



Dale G. Dietel

June 19, 1947 - July 23, 2012

Dateline: Godfrey

Dale Gunther Dietel, 65, died at 12:14 p.m. Monday, July 23, 2012 at his home. Born June 19, 1947 in Alton, he was the son of Betty June (Mansholt) Dietel of Godfrey and the late Gunther Bruno Dietel. He served with the U.S. Army in Vietnam. He was a district manager for Central Hardware for 25 years. Along with his mother, he is survived by a daughter, Megan Dietel of Kansas City, two sons, James (Kristen) Dietel of Memphis, TN, and Danny Dietel of Memphis, TN, two grandchildren, Jacob and Olivia Dietel, and a sister, Nancy Dietel of Alton. He was preceded in death by his father. Private services will be held at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Reverend Steve Rice will officiate. Burial will be at Valhalla Memorial Park in Godfrey with military rites by the VFW Post 1308. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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Tribute Wall



“ Dale G. Dietel

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



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January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ I was in Vietnam with Dale in 1967-1968. We used to stay up long hours between mortar attacks & talk about many things.

I'm sorry for his passing, his worries are now over.

Hugh T. Catron - June 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Sorry to learn of the of the passing of Dale. A family member that we lost touch of.

Please know our thoughts and prayers our with your family

Janice Soukup Gullede - February 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ I'm really sorry to hear Dale passed on he & i were very good friends, we were at the same place in Vietnam

jack farris - November 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ Thoughts and prayers to your family from Steve and Ruby Dumey/
Memhis TN 38002

Steve Ruby Dumey - August 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Our thoughts and prayers for Dale's mother Betty,sister Nancy,his
sons James and Danny, his daughter Megan and his grandchildren
Jacob and Olivia. To my best friend for all the good times we shared
and our many years at Central Hardware. May God bless Dale,his
family and many friends.

Mike,Judy and Ted Wenzlick

Mike Wenzlick - August 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PR

“ So sorry to learn of Dale's passing. My father thought highly of Dale.
Iam sure he will be looking for him in heaven.

Paula K. Rodgers - July 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ I have known Dale since high school. We didn't run in the same circles, but our paths through life crossed many times ,and when it did we always had a good time. After both of our military obligations were met, We mostly crossed at Central Hardware. My most memorable was right after he was called in because he had ordered a multiple amount of fire extinguishers and had been called in for a but chewing, which later was instrumental in a promotion. Seamed no one else in the district was aware that fire extinguisher were mandated in all marine craft. His fare yet military discipline handling the myriad of management woes got him his Promotion to District manager. To bad Central Hardware didn't have more like him. It may have survived a lot longer in the home improvement industry wars. I know he was one of the very last employes of Central Hardware. He wasn't the kind to leave his sinking ship.

Recently I had the fortune to get to spend some time with him. I found him the same great guy. He loved his kids and was extremely proud of them.

I will miss him.

Ron CZICHOS - July 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Heaven will be a happier place now that you are there - you had the best laugh - it came from your toes and made everyone smile. God bless you and your family.

Diana Halm Sheary - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SU

“ I AM HAPPY TO SAY I KNEW DALE YEARS AGO THRU CENTRAL HARDWARE, AND RE-CONNECTED WITH HIM DURING HIS ILLNESS HE WAS SUCH A PRIVATE MAN AND WAS SO GRATEFUL WHEN I TOOK CARE OF HIM,HE DIDN'T WANT TO BE SICK BUT I WILL SAY HE STAYED POLITE, APPRECIATIVE, AND THANKFUL TO ME...RIP DALE GOD BLESS HIS FAMILY AND FRIENDS.....

SUSIE - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ So sorry to hear of your passing...you were a very nice man and I am sure your family will miss you. Thank you for your service to our country,rest well

Pam - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ I'am so sorry to hear of Dale's passing, but he is in a much better place now. I loved Dale. He was there for me when I first started at Central Hardware. He was a great guy to work for, and we soon became good friends.I will miss you Dale. Rest in Peace my friend.
Jerry

Jerry Sherwin - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AG

“Megan, I'm so sorry about the loss of your dad. I know this this is a sad time for you and your brothers and family, and you are in my thoughts and prayers. The Irish blessing has brought me great comfort through the years, so I'll close with that prayer in hopes it does the same for you. I love you honey. Your loving aunt

May the road rise up to meet you, may the wind be ever at your back. May the sun shine warm upon your face and the rain fall softly on your fields. And until we meet again, May God hold you in the hollow of his hand.”

Ann Gastler - July 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM