



## Steven Hanson

February 20, 1953 - December 9, 2016

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FT LAUDERDALE, FL - Steven Hanson, 63, passed away at his home in Ft. Lauderdale, FL on Friday, December 9, 2016.

He was born on February 20, 1953 in Racine, WI to Edward "Bucky" and Nancy (nee: Sorenson) Hanson. Steve was a class of 1971 graduate of J.I. Case High School and in 1975 received his BA in Art Education from UW Stout. After graduating from UW Stout, Steve was a teacher for two years at the Roosevelt Roads Naval Station in Puerto Rico where he was head of the Art Department and coached tennis. For the past 35 years, Steve was employed as a flight attendant with American Airlines until retiring in April of 2016. His most recent assignment was on international flights from Miami to Buenos Aires, Argentina. Although Steve enjoyed life and made friends wherever he resided, including stays in Minneapolis, Chicago, New York, Dallas, Washington DC, and Ft. Lauderdale, he always valued his roots in family and friends in Racine.

He is survived by a family that loved him dearly, including his father Edward "Bucky" of Edina, MN; his four brothers, Dr. David (Shari) of Libertyville, IL, Rev. Dana (Nancy) of Winnetka, CA, Jon of Milwaukee, and Andy (Peggy) of Minnetonka, MN; by nephews, Rob, David, Greg, and Luke Hanson; nieces, Kristina Herman, Laura, Elizabeth, and Emma Hanson, as well as, by two lifelong friends Johnny Holstein and Rob Stocks of Washington, DC.

Steve was preceded in death by his loving mother Nancy (Sorenson) Hanson

on June 17, 2015.

A memorial service will be held at Sturino Funeral Home on Saturday, February 25, 2017 at 11 a.m. with Rev. Dana Hanson officiating. There will be a time for family and friends to meet at the funeral home on Saturday from 10 a.m. until time of service. Steve will be laid to rest at Mound Cemetery in a private ceremony.

Memorials to The Alzheimer's Foundation of America have been suggested by his family.

# Cemetery Details

## Mound Cemetery

Racine, WI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Sturino Funeral Home  
3014 Northwestern Avenue  
Racine, WI 53404  
(262) 632-4479  
info@sturinofuneralhome.com

## Memorial Service

FEB 25. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Steven Hanson*



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**Sturino Funeral Home** - February 17, 2017 at 08:28 AM

FC

“ *Forever, Debby Sherwood,Debbie Dean, Maureen Crouse purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Steven Hanson.*



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**Forever, Debby Sherwood,Debbie Dean, Maureen Crouse** -  
February 21, 2017 at 01:51 PM



“ *9 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**Sturino Funeral Home** - February 20, 2017 at 03:49 PM



“ 59 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Sturino Funeral Home** - February 16, 2017 at 01:26 PM

DE

“ *I'm in a daze...cannot believe Steve is gone. Loved him SO much! Steven, we will do the victory dance together when I get to heaven. I love you so much. I will miss you more than you can imagine. You were one of my dearest, sweetest, longest lasting friendships anyone could ever ask for.*  
*Deb 80-7 American Airlines*

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**Debra** - December 28, 2016 at 07:05 PM

DA

“ 3 files added to the album *AAL Learning Center, Grand Prairie*



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**David** - December 23, 2016 at 12:58 PM

DB

“ 1 file added to the album AAL Learning Center, Grand Prairie



David Briggs - December 22, 2016 at 12:35 PM

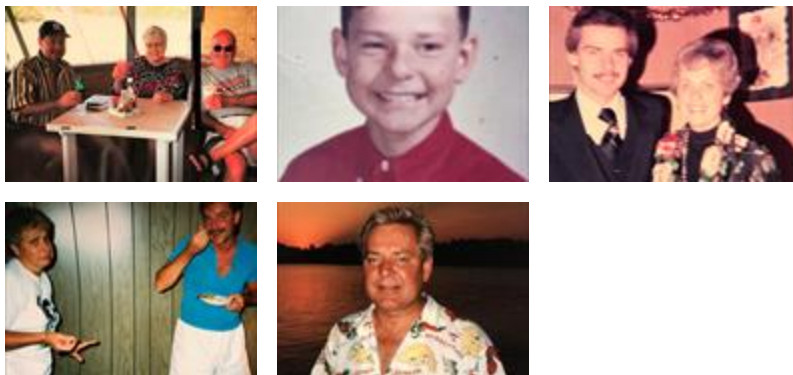
SW

“ A CARING AND WONDERFUL PERSON WILL MISS HIM WILL REMEMMBER ALL OF THE TIMES THAT WE HUNG OUT ON INDIANA ST. AND THE SUMMER WE HUNG OUT AT THE BEACH WITH THE GANG. HE WAS MOM'S SPECIAL FRIEND LOVE TO THE FAMILY AS THEY GO THROUGH THIS HARD TIME IN THEIR LIVES LOVE TO ALL OF YOU. SUSIE(SIMON) WEITZEL

SUSIE SIMON WEITZEL - December 21, 2016 at 06:13 AM

DH

“ 8 files added to the tribute wall



David Hanson - December 20, 2016 at 01:53 PM

RF

*So sad to hear. We had lots of good times and great memories growing up in Elmwood. Ruth Gales Frechman*

**Ruth Frechman** - December 20, 2016 at 04:37 PM

JL

“ Steve was a teacher when I was in Jr. High and he was or substitute that day ..  
I walked in and said , "Hi Stevie" .. he smiled and said , it's Mr.Hanson ..lol  
He was a beautiful soul , and so full of life .  
That is how I will always remember him ! Love to the family  
Jeanne (Simon ) Lambrecht

**Jeanne Lambrecht** - December 19, 2016 at 12:14 PM

NH

“ I have so many memories of growing up next door to the Hanson's and lots of fun memories of Steve. I knew him to be gentle and creative. My he rest in peace.

*Nancy Helland*

**Nancy Helland** - December 18, 2016 at 04:18 PM



“ I shared many laughs with Steve in high school. He was a wonderful person and my prom date sophomore year at J I Case. I pray for healing comfort for his family in this difficult time. Eileen (Buehrens) Zirbel

**Eileen Zirbel** - December 18, 2016 at 08:56 AM

CH

“ Always had a great time visiting Steve in dc, he had a great sense of humor and a travelers spirit. He was great to me and I always felt his love.

Carla

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**Carla Hanson** - December 17, 2016 at 06:57 PM