



Daniel Austin Renton

April 22, 1960 - March 24, 2023

Dan Renton was born April 22nd, 1960 in Lansing, Michigan. His first 12 years were spent living in Howell, Garden City and Williamston. At the age of 12, Dan began his studies at the Vanguard School in Lake Wales, Florida from which he graduated in 1979. He returned to Michigan, and obtained an Associate's Degree in Communications from Lansing Community College. Over the next 20 years, Dan worked as an on-air radio personality for most of the Lansing area's major radio stations, culminating in his own show as the Agriculture Director for WITL.

After his stint in radio, Dan began working for Okemos Public Schools, initially as a custodian and finally as the District's Courier. His failing health resulted in his retirement in 2022. Over the final years of his life, he was consumed by his battle with cancer. Yet Dan maintained his brilliant sense of humor, his passionate loyalty to the people he loved, and a fierce determination to live his life to the fullest until the end. His cancer finally won out on March 24th, 2023. Dan was preceded in death by his Mom, Olith Hovey, Dad, Dr. Charles (Al) Renton, 2nd Dad, Ed Hovey, sisters, Lee Dillon and Candace Glaister, brother, Tom Hovey, and beloved dog, Dexter. He is survived by his 3 children, Brianna Archer, Cody Cameron, and Kayleigh Cameron, best friend and companion, Renee Archer-Hawken, brothers Phil (Louise) and John (Monica) Hovey, Al (Robin) and Tom (Janet), Todd, and Scott (Marie) Renton. Sisters Margaret (Scott) Truax, Sue Desmond, Terri Hovey-Randell, and Charlotte Renton-Wilkinson. All who cherish his memory will be relating "Dan Stories" (at least

those that can be shared) for many years to come. Arrangements by the Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Share your memories and condolences online at www.holihanatkin.com

Tribute Wall

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“ Dan was a great guy (always won “good guy of the year”)

brilliant radio talent.

Sharon Rae Pettigrew - June 29, 2023 at 10:12 PM

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“ Dan and I worked together at the operations department . He was
always so helpful friendly! Always a story, or a joke, he was fun to
be around. I will miss him. Kath maki

kathy maki - April 05, 2023 at 03:53 PM

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“ I worked with Dan at Okemos Public Schools for several years. He
was a very hard worker, always trying to give his best to his school
family. Unfortunately people didn't always show their appreciation,
but Dan remained his jovial self always going the extra mile. He was
a great guy and a better friend. Rest in Peace Dan.

Janet K. Lee - March 30, 2023 at 05:04 PM