



## Daniel Thomas Welsh

January 11, 1948 - November 25, 2019

Passed away on November 25, 2019 in Hamilton, Ontario, at the age of 71. Long time husband to Rose. Loving father to Lorraine (Derek) Welsh, and loving grandfather to Kyle and Chayse. Brother to Len (Anna), and uncle to many nieces and nephews. An avid hiker, he made many friends along the Bruce Trail. He will be sadly missed by many. Our thanks to the staff of the Hamilton General Hospital Cardiac Care. A Celebration of Life will be held on Sunday December 15, 2019 from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m., spoken words at 2 p.m. at Circle of Life Cremation and Burial Centre, 100 King St. E. (additional parking at the Air Force Club). In lieu of flowers, please donate to the Ontario Eastern Bluebird Society c/o Anne Davidson, 187 Eagle St. Delhi, ON N4B 1S7

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**DEC** **Celebration of Life** 01:00PM - 04:00PM

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Circle of Life Cremation and Burial Centre Inc.  
100 King St. E, Dundas, ON, CA, L9H 1C4

# Comments

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“ I'm so sad. He was a dear friend to Ken and I for many years. We even went to MMRobinson h.s. where he was a wrestler in the 60s. We hiked and loved blue birds. We knew all the names of 60 70s song and sang them together. Any questions about nature, I called Dan. He had the answers. He was so witty. He was kind and fun and we thought he'd live a long life so we could have more fun times. It's a very sad time for Ken and I, Lesley Anderson Blake

PS....I'm so grateful for the pictures everyone

**Lesley Anderson Blake** - February 17, 2020 at 02:46 PM

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“ Dan was an awesome guy. He took care of the Bluebird house's at my place.

**Chris Stevenson** - January 11, 2020 at 10:41 AM

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“ At the end of my first E2E this year, I got a handshake from Dan. At the end of my second hike, I got a photo. When I got home, I told everyone about him. What a positive force. He motivated me and everyone around him to keep going. I will cherish every time I saw him up ahead on the trail.

**Marie** - January 01, 2020 at 10:11 AM

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**Lois Corey** - December 22, 2019 at 02:05 PM

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“ I was shocked and saddened to hear of Dan's death. I met Dan on many Bruce Trail hikes in the 1990s. He was an inveterate jokester and an incredibly fast hiker, defying many of the usual hiking conventions. Much of the time, he wore only a t-shirt and jeans, carrying nothing--not even water. He would hike swiftly to the end, and then backtrack to encourage us slowpokes. Dan was an icon on the trail, and it's difficult to imagine that he's gone. Not having seen him for over 20 years, in looking at the tribute photos posted, I was struck by how little he seemed to have changed in the interim.

My heartfelt condolences to Dan's family and friends.

Ingrid Keon (nee Matchkars)



Ingrid Keon - December 18, 2019 at 08:16 PM

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“ I only hiked with Dan once, on June 21st, 2019, during my Bruce Trail End to End. During that day, I got to know, a bit, the man who in 2018 had completed hiking the Bruce Trail End to End for the 12th time! He hiked with me in the Dundas Valley (Iroquoia section), after I contacted him through his bluebird e-mail (now I know the reason behind that e-mail identity). I was amazed at his thriftiness (and his fitness). He brought no pack, water or lunch, not even his car keys (he hid them in one wheel of his car). I had to insist that he drink some of the water that I had brought, when we stopped briefly. I am a fast hiker, but during that 26 km hike, I could barely keep up with him, and I am quite a bit younger than he was. He was proud of his hiking badges, so many, that he kept them in a huge shoe box. I met him again a few weeks later, in the Beaver Valley, with a group of hikers. Rest in peace Dan.



Elizabeth Szilassy - December 17, 2019 at 05:48 PM

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“ You were guaranteed and laugh and smile being in Dan’s company. My condolences to his family and friends. Dan will be dearly missed by so many.



**Wanda Hatton** - December 16, 2019 at 09:05 AM

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“ I knew Dan just one year, but in that year Dan was present on many of the hikes that I was a part of - whether it was a small group hike or an official E2E.

Dan's love of life and his sense of humor were infectious. He absolutely loved to make people laugh! On one particular hike, he told me a story and mimicked the actions to go with it - well, he had me in stitches - I laughed so hard that I was in tears and my stomach hurt. Later that day, the hiker that had been walking some distance behind us said "I don't know what Dan was saying to you, but he told you that story eight times!" - as she had observed me in fits of laughter again and again... After that, I think he took pride in being able to push my laugh buttons - as he would start the same story and be able to elicit the same response from me - all I needed was to see that mischief in his eyes and that smile on his face as he'd start up and I'd be in stitches again. One of the most hilarious beings I have ever met.

Just in October, he offered to help me finish the Toronto section. I remember him saying how much he enjoyed the one on one hikes - how that is really how you get to know someone. We had some good talks that day and I will treasure that one on one time that I was privileged to spend with him. What makes it extra special is that, unbeknownst to him, it was my birthday. I brought him a sweet treat - which we all know he enjoyed immensely. I will treasure that day.

Here are a couple photos from that day - he took time to clean the wren nesting out of one of the bluebird houses we came upon, and on the bridge - he is lecturing me about something that he was passionate about.

Dan leaves a huge hole on the Bruce Trail and in all of our hearts. The bluebirds were singing a sad song the day he left us behind, but he left this earth doing what he loved to do - as he had told many of us - this was his wish and he would die happy!

My condolences to Dan's family and his many, many close friends and extended family on the Bruce Trail.

Dan, we will miss your hugs, your smiling face and your stories - you were truly one of a kind!



Rosemary Zehr - December 15, 2019 at 08:39 AM

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“ Dan was a working buddy at PL Robertson's in Milton for 40 some years and after both retired Tuesday afternoon was coffee time at Tim's and breakfast once a month. After Bruce passed away I would met with Dan the odd time for coffee or the last breakfast was just a week before he died.  
My condolence to all of the Welsh Families

Florence Peer

Florence Peer - December 14, 2019 at 12:08 PM

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“ Anne lit a candle in memory of Daniel Thomas Welsh



Anne - December 14, 2019 at 08:33 AM



“ My sincere condolences to Dan's family. I met him on a number of occasions through Carol and Glenn. Dan made an indelible impression on me, as he has for countless people, with his infectious sense of humour, kindness, love of nature and caring for every living being and thing on Mother Earth. He was a truly kind, gentle and caring soul and his memory will continue to shine

Anne

Anne - December 14, 2019 at 08:38 AM

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“ I was sad to learn that Dan had passed away. I have many happy memories of hiking alongside Dan, going back 20 years. As a hiking companion Dan could brighten one's day, his easy-going pleasant manner and his willingness to share his knowledge on nature made the hiking experience a pleasure. Dan was a great ambassador for the Bruce Trail, he would greet newcomers with a warm smile and friendly comment that immediately put them at ease. I offer my condolences to Dan's immediate and extended family.

Peter McSweeney

Peter McSweeney - December 13, 2019 at 08:10 PM

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“ My first real encounter with Dan was when we shared a room for eight day hiking the Peninsula in June 2019.  
For eight days I tried to match his wit, always thinking I came in second.  
His wit and love for nature will echo the Bruce trails forever.  
My deepest condolences to Dan family, he will surely be missed.  
Dennis hamberlain

**Dennis Chamberlain** - December 12, 2019 at 09:06 PM

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“ I met Dan on the 2019 Iroquoia End-to-End. What a marvel he was! As a sometimes trail runner, I had aspired to run the trail as much as I could, but the trail that day sure taught me some respect. As I came - partially limping, no less - into the tent at final checkpoint, Dan was heading over from the parking lot, coming back to "see the slow people in." This will always give me a chuckle! Me, dreaming I could run: but in reality, I was heading up the "slow" class. I learned a lot that day, and I'm motivated to learn more. Thanks Dan, for being so warm, welcoming and inspiring for a newbie like me.

My heartfelt condolences to the Dan's family and his many friends. This Trail legend will be greatly missed, and long remembered.

**Brenda S.** - December 12, 2019 at 01:30 PM

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“ What a terrible shock it was to learn of Dan's passing this morning. It has been less than 2 months since I last saw him at the Iroquoia End-to-End. I was very fortunate to have spent a full day hiking with him the prior week at the Caledon End-to-End. He was the same old Dan, funny, enthusiastic about everything and with a true passion for life. We chatted about some of the "old-timers" who were no longer able to hike. Ironically, I confirmed he still had my contact information and asked him to let me know if something happened to anyone that I might know. I never thought of Dan as an "old-timer". I was feeling pretty sluggish that day and it was Dan who kept me going at a decent pace. I remember asking Dan how old he was, marvelling at his fitness level and stating that I could only wish to be in half as fit as him when I reached his age.

Many people will remember Dan for being so outgoing and his sense of humour. While this is true, what I think really set him apart was how much he cared about everything and everyone.

We will all miss you Dan.

**Wanda Ferguson** - December 12, 2019 at 08:17 AM

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“ What a character and what a hiking buddy ( if you could keep up! ) Thankyou Dan for being a hiking Welcome Wagon to me and countless others. Many condolences to Dan's family.



**Graham Stead** - December 11, 2019 at 10:42 AM

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“ Like many others, I was distraught when our good friend, Dan, died suddenly. His death was a shock. He was one of those people that I expected to never die. My sadness and disbelief are lingering. It seems true for many.

He was the definition of unassuming. Always friendly and never afraid to tell his truth.

Carol and I knew him as a good friend and for his passion towards bluebirds. We met him through friends at a yearly Christmas gathering in Thornbury 20 plus years ago. He talked about birds a lot.

He started putting up bluebird boxes, including at our place. I remember how proud he was the first year when, because of his husbandry, about 20 bluebirds came into the world. Eventually he put up bluebird boxes on many of the houses on our street as well as numerous homes far and wide. He did all the work; put up poles, installed the bird houses, cleaned them out a couple times a year, greased the poles to keep raccoons away from the babies, check on the birds regularly from before the eggs were hatched until the babies fledged. Every year, he kept meticulous records and his baby count increased yearly. He often had bluebird walks at various locations. I never saw anyone who wasn't thrilled. He never asked anyone for money. His was a labour of love.

The latest tally I heard was well over 600 bluebirds that he was solely responsible for bringing into the world this year alone. He also did the same for tree swallows.

The hiking and birding communities in Southern Ontario and his many friends and family know that we lost a good man. He lived and died doing what he loved.

Glenn

**Glenn McHarg** - December 09, 2019 at 08:15 AM

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“ Dan was such a blessing in our life, and to the wider natural world as many have said. For almost the last 20 years, he set up and monitored blue bird boxes and tree-swallow boxes on our farm not far from where he lived these last many years. Through the winter, he filled a feeder at the end of our driveway near the road for chickadees finches & other wee birds . Every spring he'd help fledge all these hatchling bluebirds. I learned so much from him. These last number of years, whenever my husband Glenn and I were away, he stayed at our farm, and lovingly cared for our beautiful aging dog Kimble (they had their circuit ) and our more recent mischievous cat Merlin. Kimble passed in 2018 at the age of almost 16 & we are so grateful for the kindness and fun Dan brought into her life... Dear Dan - Glenn, Merlin and I are forever grateful to you and miss you so much buddy . May your kindness and legacy of care to the natural world live on.



**Carol** - December 08, 2019 at 06:33 PM

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“ Our heartfelt condolences to Rose and the whole Welsh family. Dan was a true friend to us both for many years and will be sadly missed, especially at the monthly breakfast in Pushlinch.  
**BOB&MARILYN WATSON**

**BOB&MARILYN WATSON** - December 05, 2019 at 03:49 PM

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“ In 2013 while completing the Iroquoia End to End, I met Dan. While I was sore, tired, exhausted and at a point that I easily could have packed it in, Dan encouraged me to continue. I awaited his encouraging words at each check point that day and will never forget his genuine passion for nature. I happily accepted my badge from Dan on October 27 and have never forgotten his kind hearted soul.

May his soul continue to walk the Bruce Trail forever encouraging others.

Cheryl H

**Cheryl** - December 05, 2019 at 02:09 PM

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“ Dan you left us all in awe with your passion for hiking and preserving nature in all it's splendor. From hiking, to birding and meeting old and welcoming new friends along the way.

You were a wealth of knowledge and shared your experiences with family and friends.

How sad that you had left us, but how wonderful, that you left us doing what you liked to do best...hiking and educating others on the preservation on nature.

You will be missed dearly  
Mom, Yvonne and Odette  
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**Odette Borg** - December 02, 2019 at 04:06 PM

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“ The first time I met Dan was at the Bluebird Annual Event last spring. I was a newbie and Dan was warm and friendly and set me on the right path on how to attract bluebirds to our garden. Of course he offered his services and came to our house to help us put up some bluebird boxes. He was so helpful and full of good cheer! He had a very special happy presence. We will miss him. We send our condolences to the family.

Catherine Manschot and Duncan Boyd

**Catherine Manschot** - December 01, 2019 at 05:52 PM

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“ Loved so much by so many, Dan was always energized and optimistic, always eager to welcome new hikers to the trail, and always so much fun to hike with, so full of hilarious stories. Thanks for sharing so much time on the trail with us Dan. Our deepest condolences to Dan's family and friends, Don and Gloria Young

**Don Young** - December 01, 2019 at 08:44 AM

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“ Heartfelt condolences to Dan's family.  
Thank you Dan for all the laughs, the compliments, and the encouragements over the last 20 years. Am missing you terribly.



**Diane Cropp** - November 30, 2019 at 07:46 PM

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**Angie Mueller** - November 30, 2019 at 04:01 PM



“ Photo by Maggie Vlietstra Debren.

**Angie Mueller** - November 30, 2019 at 04:00 PM

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“ We send our sincere condolences to Dan's family. Dan was a great guy. So positive, so encouraging and so genuine. We will miss him.

Gary and Marg Ewert

**Gary and Marg Ewert** - November 30, 2019 at 02:23 PM

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“ Best hiking buddy ever, always supportive, funny and grateful for time spent with friends on the trails. Over the course of the year I was a recipient of countless stories such as the ever popular snake and whopper stories...he entertained us as a butterfly caregiver. I feel blessed to have enjoyed the last hike on Saturday in Niagara with Dan and while car pooling back to my car we discussed again the desire to create a distribution list for all our avid hiker friends for inclusion in upcoming hikes. Another big hug and he merrily went home with a four pack of coke. You will not be forgotten Dan and my sincere condolences to the family.



**Fran Garrett** - November 30, 2019 at 01:21 PM

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“ Thank you Dan for sharing you love of nature and of Easter Blue Birds. I remember my sister and I going on one of your wonderful walks and helping us understand the life cycle of them, what threatens them and how we can help. Dan was a wonderful teacher. The last time I saw Dan was at the Bruce Trail AGM this year and we just gave each other a big hug. Will miss you but think of you every time I see an Eastern Blue Bird. Bron

**Bronwen Tregunno** - November 30, 2019 at 12:03 PM

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**Bronwen Tregunno** - November 30, 2019 at 12:03 PM

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“ My condolences to Dan's family. While hiking in Caledon on the End to End, Dan and I came to a fork in the trail just before the Tai Chi Centre. I was confused which way and Dan assured me "it's this way Sharon". I listened to him, after all he's hiked this section many times, so he had to be right.

Then we saw signs directing hikers which way to go. Dan was baffled said the signs were wrong, so we changed the signs.

While we sat at Tai Chi chatting, some hikers coming in were confused about the signs. One of the organizers went to check the signs to make sure hikers were going the right way and came back and said someone had changed the signs.

Dan graciously took the blame. He was trying to explain and I piped in - didn't help. From that day on Dan and I never heard the end of it from one of the organizers, who shall remain nameless.

Miss you buddy,  
Sharon Kerr

**Sharon Kerr** - November 29, 2019 at 08:45 PM

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“ It was with great sadness that the Ontario Eastern Bluebird Society learned of the passing of Dan Welsh. He was a true bluebird warrior. Dan worked tirelessly throughout the breeding season helping bluebirds and Tree Swallows be successful. He spent countless hours helping landowners with both putting up nest boxes and the monitoring and predator control that went along with it. If you asked Dan for help he was only too happy to oblige. He helped hundreds of people be successful attracting bluebirds to their property. I often talked to Dan about bluebirds and how we could be more successful in our passion. Dan is one of the reasons that the bluebird population in this area has flourished. Dan will be sorely missed both by the bluebird society and the bluebirds he worked so hard for. He was one of a kind.

Bill Read President Ontario Eastern Bluebird Society.

**Bill Read** - November 29, 2019 at 04:51 PM

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“When I was in the process of collecting stories for the book "100 Hikers 100 Hikes," several people suggested I get in touch with Dan Welsh concerning his encounter with a rattlesnake near Dyer's Bay. After several tries, he finally agreed to meet me at his residence. He would tell me the story; but it was my job to take notes and write the article. Well, after several hours of laughter, I had a story only Danny could tell. If you have a copy of the book, please turn to page 46. The title of his story is "Shake, Rattle, Roll". Some of Dan's sense of humour is found in the article.

"Hi! My name is Dan Welsh and I have agreed to write this article in order to set the record straight."

"My arm looked more like Popeye the Sailor's arm - and that was without eating any spinach."

"The nurse asked me how it managed to bite me on the hand. I informed her that I had picked it up. She yelled, "You picked it up!" "Yes," I said. "you know," she said, "women do not get bitten by rattlesnakes." "How is that?" I asked. "Because they do not pick them up! she replied.

Dan Welsh was the very first person I meet from the Bruce Trail. He introduced me to a lot of fellow hikers. The hiking community will miss seeing Dan on the End to Ends. The stories he told will live on, especially the one involving his encounter with the rattlesnake.

Andrew Camani

Andrew Camani - November 29, 2019 at 04:03 PM

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“My sincere condolences to the Welsh family. Dan was an amazing mentor in bluebird conservation. Years ago he gave me his card, came out to my trail and taught me how to manage species that compete with our native Eastern Bluebirds. His knowledge, passion and contributions to bluebird conservation success is recognized at the Ontario Eastern Bluebird Society and many other conservation minded communities. "Friend of the Bluebird" and endeared by many, Dan will be missed.



Mary Anne Rose - November 29, 2019 at 12:35 PM

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“ Dan and I planned a hike this past Saturday, generously helping me do a make up for me for one of the Niagara hikes I missed earlier in the week. Four others joined us. I never would have believed that it would be the last hike our good friend Dan would complete and my last photos of him doing what he loved - hiking with friends.

It is with both sadness and joy I share these last photos. Yes one with "thumbs up Dan", wearing his plaid and baseball cap. I will cherish most his arm around me as we stood in front of the cairn and the many hugs that day on the trail. I will miss you Dan. You were a great friend.

My deepest sympathies to all of Dan's family and friends.



**Mary Krauel** - November 29, 2019 at 11:45 AM



“ Dear Mary, your photos from Saturday perfectly exemplify all that is good about Bruce Trail hiking. Taking time to enjoy the moments, being in nature and the camaraderie of friends. The joy on all your faces says it all.

Marg and Gary

**Gary and Marg Ewert** - November 30, 2019 at 02:34 PM

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“ No words can express my sorrow. I loved this man like a brother He's left a major hole in my life. My Deepest condolences to Rose and family

**larry columbo** - November 29, 2019 at 07:20 AM

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“ Irene Shaw purchased the Imagination Blooms for the family of Daniel Thomas Welsh.



**Irene Shaw** - November 28, 2019 at 11:07 PM

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**Irene Shaw** - November 28, 2019 at 10:31 PM



“ Dan was a great man! He spread joys with every people, and he was loved by everyone. My condolences to Dan's family and friends.  
Irene

**Irene Shaw** - November 28, 2019 at 10:39 PM

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“ I have been friend with Dan near 15 years. I remember him as a joyful man. We hiked together and we laugh together. He made me laugh a lot. In our group, he was quiet, but very present to the group. He was a quiet leader. Him and I we shared a lot of good time. I moved to Montreal. I saw him about 2 years ago. Lots of love. Lots of good memories. My name is Suzanne.

**Suzanne** - November 28, 2019 at 08:48 PM

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“ My condolences to Dan's family and friends.  
I'll always remember his comment at the end of hikes, "Good hike, really good hike."  
Thumbs up, Dan, thumbs up.



**Ruth Moffatt** - November 28, 2019 at 07:36 PM

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“ Met him on my first day of hiking the Toronto E2E 2018 and I thought we camped along the way, so I carried a 30lb pack with me. He was quick to explain how it works and we had a good laugh. He made up a story of me training for a big hike, to avoid embarrassment. Met up with him a few more times this year. I truly am sorry to hear the news. His witty spirit and laughter will continue on, and never be forgotten.

**Trina Roberts** - November 28, 2019 at 07:19 PM

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**Alba DiCenso** - November 28, 2019 at 05:28 PM

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“ One of my favourite people, and an integral part of my hiking experience. Life won't be the same without you. My sympathies to all.



**Mary-Ellen** - November 28, 2019 at 04:21 PM

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“ Dan, I had hiked with, and enjoyed your company a handful of times over the years. I took these two photos at our last meeting this past September as you blazed through the trail and we're the first person to sign in at our checkpoint on the second day of the Toronto Bruce Trail Club's End-to-End hike. You most certainly were a buzz then, and without a doubt I am sure you are a buzz now, where ever you are. I'd like to think you're on a perpetual hike along your favourite section of trail, enjoying its beauty and being you. My condolences go out to all who knew you, especially to your family and loved ones. Dan you will be missed.

Glynn



Glynn Richardson - November 28, 2019 at 01:45 PM

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“ My most heartfelt condolences go to my Auntie Rose, and my cousin Lorraine, and her boys. Death doesn't change how much we love someone, but I do find that it makes us wish we had done more, said more, shared more.

I have many fond memories of the sleepovers with Lorraine during our childhood. I remember you always called me "kid".

Uncle Danny - you were loved, and will be very missed. I am so glad that Jake & Abbie got to meet you. They remember you, and loved you.

Until we all see each other again.....keep running with that torch.

XO

Kim Knowles (Ghosh) - November 28, 2019 at 12:56 PM

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“ Dan will always have a special place in my heart. In 2017/18, he asked me to complete the entire Bruce Trail with him, and we only had one section left to go, which was on tap for this summer. In between that time, we had a wonderful trip to Newfoundland, where Dan had fond memories of cod fishing and jigging on the dance floor with anyone who was willing. His love of life, mischievous sense of adventure and strong determination to do it his way drew us all in for the ride. On the Sunday of his passing, Dan and I were completing our Iroquoia E2E hike. He was his usual chipper self, and we chatted of many things. We stopped to admire Sherman Falls, and I crept down to the base to get some pictures. When I turned around, I saw Dan standing on the bridge beaming. That is the picture I have emblazoned in my mind, and will hold there forever. I love you, Dan, as so many others do, and you will be missed every single day.

Cheryl Mitchell



Cheryl Mitchell - November 27, 2019 at 11:54 PM



“ Cheryl, my heart goes out to you for what you went through that day. I was in the group that met you and Dan on the trail. We all are thinking of you.

I didn't know Dan other than a few words on the trail, but had taken note of his energy on the EtoE hikes I had been on.

My condolences.

Omar Freeman

Omar Freeman - November 28, 2019 at 11:17 AM

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Karen Hiscock - November 27, 2019 at 08:06 PM

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“ Last Saturday, I was extremely blessed to hike with Dan and 4 other on the Iroquoia trail. I hadn't seen Dan since just before last Christmas. As always, there were lots of hugs, laughter and stories and Dan led the hike the entire 25 kms at a very fast pace. I asked Dan what he did when he wasn't hiking and he said he goes to the gym, sometimes 5 times a week to work his upper body as the lower body was strong enough from hiking. You do all you can but, sometimes it just doesn't matter. Thank you God for allowing me the opportunity to hike with Dan on his last Bruce trail completed hike which ended at the most southernly point in Queenston. I will hold onto those great hiking memories from the past 15 years!

**Greta Welsh** - November 27, 2019 at 07:34 PM

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“ Dan was a great walking companion. Helpful when I fell and always amenable, positive and a wonderful Spirit to be with. I will miss his companionship and goodwill. My sympathies to his family. A big loss.

**Ian Dunmore** - November 27, 2019 at 07:20 PM

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“ Dan being the clown at Barb And Bonnie's Christmas hike.



**Rick McCoy** - November 27, 2019 at 06:53 PM

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**Greta Welsh** - November 27, 2019 at 06:53 PM

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**Greta Welsh** - November 27, 2019 at 06:51 PM

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**art smith** - November 27, 2019 at 05:21 PM

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**Hart Fischer** - November 27, 2019 at 05:09 PM

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“ My sympathies to Dan's family. He was a light that shone to all those who knew him. That light has gone out too soon, leaving behind flickering shadows - countless memories of laughter, fun, hiking and an inner kindness, that endeared Dan to all those who knew him. Happy Trails, Dan as you hike into the light beyond.

**Lois Corey** - November 27, 2019 at 04:59 PM

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“ My condolences to Dan's family and friends on this sudden loss. I have many happy memories of laughing with Dan at his jokes and will miss hiking with him on the Bruce Trail.  
Suzanne

**Suzanne Field** - November 27, 2019 at 02:45 PM