



Glenn Sand

November 24, 1947 - December 8, 2008

Glenn Sand, 61, longtime Ephrata area resident, passed away peacefully in his home on Monday, December 8, 2008. Memorial services will be held at 3:00 p.m. Friday, April 12, 2008 at Kayser's Chapel of Memories in Moses Lake with Pastor Jody Bowser officiating. Arrangements are in care of Kayser's Chapel & Crematory. You may sign the guestbook or leave a note for the family at www.kayserschapel.com

Glenn Sand was born in 1947 in Powell , Wyoming to Lorna and Elmer Sand. He was the third of 6 sons. After graduating from Ephrata High School in 1966, he found work in Seattle as an apprentice auto mechanic and shared an apartment with three of his good friends from school. He was drafted into the U.S. Army and served in Vietnam with the 362nd Tropospheric Scatter Signal Company as a technician.

After returning home, he married Darlene Gossage of Soap Lake and moved to Ephrata in 1975, the same year he completed his apprenticeship as a journeyman electrician in the IBEW. There they raised their three children, Sheri Kim Leatham, Brian and Joel. After retiring from the trade in 1992, Glenn liked to spend his time reading, building, and programming computers. Over the years he built many websites to keep in touch with his friends in the IBEW and those that served with him in the U.S. Army.

He is survived by his mother, Lorna; his brothers Jerry, Bob, Lonnie, Steve, and Doug; his daughter Sheri; sons Brian and Joel; and nine grandchildren and step-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his Father Elmer, and

wife Darlene.

Previous Events

Service

DEC 12. 3:00 PM (PT)

Kayser's Chapel of Memories
831 S. Pioneer Way
Moses Lake, WA

Tribute Wall



“ WE ALL LOVE, AND MISS BOBO
I will never find another you..
Sweet dreams my love.
Goodnight Bob###imported-begin##GWEN###imported-end##

August 19, 2009 at 11:02 PM



“ Glenn will be missed by many. I last spoke to him on FaceBook, not surprising, as he was always looking for ways to improve communication. This is a serious loss for all of us.###imported-begin##Michael Wood###imported-end##

February 15, 2009 at 04:26 PM



“ I was so sorry to hear of Glenn's passing. I have a lot of memories of Glenn and the whole Sand family.I was once a Sand myself. Glenn was my brother-in-law and Darlene was my sister-in-law and best friend for years! Let me tell ya, Glenn intimidated me when I was young! Even though, I always did respect the fact that he was straight to the point, no sugar coating anything!I forgave him a long time ago for pissen me off, LOL, Most people whom have known Glenn knew that under all that growling was a man with a deep soul and a big heart! You just had to really know who Glenn was!! remember how Glenn loved his children.I wasn't around to meet his grandchildren but I bet he was a proud grandpa. My heart goes out to you Lorna, and all the brothers, children and grandchildren. I hope everyone can feel some peace knowing that Glenn is now at peace. God Bless.....###imported-begin##Marcia Randall###imported-end##

December 20, 2008 at 04:56 PM



“ To my Uncle...
There is something that I must say ... for everyone to know... I love you no matter what happened with you and my dad ... you are still mine. You always have been and always will be. From now on we will be a family. You have always been in my heart and that is where you will stay forever. I love you so much ... by the way, have fun in that great place and say hi to Aunt Darleen for me. I love you uncle! Until we meet again.
Your Neice,
Erin##imported-begin##Erin Cooper (Sand)##imported-end##

December 18, 2008 at 12:36 AM



“ Glenn was an awesome friend. Through thick and thin he was MY friend to the end. I will miss him so much! ! ! He didn't mince words and that's what I loved about him. I do think he went easy on me most times because of the love we shared. He will forever have a place in my heart and words can not express the loss of someone so very special to me. Glenn (my surrogate Dad) RIP. . . I LOVE YOU! ! !##imported-begin##Princess##imported-end##

December 17, 2008 at 10:36 PM



“ I never met him but He was strong in his beliefs and me and him went head to head several times but I still respected his beliefs he will be missed I know he cared about his family and my prayers are with them##imported-begin##Edward (eddiej)##imported-end##

December 17, 2008 at 03:13 PM



“ Okay brother, I guess it's about time I start to come to realize that you are really gone. This last year, not really seeing or talking with each other, has come to a true life experience of what not to let happen between family and friends. Coming to the grips of reality has been hard to do. I will always remember and love you. The next time we meet will be the time of all times.
Till then, Glenn,....you'll be in my thoughts forever.
Doug Sand##imported-begin##Doug Sand##imported-end##

December 16, 2008 at 03:26 AM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. I served with Glen In the 362nd Signal Company. When we were emailing, I was surprised at what he rememberer. His emails made me think. Hang Loose, Glen.##imported-begin##Bob Goettel##imported-end##

December 15, 2008 at 06:46 PM



“ Sorry for your loss. Glenn was fun, funny and I will miss him too. Hang loose! Jll##imported-begin##Jack Lancaster##imported-end##

December 15, 2008 at 05:31 PM



“ I only began to know of Glenn over the last couple of years. He struck me as a man who was willing to stand by his convictions, despite the cost. I pray God's comfort, for those who feel the loss of his presence in the physical form and the knowledge that his spirit continues on their hearts.

*In Truth, Light and Brothely Love,
Brother Roland*

IBEW L.U. 569##imported-begin##Roland Pangle##imported-end##

December 14, 2008 at 11:57 AM



“ Many a year as internet friend and IBEW Brother from Edna, KS. I feel for your loss, and will futher the news to his many IBEW brothers##imported-begin##Steve (Battman) Batts##imported-end##

December 14, 2008 at 10:14 AM



“ It was with great sadness that I read Glenn's obituary in the Grant County Journal today. We had not been in touch for many years, but I have fond and vivid memories of our shared apartment and experiences during the summer of 1966. Glenn and Mike McNeill had just gotten hired at Carter Volkswagon in Seattle, and I had a summer job between terms at WSU. The three of us located a one-bedroom apartment with an indoor swimming pool on Summit Avenue East on Capital Hill. We put three single beds in the one bedroom, and invited everyone we knew to come swim in our swimming pool! Glenn was my friend, and my thoughts go out to the family.##imported-begin##John Morris##imported-end##

December 13, 2008 at 04:40 PM



“ I'm proud to have been able to call Glenn my friend for the past 41 years. We all share in your loss of a great man and special person. " God Bless".##imported-begin##Michael & Debra Hill##imported-end##

December 13, 2008 at 12:54 PM



“ SHERI WHERE ARE YOU. I have not moved and miss you so very much
PIG SLOP !!!! 509-855-3599 I love you and you know how i feel about Glen please tell Ash I am so sorry about her loss LOVE YOU ALWAYS##imported-begin##BETSY##imported-end##

December 12, 2008 at 08:44 PM



“ My most sincere condolences to Glenn's family. Glenn and I were "Brothers-in-Arms", serving in Vietnam: 362nd Signal Company, 1969. Many of his best efforts were fueled by his desire to help others. In our talks over the years, Glenn, in retrospect, recognized where he could have done better, and took pride in that which was done well. Brother, you will be missed by all. Hang Loose Buddy.... Joe##imported-begin##Joe Bartnik##imported-end##

December 12, 2008 at 04:47 PM



“ My sympathy goes out to Glenn's family. I got to know Glenn when we served together in Vietnam in the summer of 1968 through the summer of 1969. I got to know him again on the internet over the past few years through his 36deuce site. He served his country well and he will be missed. He was a good man and a good friend.##imported-begin##Barry Ommen##imported-end##

December 12, 2008 at 01:05 PM



“ Dear Brian,

It was with real sadness that I read your note Brian saying that your father Glenn has passed away.

On November 20, 2008 our father Robert Cline passed away. Your Dad was so kind to write in Dad's online guestbook. It was wonderful to read what your father wrote to us. Glenn said he had worked with our Dad, and so had Glenn's father.

Now we realize that we sisters went to school in Soap Lake with your Mom Darlene years ago.

Know that my sisters and I are thinking of you, Sheri, and Joel at this time.

Our sincerest condolences to your family.

Barbara Cline Ingraham

Brenda Cline Hogge

*Phyllis Cline Bartalamay##imported-begin##Barbara
Ingraham##imported-end##*

December 11, 2008 at 07:21 PM



“ *Please accept my sincere condolences. I have always admired Brother Glenn for his savvy determination. He will be missed.##imported-begin##Tim Mitchinson##imported-end##*

December 11, 2008 at 12:53 AM



“ So long, Brother. May you rest in peace.##imported-begin##Joseph "Josparkz" Reilly##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 08:50 PM



“ Glenn, thanks for the good times, for the memories, even though I never met you we shared several phone conversations and many contless lively hours on the Internet on your fabulous websites. My best friend on the Internet that I never met. I trust you are in a better place and I will miss you.

To his Family, I know he was very proud of all of you and he loved you very much. I know he will always be irreplaceable here on Earth. Thoughts and Prayers always##imported-begin##Michael Acree##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 07:51 PM



“ We want you to know how sorry we are with your loss. Your family is in our prayers. Michael and Pat Gadden (IBEW member of 37 years)##imported-begin##Michael Gadden##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 06:22 PM



“ I am deeply saddened hearing of the passing of a truly one-of-a-kind Brother. My sincerest condolences to Glenns family. As well as all his many friends, Brothers, and Sisters all over the country. I dont think I have ever learned so much from any one person about a multitude of things ranging from the computer, to the IBEW. I do know that our websites will be a much more boring place without you, Glenn. I am so sorry that I didnt made it back to Wa in a more timely manner, as I had really looked forward to meeting up with you in person, finally, after over 10? years. Rest in peace Brother. Give the Big Guy a run for his money!!!##imported-begin##Kevin P (getmemymoney)##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 05:52 PM



“ My deepest condolences to the family of Brother Glenn Sand. Although I haven't talked to him for a while, I enjoyed the late night chats. Brother Sand will be missed.
Dits##imported-begin##Chris Ditsworth##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 05:26 PM



“ I am TRULY saddened.##imported-begin##mike buck##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 01:53 PM



“ Though I never met you in person, Glenn, I feel as though we have been friends for nine years. Through you I have met many others who I also consider friends like Al, Matt, Jeff and Patty... ok you too Juice. It would have been a pleasure for me to have worked with you on the road. I will miss your daily emails, I will miss your sites, I will miss your debates but most of all I will miss you. I will miss your stories and how you talked about your wife and kids and I have no doubt that you and your wife and dog are reunited again. I guess God needed someone to argue with. Rest in peace, Glenn, I will grrreatly miss you. Jim###imported-begin##Jim Gallahue##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 12:44 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with Glenn and his family now and for always. Glenn and I have spent months, days and hours together on line pursuing his heartfelt passion to provide his fellow IBEW Brothers and Sisters with information through his ability to build and maintain informational websites.
The Administration and members of the IBEW MinuteMan thank Glenn and will always hold Glenn dear to them. Rest in peace Brother you have earned your place with the best. Love you Brother!!! Dan Fodor LU 68 (retired) Administrator of the IBEW Minuteman.com###imported-begin##Dan ##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 12:05 PM



“ My sincere condolences go out to the Sands family. Although I never met Glenn in person, we had a very good online relationship. Glenn cared very deeply about the IBEW and he used his skills to spread the word. I and the brothers at IBEWwireman.com will truly miss Glenn.##imported-begin##Darren "sandman" Sanborn##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 11:22 AM



“ Dear Sands Family,
I just caught up with Glenn after 42 years and we have had quite a visit the past month and a half. We graduated together in Ephrata. We did a lot of catching up and Glen was truly proud of his family, Sons and his Grandchildren.
He was so looking forward to family time at Thanksgiving and again at Christmas. What a great guy, wish we had more time to get reacquainted.
I pray for the family and friends that they may be comforted in the coming days. God be with you. Joyce L##imported-begin##Joyce Sumrall LoParco##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 11:02 AM



“ Glenn,

I will deeply miss as a great friend and confidant. Your wisdom is truly unmatched by any other human being I have ever met. You were my great friend and mentor. Again, words simply cannot describe what we've all lost this day. My deepest sympathy to the family of this great man, and may God bless you all.

God Bless You,

Scott Wheat##imported-begin##Scott Ranon Wheat##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 06:58 AM



“ *I never got to meet Glenn personally but have known him for years online and had many hours long conversations on the phone with him. Both wanting to get on the road and meet but never did. He has truly enriched my life in numerous ways. He is one person I will miss in this world. There is an empty space now that he is gone. His conversations regardless of how they started whether it be unions and labor or politicians and politics always ended up as a means for him to eventually brag about his children and grandchildren. He was proud of all of you and your accomplishments. You all will be in my prayers and know that he will be missed. I am a better person for knowing him.*

Mathew Vassek

AKA Grape Ape

IBEW 934 Kingsport TN.##imported-begin##Mathew

Vassek##imported-end##

December 10, 2008 at 12:50 AM