



Glenn Robert Maxwell

September 20, 1964 - December 1, 2017

Glenn Robert Maxwell, 53, of Toledo concluded his battle with pancreatic cancer in the wee hours of November 30-December 1. It is common to use the term “battle” with such diseases, but in Glenn’s case, it is wholly accurate. He was pragmatically optimistic and determined from first to very nearly last, and even at that point he remained astonishingly and humbling positive.

Glenn was born Sept. 20, 1964, in Cleveland to Kathleen (Anderson) and Robert Maxwell. A lifelong Ohioan, he grew up in Euclid, in Huron, and in Sylvania. After graduating from Sylvania Northview in 1982, he followed his football allegiance and enrolled at The Ohio State University. From OSU he received a bachelor’s degree in chemical engineering and polymer science in 1987 and a master’s degree in business administration in 1989. He also gained lasting friendships from his membership in Sigma Pi fraternity and cemented an enduring love of the Buckeyes.

He was hired as an applications engineer by Ransom and Randolph, an investment casting company in Maumee. In 1995, he was appointed as the firm’s European business manager, industrial products, and then director, sales & marketing, positions in which he traveled extensively throughout Europe and made fast friends with many clients and colleagues. In 2000, he formed his own web design business, Nexus Enterprises. He was a loyal member of the Madison Avenue chapter of Business Network International. Glenn was a man of many passionate interests: travel, history, pets, and music. His accomplished piano playing was a source of delight to family and

friends, and he never met an instrument at which he did not want to try his hand (including bagpipes).

Glenn's love of family and friends was devoted and complete, and he will be missed with commensurate intensity by his parents; his sisters, Lisbeth Maxwell and Margo Hertzfeld; his brother-in-law, Dale Hertzfeld; his beloved nieces, Claire and Sara Hertzfeld; his longtime companion Kathy Challender; aunts Sara Maxwell and Betty Scott; godmother Dorothy Johnson; several cousins; honorary nieces and nephews; and many friends and business associates throughout the world. His loss will also be felt by his cherished dogs, Mitzi and Georgia, who were with him throughout his hospice care. The family is deeply grateful to the many dear friends who offered care and support during Glenn's illness and to the staff of Sincera and Hospice of Northwest Ohio, who made it possible for him to be at home in relative comfort in the closing days of his life.

Visitation will be held from 1:00p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Sunday, December 10, 2017 at Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Road, Toledo, OH 43614 where a vigil prayer service will be held at 7:00p.m. A funeral Mass will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, December 11th, at Saint John XXIII, 24250 Dixie Highway, Perrysburg, OH 43551, with interment to follow at Resurrection Cemetery, 5725 Hill Ave., Toledo, OH 43615.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in Glenn's name to the Glenn Maxwell Buckeye Fund, c/o the Toledo Community Foundation, 300 Madison Ave., #1300, Toledo, OH 43604, or to Assistance Dogs for Achieving Independence, 5605 Monroe St., Sylvania, OH 43560 or the Colonial Williamsburg Fund, PO Box 1776, Williamsburg, VA 23187-9910, e-mail: donations@cwf.org

Please view and sign the guest registry at coylefuneralhome.com.

"Though age may dim our mem'ry's store/We'll think of happy days of yore..."

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

5725 Hill Avenue
Toledo, OH 43615

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 10. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral Home
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614

Funeral

DEC 11. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. John XXIII Church
24250 Dixie Hwy.
Perrysburg, OH 43551

Tribute Wall

HJ

“ I was just informed of Glenn's passing. My thoughts and prayers go out to the Maxwell family. I worked with Glenn in the mid 80's as a laborer for the Lathrop Company. We were both just starting our careers and he was working the summer before returning to OSU. He was a hard worker and a pleasure to work with.

Harry Prentice Jr. - December 21, 2017 at 09:42 AM

TW

“ Bob and Kathy,
I am so saddened by Glenn's passing. It has been an ordeal for all of you, one that has personal relevance. Let us hope that with his suffering over, you can begin to heal. Thinking of you constantly and embracing your sorrow as my own.
Tom Walton

Thomas Walton - December 10, 2017 at 04:43 PM

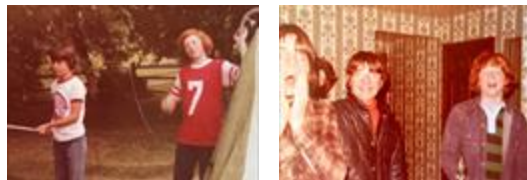
SR

“ My deepest sympathy to you all. Sandra Reams

Sandra Reams - December 09, 2017 at 01:05 PM

MH

“ 2 files added to the album Early teen years, Sylvania Ohio



Matthew Hyma - December 07, 2017 at 07:10 PM

MH

I was a childhood friend of Glenn's. We were in scouting, had much fun riding bikes and building tree forts together in Sylvania. Many backyard sleepovers and drive in movies during the Summer months too. Glenn had a wonderful sense of humor and adventure. Even a bit mischievous at times but that's what young teenagers are best at. He loved music and was a talented drummer at the time. I lost touch with Glenn after high school. So glad to hear he had such a full and rewarding life. I recall how warm and loving his family was. I know he will be missed greatly. -Matthew Hyma

Matthew Hyma - December 07, 2017 at 08:17 PM



“ *Eileen Sell Kelley sent a virtual gift in memory of Glenn Robert Maxwell*



Eileen Sell Kelley - December 06, 2017 at 10:43 PM



“ *Eileen Sell Kelley lit a candle in memory of Glenn Robert Maxwell*



Eileen Sell Kelley - December 06, 2017 at 10:39 PM

NC

“ *Dear Bob and Kathy, We send our deepest sympathies and our thoughts are with you at this very difficult time of loss of your dear son Glenn. We will keep you and your family in our prayers. Nancie & Lachman*

Nancie & Lachman Chablani - December 06, 2017 at 07:56 PM

NS

“ Firstly my condolences to the family.
Glenn was a never-to-be-forgotten colleague and good friend. I'll be having a pint (or 3) in his memory tonight in an English Pub in Worcester where we enjoyed the beer together on more than one occasion.
Nevill.Swanson@Tesco.Net

Nevill Swanson - December 06, 2017 at 12:08 PM

LS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Maxwell Family as you mourn your loss and celebrate the wonderful life that Glenn had with all of you. You are an incredible family and your love and support of Glenn is inspiring. We are blessed to know you all.

Jerry, Linda, Hannah and Kathleen Sawyer

Linda Sawyer - December 06, 2017 at 12:01 PM

CB

“ My sympathy goes to Kathy, Bob, Margo and the entire Maxwell family as they grieve Glenn's passing. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Carol Bintz

Carol Bintz - December 06, 2017 at 11:28 AM

BK

“ Dear Kathy, Bob, Margo and family. I was so sorry to hear about your loss. What a brave fight Glenn fought! I know he will be greatly missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Betsy Kelsey

Betsy Kelsey - December 06, 2017 at 07:57 AM

 Barry
Worrell

“ *I can't believe Glenn is no longer with us. That makes 3 Sigma Pi's from our era to move on to heaven. Been praying for Glenn and his family.*

I lost my brother 8 years ago and know what it is like. My only advice is keep the faith and time heals. It also reminds us to not let any day pass without gratefulness and joy for those around us.



Barry Worrell - December 06, 2017 at 07:12 AM



Eileen Sell Kelley - December 06, 2017 at 10:46 PM

SS

“ *Mr. and Mrs Maxwell, Liz and Margo. Not sure if you remember me it's been many years since we've seen each other. I've stayed in contact with Glenn on and off for the last 35 years and most recently 2 years ago. Every time I've enjoyed his contagious laugh and his extreme sense of humor. It always seemed like a day never passed even though years were between visits. Glenn was with my daughter, Alexis, when she got her diving certification. She was 10 at the time. That was 17 years ago. Glenn and Greg joined us on a family trip to Dale Hallow and what a trip it was. Old high school buddies with families enjoying each other, nature, music and food! What a great time. Glenn is a great friend to my family and will always be in our hearts. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and to all who Glenn loved.*

*The Seniff family,
Scott, Sherri, Colin, Cody, Alexis, Logan aka SScocoallo*

Scott Seniff - December 05, 2017 at 09:49 PM

MT

“ *Glenn was a great friend and excellent business partner. Glenn and I worked together for over 13 years during his career as a web designer building web sites together for our shared clients. We were able to build a lot of really nice sites and projects together over the years.*

We also shared a passion for history and travel and spent many hours over the years discussing both at length. I truly enjoyed our friendship.

He will be sorely missed.

Michael Temple

Michael Temple - December 05, 2017 at 04:26 PM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Glenn Robert Maxwell.*



December 05, 2017 at 03:06 AM



“ *Sending our thoughts and prayers to the Maxwell Family, from Chuck Strouse and Family.*

Thank you Glenn for all the memories which you created with all of your friends and classmates. Class of "82".

My Grandmother Charles, always said "That boy Glenn, is so smart". LOL she baby sat him.

Yea....Glenn ruined a couple of curves(test) for me while sleeping in the back of class(High School). Gotta "C" when I should have gotten a "B".....C-ee went to a "D".

Its all good bro, Harvard wasn't in my in my sights anyways. LOL.

*RIP, Glenn Robert Maxwell
Chuck Strouse*

Chuck Strouse - December 05, 2017 at 02:54 AM



“ *Chuck Strouse And Familty lit a candle in memory of Glenn Robert Maxwell*



Chuck Strouse and Familty - December 05, 2017 at 01:28 AM



Should have read Chuck Strouse and Family

Chuck Strouse and Family - December 05, 2017 at 01:29 AM



Love!!!

Eileen Sell Kelley - December 06, 2017 at 10:33 PM