



Alan M. Voecks

September 5, 1968 - January 10, 2020

Alan Michael Voecks, 51, passed away suddenly on Friday, Jan. 10, 2020 in Sun Prairie, WI. He was born Sept. 5, 1968 in Milwaukee, WI and had been a resident of Mundelein for most of his life. He was a 1986 graduate of Shoreland High School in Somers, WI and a graduate of Cornell College in Mount Vernon, Iowa. Alan was a former employee of Abbott Laboratories and was very active at St. John Lutheran Church in Libertyville and the science fiction community.

Surviving are his wife of 16 years, April Voecks; his mother Marie Voecks and sister Carol (Brian) Lince; his mother-in-law, Penny Ettinger and many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father Michael Voecks.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 pm Thurs. Jan. 16, 2020 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave. (Rt. 176, one block west of Milwaukee Ave.) Libertyville. A funeral service will be held at 11 am Friday, Jan. 17, 2020 at St. John Lutheran Church, 501 W. Park Ave. Libertyville. Interment will be in the Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly, Michigan. Memorial contributions can be made to St. John Lutheran Church and School. Info: 847-362-3009 or please share a memory at www.burnettdane.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Burnett-Dane Funeral Home
120 West Park Avenue
Libertyville, IL 60048
(847) 362-3009

Funeral Service

JAN 17. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. John Lutheran Church
501 W. Park Avenue
Libertyville, IL

Tribute Wall

MM

“ *My deepest condolences, Marie and Carol, on the death of your son and brother, Al. May God keep you in the palm of His hand. Mary Mays and family*

Mary Mays - January 16, 2020 at 10:40 PM



“ *Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Alan M. Voecks.*



January 15, 2020 at 03:15 PM

TR

“ *Tony Reed purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Alan M. Voecks.*



Tony Reed - January 15, 2020 at 01:27 PM

DJ

“ *Darnell R Jones purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Alan M. Voecks.*



Darnell R Jones - January 15, 2020 at 09:12 AM

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“ Aunt Loraine, Cousins Sue (Craig) & Kim (Mark) purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Alan M. Voecks.



Aunt Loraine, Cousins Sue (Craig) & Kim (Mark) - January 15, 2020 at 07:44 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Alan M. Voecks.



January 14, 2020 at 11:00 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Alan M. Voecks.



January 14, 2020 at 10:47 AM

BB

“ So sorry to hear about Alan's passing - he was way to young to be taken away from us. I worked with him at Abbott several years back and always enjoyed the time sneaking away from my desk into the 'ops dungeon' to chat and relax with him. He was always so easy to talk to - very humble person. My prayers are with the family as they work through this terrible loss.

Bryan Baars

Bryan Baars - January 14, 2020 at 10:43 AM

TO

“ April...please know we are all with you at this time and are very sorry for your loss. Alan was so sweet to me when we met at the work family day picnic. I am praying for you and the family. I pray that the Holy Spirit will be your comforter and your memories will be salve to your heart. Love, Toinette

Toinette - January 14, 2020 at 09:47 AM

TR

“ April, you haven't met me. Marie, and Carole, you may not remember me. I was fortunate to be Alan's roommate for three of our years at Cornell College. The thing that I'll be most grateful for, as I look back now in remembrance, was Alan's gregariousness when it came to meeting new people that first month on the Hilltop. Less cautious than I, Alan had found and made contact with Ken, Phil, Joe, Laura and many, many others before I had barely found my bed. While we both shared a love of all things, well, let's face it, nerdy, raiding Alan's library introduced me to a world of fantasy and science fiction well beyond that of my very comfortable Star Trek and Hitchhiker's Guide. Alan was goofy, funny, and, as I knew him, so very comfortable as himself that, while he might not dance like no one was watching, he certainly would air drum. While his passing leaves a very distinctly Alvo shaped hole in the world, I hope there is something still remaining that will make you smile in this very sad time.

*With my greatest sympathies,
Tony Reed*

Tony Reed - January 14, 2020 at 12:03 AM

TR

Edit: My sincerest apologies Carol. I thought I had all of the wild "e's" running about my house contained. --T

Tony Reed - January 14, 2020 at 12:09 AM