



Dane Clark Paresi

October 22, 1963 - December 30, 2009

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Tribute Wall

DD

“ *Mindy: It has been well over 35 years since we were last in touch, but I still have found memories of spending time with you and your family in Mentor. I just this week happened across this piece of awful news. My heart goes out to you. I only wish I had found out earlier. Take care of yourself, David*

David DeOrio - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ *I would like to extend my most heartfelt condolences to Dane's family. I am the WA State Coordinator of the Home of the Brave Quilt Project and we would like to make quilts in Dane's memory for his wife and mother. Please contact me. And, again, I am so very sorry for your loss.*

Barb Shillinger - December 15, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ *My wife interacts with MindyLou and on occassion with Dane. My daughter has played with Santina out in the Clock Tower Park and they are our neighbors just 120 Feet to our West. I have seen the Orange Honda Element and the Mazda Miata many times from going thru the alley so many times. Our cat has even scuffed with their little dog. I am always (seemingly) deployed and miss out on everyone when I am home; because they are deployed too. Dane in essence is me and I am also he. These are the risks that "We" the defenders and operators of Freedom take and take willfully. It is our spouses and children who inherit the toll of that ultimate price. I say to you Dane - Your soul is everywhere to me because I know who you are without being so close. I say to you Mrs. Paresi - If you need an immediate shoulder, our house is your house when you need comforting ears.*

Robert Sutton - January 14, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Lou, My heart goes out to you and Santina, as well the rest of Dane's family. I just found out about this yesturday from a good SF Brother of mine that is on R & R from his Contract work from the same area. Dee and I want you to know that if there is anything - anything at all you need or we can do for you all, please call, e-mail, or what ever. We are here for you in North Carolina. God Bless you Dane, you are the true meaning of the "Quite Professional" and a Hero for the other lives you saved by giving yours !!! May God now keep you safe at peace. Dane keep the lights lit on the Drop Zone in the big sky for safe Infil of other Special Forces Brothers and Comrades of ours when they come home !!! "De Oppresso Liber / Nous Defion" Blue Skies Bill Chrisman 910-670-8562 personnal cell #

Bill Chrisman - January 14, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Lou, Alex, and Santina, I am so very sorry for your loss. There are no words... You are in my thoughts and prayers. We are here for you if you need us. Dee, Bill, Eddy, and Eve Chrisman

Dee Chrisman - January 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ I wanted to take a minute to express my condolences to Dane's family. Dane and I served together in 3/73 Armor, 82nd Airborne Division during Desert Shield/Storm in 1990-91. A great deal of time has passed since then, but I'm not surprised to learn that Dane went on to do great things. I am proud to have served with him and am deeply saddened by his death.

Matthew Lane - January 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ My deepest condolences to all your family. I knew Dane when we were in 325AIR together. He went SF,I lost contact but we often remembered him over the years and the fun times and hard times at Bragg. I will pray for him and his family. It was my honor to count him as a friend.

Daniel mc Donnell - January 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ I went to school with Dane and we both enlisted in the Army around the same time in the summer of 1982, and we both finished our Airborne training and were stationed at Ft. Bragg from (1982-1985). During our time at Ft. Bragg, I was lucky to get to know Dane. The Dane I knew was outgoing, enjoyed life to the fullest, and wanted to make a difference in the world. He always had a big smile on his face when he greeted people, and made them feel at ease. He made a difference in the world by becoming a Green Beret to serve his country and doing what he loved in foreign lands. Dane has done things we can only read about it in a novel, or view in watered down version of it in a movie. He made the sacrifices for this country that no one can imagine and he did it without hesitation even when he knew the consequences. Dan is a special person who can't be replaced, and the world lost a goof man. The world lost a HERO. Rest in Peace my Airboren Brother. (Airborne All The Way!)

Tayen & Suzanne Lee - January 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ We are honored to have met Dane, and are stricken by this sad news. He acted so heroically, and was such a special person. The world was a better and safer place for Dane's presence. Our hearts go out to you. May God bless and comfort you as we keep you in our prayers. With love and hugs, Beth Agnew, and Mark, Connor and Malini Baker

Beth Agnew & Mark, Connor and Malini Baker - January 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ We love you, Dane. Your bright smile, positive attitude, and joy of life filled any room. You loved your wife with a passion, and clearly adored your daughters. We will miss you. You are a hero.

Kelly Schneider - January 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

EB

“ OUR SINCERE CONDOLENCES TO YOU MINDY AND YOUR FAMILY. CINDY AND I ARE BOTH RETIRED MILITARY AND UNDERSTAND THE SACRIFICES THAT A COMBAT VETERAN LIKE DANE MADE EVERYDAY OF HIS SERVICE. I WILL ALWAYS HONOR HIM AND OTHERS LIKE HIM WHO HAVE PAID THE ULTIMATE PRICE SINCE OUR COUNTRY WAS FOUNDED. GOD BLESS DANE AND HIS FAMILY

ERNIE RICCI AND CINDY BAKER - January 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM

HG

“ A wonderful man. Who will forever remain in our thoughts. Our hearts are broken. All of us at H7o Global. H7oGlobal USA.

H7o Global - January 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PQ

“ Dear Lou and Sunny, Doug, Sean, Linda, and I are so very sorry for your loss. I really enjoyed visiting with all of you, talking about the area and your future plans. All while Sunny is down on the floor playing with Buddy! We appreciate Dane's service to our country and he makes me very proud to be an American. Patti Buska
Wallowa Lake Resort

Patti Quinn-Buska - January 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

NF

“ I remember the very first time we met Dane. He greeted us with a jolly smile as he helped us unload our moving truck. We appreciated Dane's quick wit and sense of humor. He was often seen walking around his garage wearing his military thermals, or his Afghani sweater, reading the paper, and smoking his pipe. He was a regular Rockwell picture. I look up to him and his family... they shared such an amazing adoration for each other. They were not afraid of kissing or making loving comments to each other in public... even if it would make Santana and sometimes Lou blush. Of course, Dane would never blush... he would just grin even bigger. We will always remember our dear friend and neighbor. We love you!

Nuttall Family - January 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ Lou and girls: we just wanted u to know something that u of course already knew, your hub was so special. being a part of such a can do, a-type profession for so many years, sf; my hub couldn't say enough what a genuine "nice " guy was dane. someone who you could always count on, who cared and would go the extra mile. The Bailey family is completely saddened by your loss. We were just reminiscing over my hubs retirement party and how much it meant to have such real, genuine people there, like your family. Lou, we have made this our home and if you decide to too,, we'd like to love on you and share, and care however that may look like. God speed and hooah. we are praying for you and for loss.

ali and oj bailey - January 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ Sad news, I served with Dane in Dco 4/325 AIR "Gold Falcons" in the 82nd Airborne Division. He was a great NCO, RIP Paresi. "AAW"! Former Sgt. Lynch

Kevin Lynch - January 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ We're so very, very sorry to hear this tragic news. Our prayers are with his family and friends. Thanks to him for his service to all of us.

Jack & Suzi Wilcox - January 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ My prayers go out to the Paresi family. Dane was not only a friend but he was my brother. I was proud to serve with Dane in the OPS DET 1st SFG(A). I remember the day when I first met Dane. I received a phone call and there was a guy that wanted to work in the OPS DET. He sounded very excited to get a job. I told him I would pass on his information to our Sergeant Major. I hung up the phone, in 5 minutes someone was knocking on the door. It was Dane. He was very amped up and excited and wanted to know details of the OPS DET. Dane got a job working in the OPS DET as the Operations Sergeant. He was one of the hardest workers I have met. He always gave 100% and then some. If I ever needed anything done, I could always count on him. One day I was talking on the phone and I told the person who I was talking with, that I would call as soon as I hung up the phone. I guess Dane was over hearing my conversation. As soon as I hung up Dane said here. He handed me the phone. He actually called that person for me. Dane always took care of us like that. He was always motivated and always seem to stay a step ahead of anyone. One day I was updating my Enlisted Records brief. Dane notice that I went to the Primary Leadership Development Course back in Baumholder, Germany. He said he went to that one too. It turned out that we both Graduate from the same course, and that was back in 1986. So we have crossed paths in the Army. The first part of my enlistment and my last. It was a great honor to have served with Dane. He will never be forgotten. MSG (RET) Daniel Apodaca 1st Special Forces Group (Airborne) "De Oppresso Liber"

Daniel Apodaca - January 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ *MindyLou Paresi and the Paresi Family: Please accept my condolences on Danes loss and my great appreciation for the service Dane provided our country. I went to highschool with Dane but did not know him well, and have not been in touch with him since. It came as very sad news to lean that Dane had perished defending against the attack. That news highlighted just what a small and interconnected world this is, and highlighted the risk, hardship, and sacrifice that Dane and others defending our country do to protect the rest of us. Thank you. In speaking with folks about Dane and reading about his life in the recent News Tribune article, it was good to learn what an honorable and successful life he lived. I am very sorry for your loss.*

Greg Worden - January 07, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ *I served, jumped, sweated and bled alongside Dane in A Co 3rd BN (Airborne) 73rd Armor Regt, 82nd ABN Div in the early 90's. He was one of the first NCO's I meet when I arrived at the unit as a Private fresh out of Airborne school. He is a great leader, mentor and friend. We had alot of good times jumping and training here at Bragg and sweating in the desert. I haven't seen him since I left A Co in 92' but i still feel a kinship due to the times we shared. My heartfelt condolences to his family, Dane was a great man and I am saddened and hurt by his loss. (i believe i have some pictures of him if the family would email me I will gladly send them, I just them.)*

MSG (Ret) Mike Bratton - January 07, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ Dane Paresi was like a comet, who's life filled any space. You ALWAYS knew when Dane was nearby. This world was never big enough for him, and his TRUE calling is now being felt. Dane has joined those true hero's who have given everything they had to those they touched. We will miss him, but know that he is HOME!

Jim & Julie Nauman - January 07, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ I have never met Dane, but as the mother of a soldier currently deployed in Iraq, I want to extend my heart felt prayers and condolences to his family. May God, family and friends help you through this difficult time. My thoughts are with you.

Peggy Kvinge - January 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ I remember the first morning after the girls & I arrived in dupont I walked out on our balcony overlooking the snow-covered -hill & there playing in the snow was Santina & Dane... My girls were so excited that they just had to go out & meet them. I remember a feeling of relief come over me, how welcoming they both were...after speaking with Dane about the new town, the schools, & his wonderful wife Lou. I couldn' t believe how lucky we were to have met such wonderful people so effortlessly. You have an amazing family! my eyes are full of tears & my heart is breaking for you even as I share my thoughts with you... Dane is a true hero who has made the ultimate sacrifice for all Americans. We pray for your family & Dane every night. Remember as I have said before We are here for you, please don't hesitate to call or stop by .

Gina, Tony, Tyanna & Kayla Batiste - January 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ I wish I had tried harder...

Christina - January 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

HP

“ In this time I want to send my condolences to lou and the kids and my grandparents and uncles and aunt this is not something easy. However how incredible is it to say I run the same blood of DANE PARESI and may we all start a better day tomorrow together in his memory!!!

heather paresi - January 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BV

“ Lou, Alex, and Sunny; there are not enough words or tears in the world that can express my sadness. Dane is the poster boy for an all AMERICAN HERO! I am so blessed to be a part of the Paresi sisterhood. Lou, I promise that you will not have to hold me up too long. All my LOVE and thoughts are with you and your and family.

Brandy Varga - January 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Lou, Alex and Santina, It has been an honor to support you in this diffucult time. I truly believe Americans have freedom because of men like Dane! Paresi sisters always!

Betsy Furr - January 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

NL

“ Lou, Alex and Santina, My thoughts love and prayers are with you today and always. Nancy

Nancy Levcovich - January 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KC

“*Lou, Alex and Sunny, I will hold a special place in my heart forever for each of you. I hope that you know I will continue to "fight" the mission and hold your hands throughout this dark journey ahead... the clouds will clear and we will remain "peeps" forever.. Thank you for welcoming me into the "Paresi Sisterhood"... Love you guys!*

Kristie Cole - January 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BL

“*My sincerest condolences to Dane's family, esp. to his wife & daughters. My heart goes out to you. You are in my thoughts & prayers. It is because of men & women like Dane who are willing to make the ultimate sacrifice that the rest of us can live in with the freedoms that we so often take for granted. Not that he ever was aware but Dane & I not only went to school together, his oldest 3 brothers are my cousins. Rest in peace.*

Brenda Lee - January 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AA

“*Lou and Santina, my heart and prayers go out to you. . . .I can't even come up with the words to express my sorrow for you. But I have many good memories of the three of you together. . .Your extreme love for and commitment to one another was very evident and inspirational to see!*

AnneMarie Agers - January 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM