



# Alan Geronzin

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**A**lan J. Geronzin, 52, of Clinton died Saturday, May 15, 2010 at home. Cremation rites have been accorded. A Celebration of Life will be held from 1-4:00 pm Saturday, May 22, 2010 at the Eagles Club in Clinton. The Clinton Chapel Snell-Zornig Funeral Homes and Crematory assisted the family with the arrangements. Alan John Geronzin was born on February 13, 1958 in Clinton, the son of Manuel and Wilma (Webb) Geronzin. He was a 1976 Clinton High School graduate. He married Deborah Calsyn on July 1, 1989 in Clinton. He was a United States Army veteran, and was very proud of his service to his country. He was an outdoorsman, and enjoyed fishing, camping, boating, and just being on the river. He was a Chicago Cubs fan. He loved walking his dog Maggie. His favorite times were those spent with his son Eric, family, and watching his many nieces and nephews sports games. He is survived by his son Eric (Katie Malmstrom) Geronzin of Albany, IL; 5 siblings: James (Carol) Geronzin of Maquoketa, IA, Sharon (Jim) Lee of Fort Dodge, IA, William (Debi) Geronzin of Clinton, Karolyn Geronzin of Clinton, and David (Ann) Geronzin of Clinton; special friends: Jeannie Pessman-Matzen and Johnny Luther, both of Clinton, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Robert.



## Tribute Wall

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GT

**Gary Tieman** posted:

alan was a good friend. we were stationed together in germany. had many good times. always a smile and a laugh. also saw him back in the states after we got out of the army. i am a little late on condolences but am saddened to find out about his passing. Godspeed friend , gary t.

December 21 at 6:04 AM

GT

**Gary Tieman** posted:

this is a little late but i hope its read. i served in the army with alan and he was one of my best friends in germany. he was a fun loving and true friend. after germany he came to texas (81) with his wife, mother in law and 3 kids (holly) was the girl, cant remember the other names. we went to houston and the beach. i know alan loved family, friends and good times, i am truly saddened to learn of his passing. i will pass the word to his army family. god bless alan, love you buddy! gary t  
withspear@aol.com

December 19 at 12:34 PM

KL

**Keith, Kathy, Konnor, And Kelsey Leffler** posted:

Eric and Family, we are very sorry to hear about the passing of Al. He was always a great presence to have at sporting events and will be missed by all. Eric, you will be in our thoughts and prayers.

May 14 at 7:00 PM

BC

**Bob Crampton** posted:

I DIDN'T KNOW ALAN I'M FRIENDS WITH BILL AND I WORKED WITH BOB. AND I'M SO SORRY TO OF YOUR LOSS. PRAYING FOR YOU BOB CRAMPTON

May 14 at 7:00 PM

SC

**Sue (Schutte) Chindemi** posted:

I am sorry for your loss. Al and I have not been in touch for years but because he was my first love, when we were very young life (we were 17), he will always hold a special place in my heart. God Bless Susan

May 14 at 7:00 PM



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KJ

**Kim Hess-Jones** posted:

My heart goes out to Al's family. I was shocked to hear this news. Al was a great man. He always had a smile and his laugh was contagious. I have many fond memories of Al. Whether it was watching football games together, spending time on the river or just sitting together talking. He was a great man who would give you the shirt off his back if he knew it would help you. I will miss him greatly. My thoughts and prayers go out to the family and his many friends....Al toughed many lives...Namaste

May 14 at 7:00 PM

CM

**Cherri Lee- Martinez** posted:

I am in shock to hear this sad news .I have so many fond memories of our 50+ years of growing up together ,school work and just hanging out together. I will always miss you but i promise you i will never forget you. Love You Al. God Bless Your Son and Family at this heartbreaking time . Love Ya Cherri Sa4uQt

May 14 at 7:00 PM

TL

**Theresa Fuller-Stancil & Johnny Leab** posted:

So sorry for your loss,Al was a great guy,our thoughts and prayers are with you all.God Bless

May 14 at 7:00 PM

WH

**Wanda, Taylor & Cody Huff** posted:

Eric we never thought this would ever happen to you. You were your dad's Pride and Joy. He so proud of you. We all know important Dads are. He will always be in your heart and never forget. We know you won't. Now when you point to the sky always remember. Eric you have always been a part of our family. We will be there for you anytime you need.

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**Cathy (Matzen) Merritt** posted:

Alan, I am sorry we didn't keep in touch after your Mother, Wilma died and my mother, your Aunt Dorothy died. I was totally shocked to hear of his death. He was always a great guy. He always laughed and was having fun. Remember the days we would go out to the farm and play. I also remember the days Uncle Manuel would take us girls along fishing with you boys. It was always fun. I pray you are with your Mom and Dad fishing in heaven. God bless you and keep you. May your family have loving memories of you to keep them going. Cathy Matzen Merritt

May 14 at 7:00 PM

AH

**Alberta Paysen Helmke** posted:

My sympathy to all for the loss of your brother. Although we have not kept in touch, I remember the days when we were growing up and visited often for birthday celebrations and family get-togethers. I hope others in the family are doing well. With Sympathy, Alberta and Dennis

May 14 at 7:00 PM

KR

**Kevin & Mary Robbins** posted:

So sorry to see you go, old buddy. Al was always good for a smile and a laugh- another Carlon person gone this year. Farewell, old friend.

May 14 at 7:00 PM

DS

**Doris Starbuck** posted:

I was shocked to hear about Al, When I picture him he is always with a smile, or laughing at some joke. He and Cherri made my time at Carlon a fun experience. He will always be thought of as a friendly guy and will be deeply missed. I am so sorry for your loss.

May 14 at 7:00 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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