



## Glenn H. Thompson

March 30, 1958 - October 31, 2011

Glenn H. Thompson of Burlington Township passed away on Monday, October 31, 2011 at his residence after a courageous battle with cancer with his family by his side. He was 53 years old.

Glenn graduated from Burlington County Vo-Tech in 1976, where he majored in auto body.

Glenn was employed by Wharton Hardware and Supply in Pennsauken, NJ for over 34 years. After declining a promotion time and time again because he refused to cut his trademark ponytail, Wharton's looked past that and Glenn was given the promotion to salesman, and did very well.

The first thing you would notice about Glenn was his height, standing six foot, six inches, but his personality was just as great, if not greater.

Glenn has a passion for the guitar, especially the one he nicknamed "Blondie." He entertained everyone with his unique playing style. He could play back anything after hearing it only once in any genre.

Glenn had a gift when it came to animals, especially dogs. He could get them to do just about anything he asked from bringing in the newspaper to teaching them hand signals. During his illness, Glenn rescued his faithful canine companion Dakota, who was abused, from the Burlington County Animal Shelter. Dakota has made great progress under Glenn's direction.

Glenn had a very witty sense of humor. Jokes came naturally to him, even throughout his illness. He would keep his family laughing through their tears.

Glenn is survived by his loving wife, Barbara Thompson (nee Crum) with

whom he shared thirty-two years of marriage and their son, Steve. Glenn shared his hobby of playing pool with Steve.

He was preceded in death by his father, Herbert "Bud" Thompson. Glenn is also survived by his mother, Frances Thompson (nee Foster); his brothers: Gregg Thompson, Gary Thompson and his wife Sue and their children Tyler and Alexis; his sisters: Lori Thompson and her daughter Selena (Dan) Mazmanian, Linda Lawrence and her husband Rick and their children Ricky, Rachel, and Daniel, and Leslie Gibson and her husband Gary and their children Luke, Lorraina, and Logan.

Glenn will be greatly missed by all that ever had the privilege of encountering his sense of humor and unforgettable laugh. His guitar playing and his ability to tell jokes his way was, and continues to inspire many close to him. Indeed, everyone in his family, friends, and acquaintances alike, were blessed for having had the chance to have Glenn in their lives.

Relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend Glenn's services and share their memories and stories about him on Friday evening from 6-8 PM at the Perinchief Chapels, 438 High St., Mt. Holly, NJ. A prayer service will start at 8:00 PM.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be sent in Glenn's name to the Burlington County Animal Shelter, 15 Pioneer Blvd, Westampton, NJ 08060 or the American Cancer Society, Memorial Processing Center, PO Box 7, East Syracuse, NY 13057-0007.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Glenn H. Thompson*

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October 29, 2022 at 11:57 AM



“ *Glenn H. Thompson*

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October 29, 2022 at 09:53 AM



“ *I had the pleasure of meeting Glenn at his nephew, Luke's birthday party. He had told a funny joke that I still remember to this day. I have heard many great stories about Glenn from my dear friend, Leslie. Glenn was a good man. My thoughts and heartfelt condolences go out to all. May you find peace and comfort with each new day and hold your memories of Glenn close to your heart always.##imported-begin##Kristal Wilson##imported-end##*

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November 03, 2011 at 11:08 AM



“ *Barbara and family,*

*Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for your loss... our thoughts are with you and your family at this time.##imported-begin##Dave & Cathy Raymond##imported-end##*

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November 03, 2011 at 10:21 AM



“ I work for Florence Township, at the Water & Sewer Department. If we needed something from Wharton, Glenn was the man to go to. He would stop in and say hello always with a smile and nice words. I know the employees at the Water & Sewer Department wish to extend our sympathy to Glenn's Family. He will be missed. RIP Glenn, you have the big picture now.##imported-begin##Nancy Gulden##imported-end##

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November 02, 2011 at 08:16 PM



“ It was a great pleasure to work with Glenn for 20 years. He was always so full of energy and such a positive person to have around. He was a true people person and will be missed not only at Wharton but by so many people he knew all over New Jersey. I travelled in his territory with him and I was always amazed at how many people he knew. If he met somebody new it would only take a few minutes for them to warm up to him and find that they had mutual friends. I used to joke with him that he knew everybody in Central New Jersey. To say he was well liked would be an understatement. Glenn only had 53 years, but he will never be forgotten by so many of us who had the great pleasure to work with him. He was an exceptional person and I feel blessed to have known him.##imported-begin##A.J. Magistrelli##imported-end##

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November 02, 2011 at 03:56 PM



“ We're very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts are with you during this difficult time. Don't hesitate to reach out if we can be of help in any way.

*In Sympathy,  
Justin & Maria Hansen##imported-begin##Justin & Maria  
Hansen##imported-end##*

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