



## Dannie Joseph Saunders

August 19, 1955 - May 5, 2020

Dannie Joseph Saunders, age 64 of Powell, died Tuesday, May 5, 2020. Employed by Chemical Abstracts Service. He is preceded in death by his father, Donald Saunders. Dannie is survived by his wife of 44 years, Carla Saunders; children, Nolan (Katherine) Saunders, Nathaniel (Chelsea) Saunders, Noa Saunders, and Noelle Saunders; grandchildren, Braedyn, Carrick, and Molly; mother, Joyce Saunders; brothers, Terri (Lisa) Saunders and Chris Saunders. A member of Lifepoint Church. Dannie graduated from South Point High School and received his A.B. and M.A. degrees from Marshall University. A Memorial Service will be scheduled at a later date. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to: American Lung Association.

# Comments

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“ To put it mildly, news of Dannie's death was a real shock. Although he came onto the project when we were more in development than launching (never did fully understand the task breakdown in IT), Dannie always made our meetings pretty interesting. If Dannie said "I know I'm not a chemist but . . . I could be sure that I better start thinking about what he wanted to propose. And sometimes, he was right that we had not considered adequately the impact of a proposed change. The other thing that I could always count on was that sooner or later Dannie would get back to me if I had to leave him a voicemail. CASREACT was a much stronger product over the years because of his contributions.

Bob Dana

Bob Dana - May 17 at 05:01 PM

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“ I am sorry for your loss. May his memory be a blessing. I used to see him when I went to vote.  
Sincerely,  
Vicki Berger

Vicki Berger - May 16 at 10:09 AM

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“ I am in total shock of Dannie's passing. We worked together at SOCF and I remember him as a a dedicated teacher and friend to all of us.

Ken Hack

Ken Hack - May 13 at 03:12 AM

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“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Jeff Jenkins - May 12 at 09:11 AM

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“ If this is a duplicate, sorry, I tried once and I see no sign that it worked! Another user interface in which I can't figure out what I'm supposed to do!

Dannie was a good friend and a great person. I met him at CAS and we played softball together in the 80's. One year I attended the Dayton Air Show with Dannie and a (I thought two) son(s). I tried to attach my best photos from that day.

My sincere sympathy to all. I am so sorry that present circumstances prevent me and others from paying our respects in person.

Jeff Jenkins

Jeff Jenkins - May 12 at 09:09 AM

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“ I am so very sorry for your loss... Words aren't adequate during times like these... I will be holding you in my thoughts and prayers... May God Bless!

Ron Pilatowski - May 11 at 07:45 PM

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“ Hi Carla and Family,  
I'm so sorry to hear of Dannie's passing. I pray for your comfort during this difficult time. Remembering our time on Starbridge Ct.

Love,  
Amy (Ankrom) Hotler

Amy (Ankrom) Hotler - May 11 at 07:43 PM

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“ Dear Carla and family -

We just learned of Dannie's passing. I am so sorry for your loss. I know we haven't had much contact for quite some time, but there are times when I think of all the fun we had on Starbridge Court as young families in our first houses. We are now in California, and I lost track of you and Dannie. I can only offer my deepest condolences at this time. Sending prayers and positive energy for you and your family.

Love,  
Cyndi and Bill Hackett

Cyndi Hackett - May 11 at 05:59 PM



“ Sending you all peace. Dannie was a kind spirit and we will all miss him.  
Jim Carter

Jim Carter - May 11 at 04:48 PM

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“ Carla and family, we just heard about Dannie's passing. So sorry to hear! We will keep all of you in our prayers during this difficult time.  
Sincerely,  
Jerry and Hannah Day

jerry Day - May 11 at 04:46 PM

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“ Dannie and I worked together at CAS many years ago, and I always appreciate his steadfast conscientiousness and his equanimity even in the midst of stress. I was saddened to hear of his passing last week, but I rejoice to know that he is with his Lord and Savior even now. We shared that faith while I worked at CAS, but ironically it became more overt between us after I left CAS and became involved in a workplace ministry at my next place of employment, and had occasion to meet with Dannie in some shared activities.

To the family, may the One Who experienced suffering in this world grant you His closeness and His peace as you mourn your loss.

Hans Dreyer

Hans Dreyer - May 11 at 04:43 PM

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“ Dear Carla and family --

Please accept my condolences on Dannie's passing. We worked together for many years at CAS. He was one of the most conscientious and diligent developers, always seeking ways to improve our processes. We shared "hobby" passions -- baseball and quirky math -- and more serious "life" passions -- family and our love for the Lord Jesus. We enjoyed numerous conversations on each of these subjects.

I know that Dannie cared deeply for you and your children and grandchildren, his deepest relationships. May he now receive the reward that Jesus promised, and may God comfort you in these days, with assurance of the firm faith and true hope that reunion awaits. May the peace of God keep you all in His love.

Sincerely,  
Fred Glasser

Frederick Glasser - May 11 at 04:35 PM

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“ Carla,

We are so sorry to learn of Dannie's passing. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

With love and sympathy,

Janina & Greg Michael

Greg Michael - May 11 at 03:59 PM

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“ Dannie was one of the hardest working, caring, patient people I will ever know. He had true passions for work, nature, religious/philosophical discussions, and baseball. He had an insatiable appetite to get to the bottom of any question, not just content to help solve the current problem (and he could solve almost all of them), but always looking to see how things fit in the bigger what other items might need to be addressed, how to be prepared for anything related that may come up in the future. It is reasonable to assume that God knows a little more about casreact and casreaction data than he did last week. In addition to helping most everyone on the team get through some challenging situations, he had a sweet, sometimes ridiculous sense of humor and genuine interest in those around him. He will be sorely missed by all.  
Ted Donley

Ted Donley - May 10 at 10:00 PM



“ I totally agree with Ted! Dannie had such a passion about figuring out what went wrong and staying with it until it could be explained. He always made me smile when I saw him with all the pins and buttons on his lanyard!

Joy Baker - May 11 at 10:17 AM

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“ I have been working at CAS for a year now - and encountered Dannie about 6 months ago. He was funny, bright, knowledgeable and seemed genuinely kind. I took to him immediately and started mining him for all the lore he held about the realities of CAS. I experienced a real sense of loss when I learned of his untimely death - and i can only imagine the grief his family and friends must feel. I'm glad to have known him even briefly. We will keep him and his family in our evening prayer. Thanks,  
Dannie. J  
Jim Klun

James Klun - May 09 at 02:59 PM