

Dan "Moose" Carey

Miesville

1978 MVP



Written by Dave & Karen Carey: My brother Dan was a great baseball player, but a greater man. Although I was older, I always looked up to and admired him. He demonstrated his character and made difficult choices without hesitation. He would always be willing to sacrifice for the greater good ... a pure and true Christian man. He was respected by all who knew him including his sports competitors and especially his students.

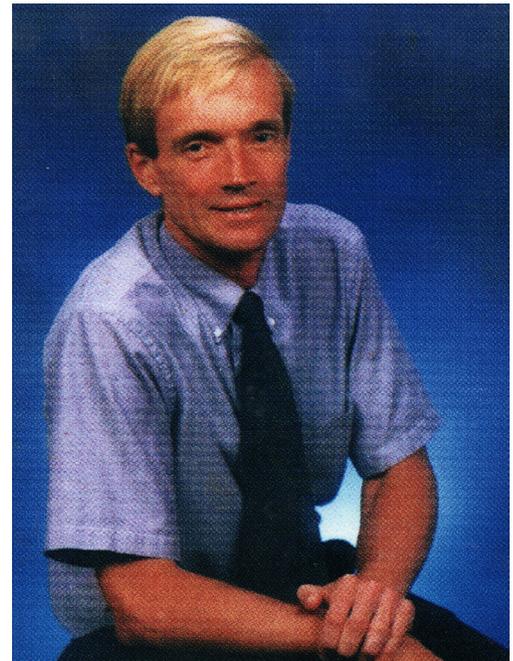
Dan loved nothing more than to spend time with family and friends. He kept us in stitches with his quick, unrivaled wit. Dan was one of the finest men I've ever known and I strive to be a better man because of his timeless example. I love and miss him every day.

Written by Jan and Mel Monjeau:

The best tribute I can give to my brother Dan is that he had 3 loves: family/friends, baseball and teaching. He considered himself very fortunate to have done all three. In 1967, Dan played on the Hasting High School baseball team that won the MSHSL Baseball State Championship. Also in 1967, he was drafted by the New York Mets as the 23rd pick in the overall draft. He played 6 years in the New York Mets organization.

After his professional baseball career, Dan became a professor at the University of St. Thomas. He also continued to play baseball for 15 seasons with the Miesville Mudhens (four years as manager). Dan played in many Minnesota State Amateur Baseball Tournaments and 1978 he was named MVP of the Minnesota State Baseball Tournament held in Faribault, MN.

Dan later participated in multiple Roy Hobbs "35 and over" baseball tournaments in Ft. Myers, FL. "He played for the LOVE of the GAME." Dan was beyond generous of spirit, heart, knowledge and his time. He could easily praise others, but being such a humble man, he had a hard time being praised. Dan is so sorely missed by so many.



- Dan Carey, Miesville, 1978
- First baseman
- Handled 43 chances without an error
- Hit 10 for 24 in the tournament
- Held a .418 tournament batting average



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In Memorium

Born: July 22, 1949

Died: March 19, 2011

