



Daniel John Edwards

January 24, 1949 - May 28, 2019

Age 70 of Blaine, passed away suddenly on May 28, 2019. Survived by loving wife of 47 years, Elaine; children, Sarah (David) Anderson and Matthew (Laurie) Edwards; grandchildren, Claire and William Anderson, Trace and Mia Edwards.

After retirement, Dan embarked on numerous adventures traveling around the globe with his wife Elaine, experiencing the heights of Machu Picchu, temples of Japan, and safaris in Africa, just to name a few. When not traveling, Dan was both an avid fisherman and woodworker, spending countless hours honing his craft. He was a beloved grandfather and enjoyed fishing, playing board games, and model trains with his grandchildren. Yet, his crowning achievement was the family he has left behind. He was the ultimate cheerleader attending his children and grandchildren's athletic events, academic honors, and an endless number of band concerts.

Memorial service Friday, May 31st at 2:00 PM (visitation 1-2 PM) at HOLCOMB-HENRY-BOOM-PURCELL FUNERAL HOME; 515 W. Highway 96 at Mackubin, Shoreview.

Tribute Wall

JA

“ So sorry to hear of Dan's loss. I just heard this at the Donaldson retirement lunch today. I always looked forward to connecting and comparing travel notes. Dan gave me a cute little bird house when I retired and I think of him when I see it. He was a lovely man.

Janice Austad - October 07, 2019 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ I was only joining EMA (Eastern Military Academy) in 1970 and he had graduated in 1967. But I was following him on Facebook and all the wonderful places he and his wife Elaine had gone to; made me want to get out and travel more. He and I had something in common, we like a beer in our hand, but it's got to be a special or really good 🍺 beer 🍺!!

Glenn Sturm - July 01, 2019 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ Saddened by Uncle Dan's sudden passing. Sending love and prayers to my aunt, cousins and family ❤️

Kristen Harlow - May 31, 2019 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ How truly sad that the world has suddenly lost someone so special to many. My deepest condolences to you Elaine and your family..

Darlene K. Wilson - May 31, 2019 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ *Elaine and family
Shocked to hear about your loss
I worked with Dan at Donaldson Company for several years. His
work ethic was very strong and always focused on assigned tasks.
He took pride in accomplishing tasks on time and with a high level
of quality.
My prayers are with your family
Dave Deutsch*

Dave Deutsch - May 29, 2019 at 12:00 AM

HB

“ *My sympathy and love to the family.*

Heidi Collins Brisson - May 29, 2019 at 12:00 AM

OP

“ *Just wanted to extend my heartfelt condolences to Dan's family. I
knew Dan from his days with the Donaldson Company. He was a
good guy and a true gentleman. May your many loving memories of
Dan, help to comfort you now, in your time of loss.*

Orv Pibbs - May 29, 2019 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ *We loved your smile and enjoying our travels with you. God Bless
Elaine and Family and may your many memories give you comfort.*

Terri and Don Simpson - May 29, 2019 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ *I am shocked by this sudden loss.
I shared many good experiences working with Dan at Donaldson
and was always impressed by his work ethic and his follow through.
I will miss seeing his smiling face at the occasional after work get
together that he would attend.*

David Schaal - May 29, 2019 at 12:00 AM