



Glenn S. Phegley

March 22, 1958 - March 28, 2021

Prairie du Rocher- Glenn S. Phegley, 63, of Prairie du Rocher, passed away at 6:04 PM, Sunday, March 28, 2021 at his home.

Glenn was born on March 22, 1958 in Red Bud to Dale O. and Dolores (Bachelier) Phegley. He married Gina M. Shinabargar on November 7, 1981 in St. Joseph Catholic Church in Prairie du Rocher. Together they raised four wonderful children in the home he was born and raised. He graduated from the University of Missouri-Rolla with a degree in electrical engineering. He worked 37 ½ years for Anheuser- Busch prior to his retirement in 2019. Once “retired” he was re-hired by AB to work as a contractor.

He was catholic and a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Prairie du Rocher. He served as a reader at mass and was previously on the Parish Board.

He was a personable man who never met a stranger. He was active civically and formerly served on the Prairie du Rocher School Board and Village of Prairie du Rocher Town Board. He was currently the President of the Commons Board. He was also a member of the Modoc Sportsman Club. He liked speaking publicly and rarely spoke under 20 minutes. He was a hardworking family man who enjoyed spending his free time with his children and grandchildren outdoors or reading science fiction novels. He enjoyed listening to classic rock on KSHE radio, jeep runs, NASCAR but mostly enjoyed Red Bud Musket Football. He currently held the position of equipment manager but was the head coach and assistant coach for many years. In addition to Musket football, he coached and ran the Khoury baseball league in Prairie du Rocher for many years and he coached basketball at Prairie du Rocher Grade School for 7 years.

Surviving are his wife- Gina M. Phegley of Prairie du Rocher, daughters- Sara Simpson and husband Rhett of rural Evansville and Jaimee Phegley and fiancé Will Henderson of Swansea, sons- Andrew Phegley and wife Rabecca and Alexander Phegley and wife Natalie both of Columbia, four grandchildren- Lainey and Everett Simpson and Quinn and Jade Phegley, two step grandchildren- Keenan Powell and Taylor Elgin, brother- Steve

Phegley of Peoria, AZ, sisters- Kay Dearworth and husband Bill of Troy and Patti Smith and husband Mark of O'Fallon, IL. Also surviving are numerous nieces and nephews and great nieces and nephews as well as several brothers and sisters in law.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

A memorial visitation will be held from 2-6 PM Monday, April 5, 2021 at Leesman Funeral Home in Red Bud. A private catholic memorial service will immediately follow at the funeral home. Fr. Clyde Grogan will officiate. A memorial service at Musket Field will be held at a later date. Memorial arrangements were entrusted to Leesman Funeral Home in Red Bud.

Memorial donations are suggested to the Red Bud Musket Athletic Association and will be accepted at the funeral home. For more information, please visit <http://www.leesmanfuneralhome.com>

Events

APR **Memorial Visitation**02:00PM - 06:00PM

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Leesman Funeral Home - Red Bud, IL
220 Locust St., Red Bud, IL, US, 62278

Comments



“ In Glenn's career as electrical engineer he worked with passion, integrity and energy. I had known Glenn since 1986 when he came to the Resident Engineering Dept. at Anheuser-Busch. Glenn and I worked on many projects together over the years and he taught me a great deal. By his death all the people who knew him will miss a highly intelligent individual with a rare friendliness and charm of personality. Glenn was a genuinely warm and wonderful individual—one we will miss greatly. Our sorrow is lessened only slightly with the comforting thought that we had the privilege to know him.

Randy Heifner - April 05 at 09:44 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Glenn S. Phegley.



April 02 at 08:17 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Glenn S. Phegley.



April 02 at 11:36 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Glenn S. Phegley.



April 02 at 11:03 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Glenn S. Phegley.



April 02 at 09:07 AM



“ We send our deepest sympathy to you and your family. Glenn has truly blessed all of us with his kindness and friendship. We are keeping you in our prayers. Sending love, strength, and peace. Love, Mark, Shelly & Logan Houba



Shelly Houba - April 01 at 09:51 PM



“ Love, Mark & Carolyn Koester and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Glenn S. Phegley.



Love, Mark & Carolyn Koester and family - April 01 at 01:07 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Glenn S. Phegley.



April 01 at 08:37 AM



“ Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Glenn S. Phegley.



April 01 at 08:33 AM



“ With Distinction was purchased for the family of Glenn S. Phegley.



March 31 at 02:57 PM



“ Michael C. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Glenn S. Phegley.



Michael C. - March 31 at 11:15 AM



“ Glenn and I shared a parallel Engineering path at AB as we both graduated from Rolla, Supported Corporate Engineering Projects along with IT challenges. I retired from AB in 2008 after 30+ years only to return to support St. Louis projects as a contract support Engineer.

When we moved our trailer group to the 2nd floor of the Bevo it was daily hellos with Glenn. When he retired and came back to AB to work as a contract Engineer we shared side by side work spaces, and Glenn always brought joy and humor to our crazy jobs.

Glenn will be missed...condolences and virtual hugs to his family, and thanks for opportunity to share our career dreams together at AB.

Mike Chase

Mike Chase - March 31 at 10:58 AM



“ I was Gina's roommate at SEMO. Gina came home with me to Red Bud for the weekend and we went to the movie with Glenn and Mike H. A blind date in 1979/80 and the rest is a 40-year love affair. Even tho our lives went in different directions, I still consider Gina and Glenn 2 of my best friends.

RIP, Glenn.

Love you both,
Jackie

Jackie Feltrop - March 31 at 08:59 AM



“ I worked with Glenn close to 40 years at Anheuser-Busch. We were project engineers together in Corporate Engineering in the early days, and then served at the St Louis Brewery together. I will always remember our time during start up in Houston. While stressful, Glenn was a true professional and kept such a positive attitude through the whole endeavor. We finished the project ahead of schedule and below cost. In fact, we were able to help the brewery with some of their own issues and the Brewmaster, Bill Von Minden recognized Glenn for his selfless work and dedication. He was a true partner and never had a bad day. I learned a great deal from Glenn and will always think of him in the most positive way. I was truly saddened and shocked by the news... but made me think even more of the impact he had on all who got to work with him, all who were around him. Thanks Glenn.... thank you for who you are, thank you for all you did.

- Jeff Pitts

Jeff Pitts - March 30 at 08:57 AM



“ Deepest sympathies extended to Gina, Steve, Kay, and Patty, and all of the family. May God comfort you in this difficult and painful time. I have so many happy memories to draw from regarding Glenn, ball playing, camping, hanging out with the boys from Rocher and Red Bud. I was blessed to have him stand up for me as a groomsman in my wedding, and was happy to stand up in his and Gina's wedding. He was such a warm and friendly person, and always very smart. He is gone much too early, but I was fortunate to have known him as a friend. Farewell Glenn.

kevin thureau - March 30 at 08:15 AM