



## Scott A. Cann

November 29, 1961 - February 2, 2025

SCOTT ALAN CANN November 29, 1961 ~ February 2, 2025 Heaven gained an angel on February 2, 2025 in the spirit of Scott Alan Cann. He was 63 years old; way too young! Scott was born to Delmar Robert Smith and Patricia Ann Fournier on November 29, 1961 in Sandpoint, Idaho, two months prematurely. He beat the odds of survival in that time. Scott was later adopted by Richard Wayne Cann. Scott aspired to experience the best that life had to offer and loved involving his family on ventures including Hawaii, cruises, holiday celebrations, and sporting events. He was also there to lend a hand in the form of to-do lists and major family events for his daughters, mother, brothers, sister, and friends. He loved to bowl and even won some national tournaments in the top ten percent. Scott loved the outdoors and loved to fish and organized an annual fishing trip with best friend Cliff Pepper on the coast, which he enjoyed immensely and could hardly wait for the next year. Scott grew up a military brat, moving every three or four years to various port bases including Hawaii, California, and New York before settling in Post Falls, Idaho where he graduated high school in 1980. Scott then attended the Denver Institute of Technology, graduating in 1982, after marrying his first wife, Diane. In 1986, Scott enlisted in the US Army, completing Basic Training at Fort Jackson, South Carolina and Advanced Individual Training for Single Channel Radio Operator at Fort Gordon, Georgia. He was then stationed at Fort Campbell, Kentucky for the remainder of his two-year active commitment. He then fulfilled his contract in the Washington National Guard and Army

Reserves in Spokane, Washington. He was a devoted soldier and loved his job. In 1990, Scott married his second wife, Julia, and started a family with nine-year-old stepdaughter, Merica, and later added two daughters: Desiree in 1990 and Nikala in 1992. He was devoted to giving them the best, attended all of their conferences, concerts, and sporting events, and assured that his daughters had a good education. His second marriage ended in 2003 and he later found his person and life partner in Inday, spending the last almost seven years together. Scott's dream was to work in electronics, robotics, computing and the like, thus achieving a Bachelor Degree in Computer Engineering Technology from Eastern Washington University. Upon graduation in 1994, he made a successful career at SEH America in Vancouver, Washington where he remained until retiring in December, 2024. His success there included a patented invention and numerous programming projects in robotics and pneumatics. He was a top technician there and was respected by his co-workers. Scott is survived by his partner, Inday; his daughters: Desiree (Michael) McClellan and Nikala Cann; his mother, Patricia; his father, Robert Smith; his brother, Michael; his brother, Gregg; his sister, Debbie Cann-Gilley; his stepdaughter, Merica; his grandchildren: Braxlee, Braelyn, and Brielee; Jayla and Alana; his nieces and nephews, and other extended family. He was preceded in death by his father Richard; his Aunt Carol; and his grandparents Neil and Pauline. He will be forever in our hearts!

# Tribute Wall



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Evergreen Memorial Gardens - July 03, 2025 at 06:21 PM

EK

“ ❤️❤️❤️ There are no words to share how much Scott was loved by our family, or how profoundly sorry we are that he is not with us now... He is mourned, remembered, loved, and prayed for. Until we see you again, dear friend 🕊️☐☐☐

En Kelly - March 04, 2025 at 12:00 AM

PO

“ Our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Scott A. Cann whom we officially met on July 8, 2023 at their annual fishing adventure in Ilwaco, WA. His loyal, long-time life companion, Inday, has been my friend since elementary school in the Philippines. I'm so glad she invited us and we decided to join their fishing trip because Scott, his family and friends were so welcoming and fun-loving! Fast forward to August 2024, Inday and Scott were in Las Vegas for the annual bowling tournament held at South Point Hotel. After his games, we were able to spend time with Inday & Scott, took them around Vegas and shared a meal or two. The time we spent with Scott was brief but that was more than enough to know that he was a gentle & kind, human being. He mentioned his children & grandchildren with the utmost care and love. He was proud of his work, his knowledge, and was a champion for education. His plans for the future after retirement was going to be full of exciting travel and more fishing adventures with Inday, family and his best friends. Scott will be missed by me and my husband. We wish we had more time to get to know him more. For now, we humbly pray that he is resting in peace with our Lord. 🙏🕊️

Phyllis & Dario Ocampo - March 02, 2025 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ Scott has been a very kindly, devoted and loving friend/partner to my close friend Inday, a father/grandfather to his girls & he will be truly missed.

Randy & Nancy (Eral) Hunsucker - March 02, 2025 at 12:00 AM

PO

“ We honor Scott with this memorial tree as a symbol of his kind, gentle spirit and enduring love for my dear friend Inday. God bless you. RIP

Phyllis & Dario Ocampo - March 02, 2025 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Evergreen Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Funeral Chapel and Crematory

A Memorial Tree was planted for Scott A. Cann - February 28, 2025 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Missing you dearly, brother. This photo, taken last May-the last time I saw you. It's hard to fathom that you're gone, especially when you were only ever a phone call away. We dreamed of countless adventures together and catching up on lost time. Rest in peace; you'll always remain in my heart and never be forgotten.

Debbie Cann-Gilley - February 28, 2025 at 12:00 AM