



Gregg Zdan

December 11, 1954 - August 19, 2020

Zdan, Gregg, August 19, 2020 age 65 of Canton. Beloved husband of the late Mary. Loving father of Gregory and Mark. Dear brother of Steve (Jan), Larry (Mary Ann), Patty (Jim) Orlando and Barbara Zdan. Visitation Monday, August 24th 3-9 PM Rosary 7 PM at Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home, 46401 Ann Arbor Rd. W., (btwn Sheldon & Beck) Plymouth. In state Tuesday 10:30 AM until the 11 AM Funeral Mass at St. John Neumann Catholic Church, 44800 Warren Rd., Canton. Memorial contributions may be made to "The Family Fund", please make checks payable to Greg Zdan. Internment Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. To share a memory, please use the Share A Memory tab on the web page.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **24**. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home Plymouth
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Plymouth, MI 48170
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K of C Rosary

AUG **24**. 7:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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In state

AUG **25**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. John Neumann Catholic Church
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Canton, MI 48187

Funeral Mass

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Tribute Wall



“ Gregg Zdan

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ Gregg is a great man and previous employer who became an wonderful friend. He and his lovely wife meant a great deal to me and my family and we will miss them dearly! Rest easy my friend. We will see each other soon enough and have a few drinks to celebrate. My heart is broken!

Angela Harrell - September 23, 2020 at 08:21 PM



“ This is very sad news. This is Sandy Susalla Carter, former next-door neighbor in Winston. I would run into Gregs frequently and he always gave the best hugs. We got married on the same day of the same year. I am so sorry of this sad news and will be praying for the family. I think of your whole family often, Barbara I miss you.

Sandy Carter - September 12, 2020 at 10:45 AM



“ Dear Larry and Mary Ann,

So sorry to hear of the loss of your brother. Our prayers are with you and your family. Gregg will be sincerely missed. Losing a family member is especially difficult. Coincidentally, Sue's sister passed away on August 17, and we can appreciate your thoughts and feelings at this time. It is helpful to share our grief with family and friends who bring back many happy memories. As they say "God writes straight with crooked lines." Sincerely, Gayle and Sue Moser

Gayle Richard Moser - August 31, 2020 at 02:40 PM

Susan
Elizabeth

“ *Such a good good man..characteristics so reflected in your sons. I wish we'd had more time together, just a few wonderful years with you, Mark and Mary during our CC Drumline Days. The best of times with the best of people. We will always be here for Mark...he is family and very loved. Watch over us all Gregg And Mary...❤️Until we meet again 🙏*



Susan Elizabeth - August 31, 2020 at 02:32 PM

ES

“ *What I loved about Greg...
Ever time I saw him or spoke with him on the phone...he always greeted me with a smile in his voice while saying my name...as if to say...where have you been? I can hear it now!
I know God greeted you the same way into His heavenly Kingdom!
God rest your soul Brother... You were a good Man!
Eric Smatana*

Eric Smatana - August 25, 2020 at 08:34 AM

ST

“ My uncle Gregg had an ear and a heart for music. A live band at a wedding would grab his attention while everyone else chatted. He'd say “this band is a drum band”, and would ask the drummer if he could play the song “Cute” by Count Basie. I believe he stumped them - they couldn't play it, but it turned me on to Count Basie. But I learned a lot more than music from my uncle. He taught me how to operate lift trucks, how to drive a 1955 Ford Jubilee, how to destroy the prop on a boat trying to navigate the shallows around Old Mission Peninsula (and then how to befriend a passerby boat to give us a tow back to land), and that a Tiger's tailgate was just as much about sharing our burgers and brats with the homeless folks outside Comerica Park as it was about good times with family and friends. My uncle was a great uncle to me, and like Aunt Mary, this is all too soon and heart breaking. Gregory and Mark, the family stands strong and united with you. Uncle Gregg, rest in peace and may you walk a closer walk with thee.

Stephen and Caroline

Stephen - August 24, 2020 at 11:10 PM

TA

“ Gregg, you are now with the love your life - Mary! I pray your family will remember you as great husband, loving father, Brother Knight, ever present Scout leader, and a friend to all.

I am sure there is a cold beer waiting for you!

May our our Lord welcome you into his loving embrace!

Tab

Tab - August 24, 2020 at 05:18 PM

DI

“ Greg and Mark,
We're so sorry for your loss. Our hearts break for you. May you find comfort in your faith, family, and friends. Love, The DiMilia's

DiMilia - August 24, 2020 at 01:34 PM

“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.



August 24, 2020 at 12:39 PM

JR

“ Sincere condolences to the entire Zdan family. Jon Ruud

Jon A Ruud - August 24, 2020 at 11:22 AM

JF

“ Gregg and Mark, We're so very sorry for your loss. We have wonderful memories of baseball games and many dinners at Four Friends with both your dad and your mom, and the whole team. Praying for God's peace for both of you during this very sad time!
Love, Gary and Jeanne Fite

Jeanne Fite - August 24, 2020 at 08:51 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.*



August 24, 2020 at 08:43 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.*



August 24, 2020 at 08:32 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.*



August 23, 2020 at 09:24 PM



“ *Mike and Kathy Ryan purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Gregg Zdan.*



Mike and Kathy Ryan - August 23, 2020 at 08:54 PM

WH

“ With sympathy, Dave & Sheryl Hutton purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Gregg Zdan.



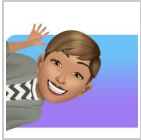
With sympathy, Dave & Sheryl Hutton - August 23, 2020 at 08:31 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.



August 23, 2020 at 06:56 PM



“ My condolences to Greg, Mark and the entire Zdan family. I graduated with Gregg and saw him annually at the Summer Blast. In the school years, Gregg was always the guy with nice smile, a friendly word and a wonderful shoulder - a true friend to all. Later at the Summer Blast, I had the pleasure to reconnect with him and his beautiful wife Mary. If there were ever 2 sole mates - it was Gregg & Mary. The way they spoke to one another, the looks they shared and love that showed through, was awesome to witness. When I ran into Gregg after Mary's passing, you could tell his life had severely changed - the light in his eyes was gone. I felt so bad for him - we talked for a while about her. I was just there to listen. He was also proud of his sons & the men they had turned into. I wish you both nothing but happy memories of your Mom & Dad. Keep those memories of happier days close to your heart - always!!!!
Fran Bluford-Spraetz

Fran Bluford-Spraetz - August 23, 2020 at 06:25 PM

LR

“Gregory and Mark- May you both know you were and always will be your mom and dad's truest joy and greatest pride
Family and Friends- I share your pain and loss. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time
Gregg and Mary - May you dance in each other's arms again and May your love shine down upon all of us. I love you both and miss you dearly

Lisa Roth - August 23, 2020 at 04:37 PM

FO

“I pray, though God's love, HE will grant the family comfort and peace during this difficult time My heartfelt sympathy. Gregg was a friend to many people. He will be missed.
May he rest in peace.
Love and prayers,
Frances Orlando

Frances Orlando - August 23, 2020 at 02:47 PM



“Barb, Patti, Steve, and Larry: I am so so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Love to you all.

Jennifer Rigg - August 23, 2020 at 09:57 AM



“Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.



August 23, 2020 at 09:54 AM

KD

“ Dear Barb and Gregg Family
Sorry to hear about your Brother Gregg.
I thinking of you and your family.
Love Kimba

Kimba Delinski - August 23, 2020 at 08:53 AM

NP

“ Prayers for the family. Many great times & memories camping up north. A great man.

Nancy Phillips - August 22, 2020 at 10:35 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.



August 22, 2020 at 07:16 PM

RR

“ Thoughts and prayers are with the Zdan family, I'm sorry for your loss.
Respectfully,
Rick Radcliff

Rick Radcliff - August 22, 2020 at 02:39 PM

AO

“ A God Fearing, Loving
Family Man. He will be Missed

Austin Mike O'MALLEY - August 22, 2020 at 01:40 PM

TC

Sorry for your loss.

Theresa Morin/ cronin - August 22, 2020 at 06:55 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.*



August 22, 2020 at 01:39 PM

MZ

“ *The last five years of my Dad's life he was pretty much house bound. When I would be there Gregg would occasionally stop by with some beer to visit. Dad would tell the same stories over and over about himself and Uncle Steve and Gregg would patiently listen. Gregg would also get us to commit to meet him at a local restaurant for Taco Tuesdays of which we did. My Dad sure enjoyed those visits and to show his appreciation wanted to recognize Gregg with a gift after his death. When I presented the gift to Gregg he was very grateful and humble saying his actions were nothing as it was simply what Zdans do! I will always remember that*

Mike Zdan Jr

Mike Zdan - August 22, 2020 at 01:28 PM

KS

“ *So sorry to learn of this. Gone way too early. Peace and blessings to to the family.*
Kathy Alter-Seidl

kathy Seidl - August 22, 2020 at 11:13 AM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.*



August 22, 2020 at 10:13 AM



“ *We have been friends with the Zdan family for many years, from All Saints, Boy Scouts and Knights of Columbus. They have always been the best friends possible. We mourned the passing of Mary and now Gregg. I looked forward to seeing Gregg on Tuesdays at the KoC where he would occasionally share his opinion on the state of things. Go in peace my friend to be with Mary. We will miss you*

The Vance family - August 22, 2020 at 09:59 AM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.*



August 22, 2020 at 09:50 AM



“ *Although we moved from Michigan 14 years ago, Gregg and I talked every other weekend. Gregg was my best friend. I miss him greatly.*

Paul Dubina - August 22, 2020 at 08:41 AM



“ *Verna Murawski lit a candle in memory of Gregg Zdan*



Verna Murawski - August 22, 2020 at 08:01 AM

DO

“ *We miss you Gregg. My favorite memory of you was our roadtrip to New Orleans. With your brother Larry and my sister Denise. Had such a great time because I had just turned 18 yrs old. On the trip back to MI. we stopped at a dive and met up Uncle Mike and Aunt Noreen. Little Richard was performing. Thanks for being part of my life. Hugs for your family. RIP my friend.*

dolores - August 22, 2020 at 02:40 AM

CB

“ Although Gregg and I have not seen each other for a number of years, I have so many warm, fun, and crazy memories of us growing up two blocks from each other. Neighborhood fun, school, scouts, music, camping in the summer, and just driving around (and around and around) on Friday and Saturday nights. Gregg was kind, pleasant, and generous, had a good heart and a good sense of humor. He was also pretty much up for trying and doing just about anything, and managing to stay out of trouble (and helping to keep the rest of us out of trouble) while doing so (well, at least most of the time).

My deepest condolences to Steve, Larry, Patty, Barb, and of course sons Gregory and Mark, and the whole Zdan family.

*Charles Bates
Bremerton, Washington*

Charles Bates - August 22, 2020 at 12:24 AM

 Robert
Macy

“ The cold Halloween nights were no match for the warm hearts at the Zdan home. I never missed one of those block parties and Gregg was always there to help out and make everyone feel welcome. Over the years he and his family made everyone welcome and I was honored to be part of that experience. Whether it was a trip to a Zdan gathering or a trip up to the Mission Peninsula (in the rain) on a camp out his friendly spirit cut through the gloom. I'll always remember you and the good times. Rest in the arms of the Lord.



Robert Macy - August 21, 2020 at 08:11 PM

Joe Lambert

“ Carol and I will miss Gregg and his great sense of humor. I've known him since he was the little brother next door (to the Phillips) Always there if you needed something and first to Fund raise for others in need. Gone too soon. Joe and Carol Lambert



Joe Lambert - August 21, 2020 at 07:14 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Gregg Zdan.



August 21, 2020 at 06:58 PM

DE

“ Gonna be missed dearly, grew up next door on Winston. Go with god Batman, love Moon

dennis - August 21, 2020 at 06:57 PM

DE

“ The last time I was visiting the K of C was 6 years ago and I ran into Greg at the lounge. He brought me up to date on all the members and showed me all the improvements to the building. I hadn't seen or talked to him for years but after 10 minutes it was like I never left. A great guy with true charitable spirit. Dennis O'Connell, Phoenix AZ

Dennis - August 21, 2020 at 04:12 PM

MI

“ Gregg Zdan is a Brother to us all forever. I remember the many great talks at KofC Hall we had. He always listened, shared many great stories. ` Mike Crumley, KofC 3292

Michael - August 21, 2020 at 04:09 PM

SR

“ My husband and I first met Gregg and Mary just a little over 32 years ago when we moved in next door. We were just neighbors at first with nothing really in common since we had a two year old and Gregg was busy traveling the world working for Drexel. But then somewhere over time we learned we had the love of music, flowers, gardening , strong faith and love of family in common. We grew to become friends that just happened to live next door. Over the next 32 years we gardened together , had Fathers day at Zdans , pool days in our backyard and endless weekend nights of dancing in Zdans family room with Dubinas and Browns until 3am with Gregg saying “ just wait, one more song. Listen to those horns in this song!” Gregg would always say to us we were the best neighbors possible , the salt of the earth but really... he was. We will miss him terribly as he now joins Mary but we know that they both instilled those same strong values of faith, friendship and family In Gregory and Mark and they will carry on for them.

Suzy Roberts - August 21, 2020 at 03:33 PM

A3

“ All his Brothers at the Knights of Columbus 3292 purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Gregg Zdan.



All his Brothers at the Knights of Columbus 3292 - August 21, 2020 at 03:21 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I have known Greg for many years from Detroit. May his memory be a blessing. RIP Greg*

Donna Rich - August 21, 2020 at 03:12 PM