in the balcony and he was the first person that I saw at the door with his giant smile welcoming everyone. When I served at Guest Services for the 2019 Glory of Christmas I recall him talking to me at the door about his daughter playing Mary in GOC. He said he would always get nervous with her flying in the air, but knew that she was in God's hands. Gone too soon! I extend my deepest condolences to the Bonacorsi family.*

**Lisa Marie Prysock** - April 27, 2023 at 05:34 PM



“ *I am very sad to see this news. May you feel the Lord's comfort during your very deep sadness. God bless.*

**Colleen Elliott** - April 25, 2023 at 09:12 AM

TC

“ I served with Danny on Henry Clay SSBN 625 Blue in the early 80s. We got to joke around a few times back in the Engineroom. He was always a pleasant guy even in those tough circumstances being underway. Tom Carr (aka Eddy) Nuke MM2

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**Thomas Carr** - April 20, 2023 at 09:41 AM

SK

“ Dan always had a smile on his face, a firm grip for a handshake, and a funny story or joke to tell me. He was such a light and the coolest husband/father anyone could ever hope or pray for in this life. Dan took time to ask about me, my wife, my job, my LIFE because he cared. His heart was bigger than the world, and I will miss his "heh, heh, heh, heh" laugh like no other. God took him Home because he needed another angel to keep fighting this dark world, May Dan enjoy dancing on streets of gold with Jesus, where I know I will see him one day. We love you and miss you, Danny Boy. With Love and Prayers for your entire family: Ann and Steve King (Mrs. Claus and the Big Fat Guy in the Red Suit)

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**Stephen W. King** - April 18, 2023 at 02:19 PM

JA

“*Dave and I had not known Dan long but are grateful we had the chance to meet him on this side of heaven! He was so kind, friendly and so funny. Dave was looking forward to spending time with him fishing again this summer. We are so shocked and saddened by his passing. Know that we are keeping you and your children in our prayers. I’m sorry we did not have a chance to connect with you on Friday to relay our condolences in person. There were a LOT of people there! It was very obvious by the sheer number of people at his committal service, how known and loved Dan was! He will be missed. The Albrecht family is for you and holding you up to the Father in prayer. May you know the comforting hand of God in this time.*

*Dave and Jennifer Albrecht*

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**Jennifer Albrecht** - April 16, 2023 at 08:48 AM

DM

“*Dan was always such a joy to be around. I couldn’t be sad when I saw him. I loved serving with him in marriage ministry as well. He always had some wisdom that made us laugh. I loved listening to his stories. His love for his family and life was contagious. Dan will be missed!*

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**Deidre Myers** - April 15, 2023 at 09:37 PM

BP

“*Dan made a difference and he will be remembered. Such a kind and fun guy to be around. I’m so incredibly sorry for your loss.*

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**Blake Powell** - April 14, 2023 at 09:43 AM

JG

“ I am proud to say that I met Dan, served with Dan, shared a meal, learned from him, and considered him a true friend and shipmate. Rest easy brother.



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**Jose Gonzalez** - April 12, 2023 at 11:08 AM

AK

“ My favorite thing about Dan was how silly he was. I'd always catch him doing something goofy during house church and it would always make me laugh especially when I wasn't supposed to. I know he's so happy with Jesus right now but he will be greatly missed! Much love to the Bonacorsi family- it breaks my heart you have to experience this ❤️

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**Abigail Kimball** - April 11, 2023 at 06:06 PM

AK

“ Dearest Laura & all family-  
We can't say enough how deep our grief is for the tragic loss of Dan.  
He was one of the kindest, most loving, jovial, positive and selfless people we ever knew.  
We always loved seeing him serving in the south entrance hallway on Sunday mornings- always greeting us with that sunshine smile and a huge hug!

He is held close in our hearts, as well as each of you, during this very tender and difficult time.

We will miss Dan very much.

We send our deepest sympathy & love to you-  
Ann & Stephen King

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Ann & Stephen King - April 11, 2023 at 01:53 PM

JP

“ Dan was such a gentle, loving, kindhearted man. He loved his family. He loved to bring joy to others. He always had a smile on his face. He will be greatly missed by all. I'm so sorry for the pain you are going through. I pray the Holy Spirit to comfort you all.  
Love,  
The Pokerwinski's  
Jeff, Joi, Peyton, Riley, McKenna & Amber

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Joi Pokerwinski - April 11, 2023 at 07:18 AM

MH

“ I was very close with Dan and his family growing up in Detroit. From the family get togethers to the numerous hunting trips.

*I am so sorry to hear about this tragedy. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family. He will be missed by all.*

*Mike Hachigian*

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**Mike Hachigian** - April 10, 2023 at 02:26 PM

DG

“ DENISE GULLEY lit a candle in memory of Daniel Joseph Bonacorsi



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**DENISE GULLEY** - April 10, 2023 at 09:53 AM

RB

“ There are no words that can truly express the shock and the sadness of losing a good friend. He was always happy to greet, to help and be uplifting when you were down, especially if you were a kid.

My daughter was feeling blue because her dad was out of the state and couldn't get here to take her to the father/daughter dance at school. Dan immediately stepped in and told her he would be happy to stand in for her dad. That he would be tickled to take both his daughter and ours to the dance. Then he brought smiles to their faces when he broke out in the biggest grin and teased, “those other dads are gonna be so jealous! They will be coming to the party with one beautiful gal, but I'm going to be there with TWO - one on each arm. MAN! I'm the luckiest guy in the world!

Actually we are the luckiest to have had a friend like Dan. He was truly a great guy and will be greatly missed.

— The Blessing Family  
(Richard, Rebecca and Mamie)

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Rebecca Blessing - April 09, 2023 at 01:56 PM

MB

“ Dan was a second father to me, always making us all laugh. I will hold every memory with him closely to my heart. All the times he would make us giggle by braking to the music in the car, all the times he took us sledding and taking us in road trips in the RV, the Tigers games, and my personal favorite memory; the daddy daughter dance.

He had the absolute biggest heart and he will forever be missed.

Sending all my love

- Mamie

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Mamie Blessing - April 09, 2023 at 01:10 AM

CD

“ We are so very sorry!! We love you and will continue to pray for your family and for peace. May God bless you all.  
Ron and Connie Dykes

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**Connie Dykes** - April 08, 2023 at 03:59 PM

JS

“ Dan was the friendliest, outgoing, easy going person to know. He loved his wife and children so much! We spent many years playing games, talking and enjoying time together. I always remember him asking my Kaylyn and Mario if they wanted ice cream. Didn't matter what time it was. He would go out of his way to bring back ice cream just to see them happy. He was a strong compassionate husband and father that will be forever missed. Until we meet again.  
Love, Brian and Joyce and Kaylyn.

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**Joyce Sankey** - April 08, 2023 at 11:49 AM

MS

“ Dan was so full of light and had a contagious Joy. He was one of the funniest storytellers I've ever known. I always loved listening to him share stories about his work or time in the Navy, he always had everyone around him laughing or smiling. Love you Dan and the Bonacorsi family❤️

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**matthew sankey** - April 08, 2023 at 10:32 AM

MI

“ I served with Dan, I can't remember which boat it was, maybe Henry Clay, maybe James K Polk, he was a great guy! He used to eat raw onions like it was an apple when we were underway, never figured out why. He said it was good for you! I would laugh and walk away!  
RIP brother of the Phin! Prayers for his family and loved ones!

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**Matthew Miller IC1/SS** - April 07, 2023 at 08:49 PM

NC

“ We are so sorry for your family’s loss. Mike and I enjoyed serving with Dan. He was such a great guy. Always made us laugh. Such a big heart. We enjoyed listening to his stories. Especially about his time in the military. 🇺🇸 Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. God Bless. Nancy Mike and Ana Coker. 🙏🙏

Nancy Coker - April 07, 2023 at 06:36 PM

MS

“ Laura, Kenna, Roman and Mario, we are so sorry to hear of Dan's passing. I will always remember Dan helping us out coaching baseball when Roman played on our team. Dan's lightheartedness always kept things in perspective during that time and his jokes always made things fun. I know you all will miss him greatly. Your family will always have a special place in our hearts. You are all in our thoughts during this difficult time. With Love, Sofia, Francesco, Kris and Mike Silveri Sytniak

Mike S - April 07, 2023 at 04:39 PM

JM

“ Our prayers and love goes out to the Bonacorsi Family. We're so sorry for your loss. The Major Family.

joseph major - April 07, 2023 at 03:27 PM

JW

“ My prayers and my love go out to the family. I will never forget the great times I had with Dan, what a great person he was. Dan would help anyone who needed help. I will miss Dan dearly his laugh his jokes everything. Dan is now with Jesus Christ in heaven. Until we meet again rest in peace.

Jim Willoughby - April 07, 2023 at 01:34 PM

TD

*We remember the great times we had serving with Dan at GOC and then again in Marriage Ministry at FloodGate Church! Him and Laura are true gems! We will miss his big smile so much but will cherish our memories of him. Laura and family be assured you are covered in prayer! Tony & Linda DeFelice*

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**Tony & Linda DeFelice** - April 10, 2023 at 03:06 PM

JP

“ *At ease Submariner! You will be missed but not forgotten Sir.*

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**JP** - April 07, 2023 at 01:01 PM

SL

“ *Deepest Sympathy to entire family. Truly keeping everyone in our prayers!*

*Sharon Lawrence & Family*

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**Sharon A Lawrence** - April 07, 2023 at 11:49 AM

KM

“ *Will miss that smile and laugh but your where I long to be. Thanks for all the cherished memories from our times we served at Northridge. See you at the Heavens throne Brother 🙏🙏*

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**Keith Martin** - April 07, 2023 at 11:49 AM

AV

“ *Thanks for sharing your faith in Jesus with me and encouraging me in raising my family. I love you. God bless you and your family always! Adam*

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**Adam Virga** - April 07, 2023 at 09:38 AM

MG

“ *Rest easy shipmate. I'm glad our paths crossed one another's. -  
Goody*

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**MG** - April 07, 2023 at 08:37 AM