



# Dale L Sharp

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**D**ale L. Sharp, 81, of Camanche passed away Monday, December 12, 2022 at his home following an extended battle with Leukemia.

Visitation will be from 9:00am-11:00am on Saturday, December 17, 2022 with a Celebration of Life immediately following at the Camanche Chapel of Snell-Zornig Funeral Home. Military honors will be conducted by the United States Army.

Dale L. Sharp was born on May 27, 1941 in Volga City, Iowa. He was the son of Wayne and LaVera (Otterbeck) Sharp. He graduated from Clinton High School in 1960 and attended Clinton Community College before enlisting in the United States Army. He served with the 472nd Military Police Yukon Command in Fairbanks, Alaska until being transferred to Augusta, Maine. He served from 1963-1966. He was united in marriage with Sharon Lorenzen on July 14, 1964 while stationed in Fairbanks, Alaska.

Dale began his career in carpet installation and carpentry with Kennedy & Peterson, later with Moody's Carpet Manor, and had been self-employed for the last 30 years. He was diagnosed with Acute Myeloid Leukemia in March of 2020 and was given a grim diagnosis. He responded well to treatment extending his life for almost three more years. Dale loved playing cribbage and other card games, his annual trips to Wisconsin with Sherry, going for a boat ride, keeping his lawn immaculate and constantly tinkering on some project. He was known for his funny most-betst turn of phrase, and giving people a hard time. He will be greatly missed.

Dale is survived by his wife, Sherry of Camanche, IA; two daughters, Brenda Jacobs of Camanche and Susan Sharp of Galesburg, IL; three grandsons, Nate Jacobs (Megan Svoboda) of Johnston IA, Nic Jacobs of Camanche, IA and Noah Jacobs of Camanche, IA; siblings Janet (Loren) Peterson of Clinton, IA, David (Betty) Sharp of Baraboo, WI and Doug (Carol) Sharp of Camanche.

Dale is preceded in death by his parents, a sister Mary Jo Fahlbeck, two brothers, Duane & Darrold, and two infant siblings Barbara and Ronald.



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Memorials may be directed to The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society and the American Legion.



# Events

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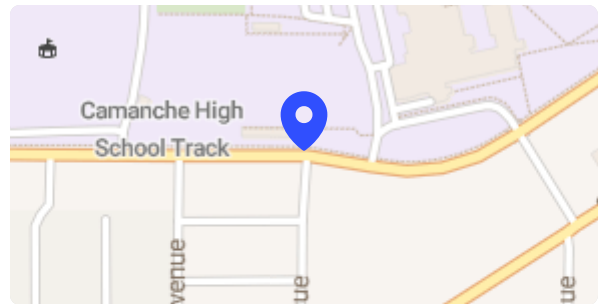
## Visitation

**Saturday**, December 17, 2022

9:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT

**Snell-Zornig Funeral Homes & Crematory - Camanche**

16th Avenue & 9th Street, Camanche IA 52730



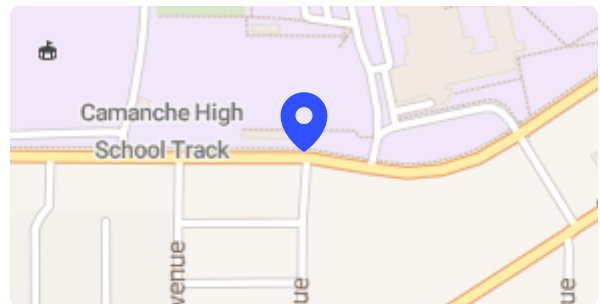
## Celebration of life

**Saturday**, December 17, 2022

11:00 AM - 11:30 AM CT

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# Tribute Wall

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**Anita (Bower) Evans** posted:

Dale "Sharpie" was a long time family friend. Our whole family knew and loved Sharpie. He was a frequent visitor to my brother's house and whenever my husband and I visited Camanche from Texas, if Sharpie knew, he always made a point to come see us. A very kind man and friend that would do anything for you. I know there will be many that will miss him. May he rest in peace. Condolences to Sherry and the family. Anita Bower Evans and John Evans

December 17 at 5:32 PM



**Jon Weber** posted:

To the family of Dale Sharp: Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Jon, Purl, Troy, Logan, and Carley Weber Hazelwood, MO (formerly of Camanche and Clinton)

December 17 at 3:56 PM



**Anonymous** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Sharp family.



December 16 at 8:54 AM



**Michael D'arco** posted:

Dear Dale: Rest in peace now . You fought a good fight against a terrible enemy. We will never forget you and all the great times our families have spent together since our army days . We will keep you and your family in our prayers . Soldier on now, in God's army Mike & Vi

December 16 at 6:59 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Florist Choice Bouquet to the Sharp family.



December 16 at 6:46 AM



**Barbara A Larson** posted:

God's Blessings & Peace to all the family for comfort in the coming weeks. Vern & Barbara Larson

December 16 at 6:09 AM



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**Judy Cary** lit a candle in honor of Dale.



December 16 at 2:48 AM



**Judy Cary** posted:

I am so sorry to hear about Tiny. He was such a nice man. Always happy and smiley even through his health issues. I'm so sorry for your loss.

December 16 at 2:47 AM



**Candi Diercks** posted:

Sherry...my heart breaks for you...I am so sorry for your loss...your love story will live on forever...May GOD wrap his arms around you and give you strength and peace...GOD BLESS each and everyone of you....

December 15 at 3:37 PM



**Anonymous** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Sharp family.



December 14 at 11:51 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Sharp family.



December 13 at 5:05 PM



**The Fred Metzger Family** lit a candle in honor of Dale.



December 13 at 11:45 AM



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**Kathy Klahn** posted:

Dale was always such a kind man. So very sorry for your loss.

December 13 at 7:29 AM



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

Join us in honoring Dale by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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