



## Allan D. Goodman

June 4, 1961 - August 26, 2019

Allan D. Goodman

58, of Iron River, passed away peacefully at home on Monday August 26, 2019.

Allan was born June 4, 1961 in Stambaugh, MI, son of Dean and Lois (Abrahamson) Goodman. Allan attended Iron River Schools and graduated from West Iron County High School in 1979. He went on to attend college and earned his degree as a Registered Nurse. Allan worked for many years in Dickinson and Iron Counties in home health care.

He loved living on the family farm and had a great passion for his animals and work around the farm. Allan also enjoyed vegetable and flower gardening. His greatest joy was spending time with his family.

Allan is survived by his wife, Dr. Lorene Lindstrom; children, Hannah Goodman of Iron River, Chelsea (Jon) Kataja of Marquette, Kylee (Tom Viitala) Goodman of Rapid River, Zachary Goodman of Iron River and Dr. Alexandra Goodman of Iron River; a sister, Debra Goodman of Greenville, WI; and parents, Dean and Lois (Abrahamson) Goodman of Iron River.

Private family services are being held.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in Allan's memory to: Locker Lunch, 751 North Fourth Ave. Iron River, MI 49935

Condolences to the family of Allan Goodman may be expressed online at [ww](#)

[w.nashfuneralhome.net](http://w.nashfuneralhome.net)

The family has entrusted the Nash Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Crystal Falls with the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

TA

“ *Tess Ansay lit a candle in memory of Allan D. Goodman*



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**Tess Ansay** - September 28, 2019 at 12:21 PM

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**Tess Ansay** - September 28, 2019 at 12:18 PM

CB

“ *I was so saddened to hear of Allen's passing. He was an amazing classmate. May your family cherish your memories and know that he will always be with you. sending many prayers to you all. May he rest in peace.*

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**Cathy Zini Bradberry** - September 17, 2019 at 12:39 AM

DF

“ *Dear Goodman Family. We send our heartfelt sympathy for your loss of such a wonderful man. In your sorrow you are not alone. Sincerely Doug and Dodi Felger*

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**Dorothy Felger** - September 09, 2019 at 06:05 PM

KM

“ Dear Goodman Family, We are so saddened by the loss of Allan. Our Family is forever grateful for his kindness, knowledge, and care while taking care of both our parents. He was amazing with our Family - young and old - and help us through the most difficult times. We are forever thankful. Our deepest sympathy, The Beauchamp Family (Kevin, Kim (Morgan), Kelly (Tomasoski))

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**Kim Morgan** - September 05, 2019 at 02:43 PM

MM

“ Allen was a good man. He could always make me laugh! My condolences and sympathy to the family. He will be missed by many.

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**Mike Manfrom** - September 05, 2019 at 12:32 AM

JH

“ I just learned of Allan's passing. Lorene, Hanna and all the rest of your wonderful family, I am so sorry for your loss I only had a few encounters with Allan setting up the outdoor woodstove and picking up the mower. He always smiled and had such a positive outlook no matter what was broken and I always left uplifted. I send hugs for all, and know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Most sincerely, Joe Hoenig.

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**Joe Hoenig** - September 03, 2019 at 11:43 AM

DL

“ Dear Deb and Family,

*You are in our thoughts. We are so sad to hear of Allan's passing. While we never had the opportunity to meet him in person, your stories always painted a picture of a true gentleman with a deep love of his family and a passion for caring for others. He will be missed by so many that knew him, and also unknowingly missed by those who had not had the good fortune to meet him. We wish you strength and love during this time.*

*- Deborah, Al, & Zay*



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**Deborah Lohr** - August 31, 2019 at 09:23 PM

AS

“ Our deepest sympathy to the Goodman family on their loss of Allan. He was a friend of our son Ken, and a kind, compassionate person. Mr. and Mrs. Al Silfven

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**Al and Gerry Silfven** - August 31, 2019 at 11:53 AM

LE

“ I adored Allan. We worked together off and on for many years, and he was such a bright spot in our work lives. He was gentle and kind, unassuming and warm, and a wonderful person to know. I will always remember him with great fondness. I'm so sorry for your loss, and you have my greatest sympathy.

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**Lorena Evans** - August 30, 2019 at 11:11 PM

CA

“ My deepest sympathy on the passing of Allan. He was always a dear sweet man who loved his family dearly. My heart hurts for you and your family. Prayer and spiritual strength through this painful time.

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**Cynthia Absolon** - August 30, 2019 at 08:40 PM

CA

“ The family of Terry Allen is so saddened by the loss of Allan. We will be forever grateful to him for the care and support he gave to Terry's mother, Gen Allen. He made her feel so special and kept her spirits high even when she was ill and homebound. He was truly her guardian angel. His schedule was a busy one, but he never rushed his visits and took time to have conversations and maybe have a cup of coffee. I think that was a crucial factor in her survival to 97 years of age. To Allan's family we send our condolences and love. The world is a better place because of Allan. Carolyn and Terry Allen

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**Carolyn Allen** - August 30, 2019 at 09:58 AM

BZ

“ My thoughts and prayers are with Allan's family. Such a loving, caring and compassionate human being! He took such good care of my mom. I will never forget his kindness towards her!

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**Barb Zorzin** - August 30, 2019 at 01:40 AM

SM

“ Our thoughts and prayers to the Goodman family. Sally Manitta & Glen Lunn

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**Sally Manitta** - August 29, 2019 at 10:27 PM

SC

“ *Our sincere sympathy to the Goodman family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Bruce and Sue Casagrand*

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**Susan Casagranda** - August 29, 2019 at 03:48 PM

PC

“ *I was deeply saddened to hear of Alan's passing. Like so many other families, mine too was on the receiving end of his excellent care. He helped so much especially during the illness & death of my sister & then once again we were blessed with Alan during my brother's illness & death. He has left this world way to soon. I am keeping the family that he loved so much in my prayers. Sincere Sympathy to the Goodman family, Patti Helgemo Comp*

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**patti helgemo comp** - August 29, 2019 at 02:42 PM

MA

“ *Dearest Lorene, Lois, Dean, Hannah, Chelsea, Zach, Kylie, and Lexie, Allen will be missed on this Earth by soooo many. He was such a caring compassionate man. We hope you find comfort in the many people who will miss him so much. All our love and prayers, Dave and Mary Arcand*

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**Mary Arcand** - August 29, 2019 at 02:18 PM

KM

“ Thoughts and prayers to the Goodman family. Alan gave exceptional care to my mother when she was ill. My family couldn't have asked for a better person than Alan. His compassion and love of his job showed in his interaction with all of us.

So very sorry for your loss.....

*Karen Maki*

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**karen maki** - August 29, 2019 at 12:23 PM

WE

“ Melissa and I are sorry to hear about Alan! Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family! Always enjoyed his company and horsing around with him! If there's any thing we can do for you guys, please give us a call!

*Thoughts and prayers,  
The Weston's*

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**Weston** - August 29, 2019 at 11:55 AM

SG

“ Dear Goodman Family:

*I am truly shocked to learn of Allen's death. He was truly one of the finest individuals that I have ever met. He was full of compassion and care, Not for headlines or attention but because it was just how Allan was. He was one of the quiet warriors of this world- a warrior for good.*

*Allan thanks you for being the special person that you were. We need so many more like you.*

*Steve Gagne*

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**Steve Gagne** - August 29, 2019 at 11:49 AM



“ *I am so sorry Lorene and family. I so enjoyed working with Allan while I was employed by ICGH; he always was a "bright" spot in the day. He will be truly missed.*

*Hugs and Prayers,*

*Linda Hammerberg*



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**Linda Hammerberg** - August 29, 2019 at 11:08 AM

PJ

“ *Allan has been described by a co-worker as "an angel on earth", as he, for so many years, compassionately cared for patients and their families.*

*I am so sorry for your tremendous loss. God's love and light.*

*Peg James*

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**Peggy James** - August 29, 2019 at 09:27 AM

SS

“ *Allan was a wonderful person and a great boss. I feel very blessed that I was able to know him and be part of his life. He was always smiling and he always had some kind of funny story to tell. He will be greatly missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

*Shelly Stapleton*

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**Shelly Stapleton** - August 29, 2019 at 09:09 AM

DR

*Lorene and children, Dave and I saddened by your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers. My the Lod wrap you in his love. I only met Allen once he was a gentle warm soul.. if I can do anything to ease your burden please call on me. May Allen Rest In Peace*

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**Denise Roberts** - August 29, 2019 at 10:07 AM

TS

“ Lorene and your beautiful children; words cannot express the depth of sadness I feel. He spent SO many hours at the office over the years, and like Tina said, he would regale us with tales of his family (animals included). He was the kindest man I ever knew and he could always make me laugh. He was the cream of the crop as nurses go, and I know of countless lives he helped to save through his dedication and compassion. Our communities did, indeed suffer, a great loss with his passing.

*With love,*

*Terri Selvey*

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**Terri Selvey** - August 29, 2019 at 09:02 AM

MS

“ Lorene, Please know that I am thinking and praying for you and your family.

*Sincerely,*

*Mary Penkivech-Stachowicz*



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**mary K stachowicz** - August 29, 2019 at 01:33 AM

JH

“ All of you are in our thoughts and prayers. May the Lord hold you close and give you comfort during this difficult time. We are so sorry for your loss.

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**Jodi Heikkila** - August 29, 2019 at 12:17 AM

TZ

“ I want to say to Lorene, and all of his children... their was no kinder or better man that I ever knew. I met Allan as a young nurse and young father. And I worked with him for years. His favorite topic was his family. Each day at work I got to hear about his family. His love for his wife, his joy in his kids. He would share the accomplishments of young Hannah, Chelsie, Kylie, Zack and Lexie. I was privileged to hear it all. He was a family man. He talked daily about you all. He was such a very proud Dad and husband. I am so lucky that I was able to enjoy that. He was a wonderful nurse, no doubt. But his true love was his wife and children. I know that because I heard him say that. My sincere condolences to the Goodman family.

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**Tina Zarcone** - August 28, 2019 at 11:54 PM

AW

“ I had the pleasure of working with Alan in home care and hospice in Iron River. He was a tremendous nurse and touched countless lives. He will be sorely missed in our community, but has left a great legacy behind. Thoughts and prayers to his beautiful family❤️

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**Amy Weeks** - August 28, 2019 at 10:37 PM

LH

“ We met Alan several years ago when he was a visiting nurse for our friend who had cancer. He also was a visiting nurse for another friend of ours who was in hospice. Very very nice and kind man. So very sorry to hear of his passing. Our prayers are with your family.

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**Lori hall** - August 28, 2019 at 10:26 PM

RU

“ *Ruby lit a candle in memory of Allan D. Goodman*



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**Ruby** - August 28, 2019 at 09:41 PM

 Lisa Harju

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Allan's passing. I have never met such a kind, caring man like him. He loved his family so much. God bless all of you.*

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**Lisa Harju** - August 28, 2019 at 09:18 PM

BK

“ *Allan helped many family members. Our hearts go out to all your family. May the Lord comfort you. Ruth and Brian Kassa*

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**Brian Kassa** - August 28, 2019 at 08:37 PM

CK

“ *Allen was the best home care/ hospice nurse I had the honor and pleasure of working with. He truly embraced it, and his patients loved him. Our community has lost a wonderful caregiver. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Dean, Lois, Lorene, Hannah, Chelsea, Zack , Kylee and Lexie. From the Carmen and Don Kataja family*

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**Carmen Kataja** - August 28, 2019 at 08:05 PM

BN

“ *My heart is broken hearing this news. My thoughts and prayers are with Allan's parents, Dean & Lois and all of his loved ones. May our loving Lord comfort you all and hold you in His loving arms.*

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**BJ Nelson** - August 28, 2019 at 05:15 PM

LQ

“ *Heartfelt condolences to Lorene & Family..*

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**Linda Kmiecik Quarless** - August 28, 2019 at 04:57 PM

DP

“ *Our hearts are broken...Allan was such a caring, loving, considerate, and thoughtful person. He helped us so many times with our family members. He had such a way with them and they respected him so much. They just loved him and so did we. God sure must have needed a very special angel as he was only loaned to us for such a short time. He touched many hearts and will never be forgotten. Iron County lost one of their finest. Our sincere and caring thoughts and sympathy to his family.*  
*Dan & Sue Passamani*

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**Dan & Sue Passamani** - August 28, 2019 at 04:13 PM

PL

*My deepest sympathy and prayers.*

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**Pam Lindstrom Liddell** - August 29, 2019 at 01:13 AM