



Ron Twentyman

September 11, 1946 - September 11, 2015

Ron Twentyman, 69, of Zeeland, passed away suddenly on Friday, September 11, 2015. Ron was born May 13, 1946, in Kenosha, Wisconsin, to William and Josephine (Viola) Twentyman. Ron graduated from Libertyville High and served his country in the U.S. Army. He was a decorated veteran of Vietnam, having been awarded the bronze star medal for valor, and a purple heart with oak leaf cluster. Ron married Sharon Vergouwe June 20, 1970 and they moved to West Michigan. Ron started working at the U.S. Post Office and later graduated from Aquinas College. Ron worked for 42 years for the U.S. Post Office in many capacities prior to his retirement. Ron's life was made richer because of baseball and athletics. He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Sharon, their children: Tamara Twentyman of Zeeland, Trisha and Andrew Alexander of Racine, WI, Timothy and Elizabeth Twentyman of Bloomfield Hills, Tara and Brian Wilcox of Zeeland; six grandchildren: Brady Twentyman, Isabella Alexander, Gracie Jacobs, Alaina Alexander, Conner Twentyman, Lila Wilcox; sister Marilyn and Jim Fraser, brother-in-law Larry and Jan Vergouwe, nieces, nephews and cousins. A funeral service with military honors will be held at 11:00 am, Monday, September 14, 2015, at Yntema Funeral Home, 251 S. State Street, Zeeland. The Rev. James Zinger will officiate. Visiting hours will 4-6 pm, Sunday, at the funeral home. Interment will be in Vriesland Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ron Twentyman*

August 31, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *"Sharon ... So very sad to hear about Ron. We just got a call today from Poncho. We are praying for your family."*

Lisa tuuk - September 19, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Dear Aunt Sharon, I'm so sorry to hear about Uncle Ron's passing. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. Thank you for sending Christmas gifts when I was a youngster - that was such a delight and so thoughtful of you both. With love, Michelle"*

Michelle Drew - September 18, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Sharon, Tammy, Trisha, Tim, and Tara and families: you have my deepest sympathy. I have very special memories of your dad and all of our families together. I am sure as he smiles down from heaven he will always love you and keep you near"*

Jan and Jim Baar - September 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *"Dear Sharon and family, My deepest sympathy in the loss of your husband, father, grandfather. Praying God will surround you with His comfort."*

Joan Kamp - September 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AG

“I worked with and for Ron for many years at the USPS and found him to be a good hearted and caring person. He always had a joke or story ready and I truly enjoyed those times. He will be missed, and my prayers are with you all.”

Andrew Goedel - September 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AF

“Sharon, sadden to hear about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Keith and Sandy Troost”

A friend - September 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LS

“My deep sympathy to Tara and Brian and the family for your loss.”

Larry Scheidel - September 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SD

“To Tim ~ I am so sorry for your loss, Tim! Each time I drive down 64th Avenue past your family's former home, I think of you, a dear kindergartener in my first class at Drenthe Elementary. May your family be blessed with beautiful memories of your father, and comforted with God's promises for the future, that your family's circle will one day again be complete. Love, Mrs. Dykstra”

Shirley Dykstra - September 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VZ

“Sharon and Family, You are in our thoughts and prayers. We will miss seeing and talking to Ron in his rocking chair on the front porch! Your neighbors”

Vern and Glynda Vander Zwaag - September 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DH

“So sorry to hear of your loss Sharon, my thoughts and prayers are with you and family.”

Donna Homan - September 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GL

“Dear Sharon and family it was with such sadness and great memories that I read the notes from Trisha and Tara regarding the death of Ron - my thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Ron always called me "Ma" whether it was from the pop corn stand at the Zeeland High School football games or across the isle at Calvary Reformed Church - he will definitely be missed by many - R I P "Pa"”

Gloria - September 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AF

“Sharon,omg I can't believe it Judy &I are so sorry . Ron and I had some good talks I will miss him at Ponchos .If there's something I can do to help you up here with your trailer I would be honored .I will also try to make Ron's service Monday ..Steve & Judy Simmons ponchos lot 203”

A friend - September 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM