



Randy Fischer

December 4, 1969 - May 29, 2021

Randall “Randy” Fischer, 51 passed away unexpectedly on May 29, 2021 at his residence. Randy was born December 4, 1969 in Hamilton, Ohio to Richard and Evelyn (Nugent) Fischer. He was a 1988 graduate of Hamilton High School and a 1992 graduate of The Ohio State University. He received a B.S. in Business Administration with a concentration in Accounting. Randy married the love of his life, Annette (Russell) Fischer in December 1999. He worked for Cengage Learning in Independence, KY for 27 years. During his time at Cengage, Randy was involved in a variety of roles. Most recently he was the Senior Finance and Logistics Manager overseeing aspects of finance, logistics and procurement. In his free time, Randy enjoyed attending sporting events, gardening, and spending time with friends and family. To say Randy was an avid Buckeye fan would be an understatement. He loved everything about his Ohio State Buckeyes. He and Annette would spend Saturdays in the fall attending or watching the OSU Buckeyes play football. He was also an avid Dallas Cowboys and Pittsburgh Penguins fan. Randy is survived by his wife of 21 years, Annette (Russell) Fischer and their two beloved cats Riley and Crosby. Mother Evelyn (Nugent) Fischer, siblings Tracy Preston, Tim (Stacey) Fischer, and Christina (Charlie) Beckett. Nieces and nephews Kyla, Michael, Sean, Elizabeth, John, James, Sarah, and Joey. Nephews and niece through friendship and love Keegan, Kenzie and Kaden. He is preceded in death by his father Richard Fischer. Visitation will be held on Friday, June 4th 2021, from 4pm to 7pm at Weigel Funeral Home, 980 N.W. Washington Blvd,

Hamilton, Ohio 45013. There will be a celebration of life at 7pm on Friday immediately following the visitation. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations be made to The Ohio State University Scholarship fund, The Pancreatic Cancer Action Network, or a charity of your choice. Online condolences are available at www.weigelfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 4. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Weigel Funeral Home
980 N.W. Washington Blvd.
Hamilton, OH 45013
(513) 892-1524
<https://www.weigelfuneralhome.com/>

Celebration of Life

JUN 4. 7:00 PM - 7:45 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *To Annette and the Fischer families...*

My deepest sympathies during your time of loss, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. I was lucky enough to work with Randy over the years but not until last year did I really get to know him. I got a chance to see what a great man he was. He was so kind, and always was positive. We shared some laughs and stories from our childhood. I will miss him dearly and wanted to extend my sympathies.

God bless...

Lisa McDaniel

Lisa Glockner McDaniel - June 08, 2021 at 09:42 AM

PP

“ *I am so very sorry to hear of Randy's passing. Went to high school with Randy and also attended OSU while Randy was there, and remember when he meet Annette. Randy was always such a kind, caring and compassionate friend and person to all he knew.*

patrice pieratt - June 06, 2021 at 07:39 AM

BN

“ *Our Deepest Heart Felt Sympathy to all the Fischer Family
Love and Prayers
Rick and Brenda Norris*

Brenda Norris - June 05, 2021 at 12:04 AM

DF

“ We lived one block from the Fischer's growing up and I knew him through jr. high and high school. Randy was truly one of a kind. He always had a smile on his face, willing to help others, was a leader, was always kind, and he was always having fun and enjoying life. My heart goes out to his wife and family during this most difficult time, but I know that God is more than enough. Prayers and hugs to all of you!

Dawn (Norris) Falardo - June 04, 2021 at 11:19 PM

JD

“ I knew of Randy for many years and I'm grateful I recently had the pleasure of working with him. He created such a calm, positive work environment. His leadership will be missed. Condolences to his loved ones.

Jen Diller - June 04, 2021 at 09:03 PM

BJ

“ My family was very saddened to hear about Randy. I remember how kind both of you were to our son Benjamin Jesse. We didn't know you very well even though we were neighbors for years. Our condolences to you and your family.
The Jesse Family from across the street!

Barbara J Jesse - June 04, 2021 at 03:46 PM

MA

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Annette and the rest of the family. ! I had the privilege of working with Randy for over 20 years and he was always a pleasure to work with. We worked together on several company committees and that is where I got the opportunity to really get to know Randy and develop a great friendship with him. He was a great man who will be missed by many!

Mandy Adkins - June 04, 2021 at 02:54 PM

DM

“ Evelyn, Christina and family,
We are so saddened to learn of your loss, but are sure Randy has his angel wings and is bringing joy to all up high, just as he did with you all & will continue to do per the wonderful memories you have of him. God bless you all. The McClains

Diane McClain - June 04, 2021 at 11:37 AM

MB

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Randy's Wife and Family. I never worked directly with Randy but him and I shared the same love for The Ohio State Buckeyes! During football season, each Monday morning we would share our thoughts about the game and what we thought went right and what went wrong for the team! Many years ago, he helped me get two tickets to an OSU home Football Game for my mother and her sister who where in their late 60's at that time. It was the only game that either of them had ever attended and my mother who is now 85 still talks about the game she saw in person! I will truly miss my fellow OSU fan!

Your Friend,
Michelle Brazier

Michelle Brazier - June 04, 2021 at 09:08 AM

SS

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Randy's wife, his family and his Cengage family. I have only worked with Randy for the last 3 years, but I can't remember a time when he was not smiling. Randy is the type of co-worker that makes a lasting impression on you, and how you wish all of your co-workers were as friendly, helpful, and all around just a great person. I will truly miss seeing him in the office and on our zoom meetings. You will be missed by so many.

Spring Stephens - June 04, 2021 at 06:44 AM

KH

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Randy's Family, Friends and anyone that got to know Randy. Such a friendly, thoughtful person - Always made you feel welcome. I will miss Randy and will always remember he is my favorite Ohio State Fan. While I was a UofL fan, I found my self cheering for Ohio State, just so I can share a win along with Randy. He will be missed and his memories will last...

Kevin Halbleib - June 03, 2021 at 03:07 PM

KA

“ Randy was a wonderful friend and always helpful co-worker. I will miss him very much and will keep Annette and the rest of the family in my thoughts are prayers. I'm so glad I had the pleasure of knowing and working with you, Randy !!

Kim Aull - June 03, 2021 at 02:47 PM



“ Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Randy Fischer.



June 03, 2021 at 01:05 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Randy Fischer.



June 03, 2021 at 11:14 AM

KC

“ We will miss tremendously, Randy. You have been such a tremendous friend and colleague for the Cengage family. Your generosity and commitment were contagious. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and all of your family.
- Kermit

Kermit Cook - June 02, 2021 at 09:58 PM

SL

“ My family is saddened to learn of Randy’s passing. He was truly one of the kindest people I’ve ever met. Our families met in Kindergarten at McKinley Elementary and our friendship continued all through school. After I graduated from college, I worked with Mrs. Fischer at Fillmore Elementary and she was always smiling, like Randy. Words don’t seem adequate at times such as these but my family offers many prayers and comfort to all of you.

Love,

Judy Stitsinger
Stacey Stitsinger Lambertson
Steven Stitsinger
Kari Stitsinger Brumback

stacey lambertson - June 02, 2021 at 07:43 PM



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June 02, 2021 at 06:39 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Randy Fischer.



June 02, 2021 at 05:45 PM



“ I was lucky enough to work with Randy. Annette he was truly Wonderful. Please know My Family is thinking of You and Your Family. Karen Williamson

Karen Williamson - June 02, 2021 at 04:38 PM



“ Dear Annette and his loving family - please accept my deepest sympathies. There was always a smile when Randy was around, either on his own face or on the faces of others. He was kind and generous, thoughtful and caring, brilliant and hard working. He was always bringing out the best in everyone without even trying. I will always appreciate the time I got to spend with him during our time at Cengage and will miss him greatly over the coming days, months and years. - Suzanne Wilsbacher

Suzanne Wilsbacher - June 02, 2021 at 02:53 PM



“ My heart breaks for Randy's family. He was one of the special people you meet in your life who truly leaves a mark. He will be missed, but also celebrated for who he was. A great person. I feel lucky to have known him. One last GO BUCKEYES!

Kerri Hurst - June 02, 2021 at 02:29 PM

KG

“ Randy will be missed by so many. He was a great friend, colleague and leader. His smile will be missed. Many prayers to Annette and the Fischer family as they navigate this unthinkable time.

Kelli Guenther

Kelli Guenther - June 02, 2021 at 02:24 PM



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June 02, 2021 at 02:16 PM

MS

“ My condolences to Annette, the Fischer family, and all of the people Randy made such a profound impact on.

Monique Swansen - June 02, 2021 at 02:11 PM

JS

“ Randy was truly a great person. He was always pleasant and tried to help wherever and whenever he could. I have worked with Randy for over 20 years and he was always the utmost professional and loved by all. You will be greatly missed my friend and my thoughts and prayers go out to your family. We have truly lost one of the best people in this world !!!

Joe Steffney - June 02, 2021 at 01:05 PM

MA

“ Randy, your smile always lit up the hallways at Cengage. I didn't know you personally, but you obviously made a huge impact of those you left behind. Prayers to your family as they try to navigate through the loss of a great man.

Megan Anderson - June 02, 2021 at 12:33 PM

MA

“ My condolences and prayers to Anne tte and all of the Fischer family. I am proud to have known Randy Fischer not just as a co-worker but as a friend. Through Randy' and his quiet, kind and unassuming manner, I have been able to learn quite a bit not only about business but life as well. Thank you Randy for being you, I will always carry you in my heart.



Marilyn Allen - June 02, 2021 at 11:44 AM

NP

“ I didn't get to work with Randy directly, but I do remember he was always very smiley and seemed to have a kind spirit about him when we passed each other at Cengage. I'm very sorry to hear of his passing. I pray for God's grace and comfort for Randy's wife and family.

Nicole Prescott - June 02, 2021 at 11:01 AM

JT

“ I had the privilege to work with Randy for almost 18 years. Whenever we were going to tackle a project or task together, I was always excited because I knew Randy would be open-minded, positive, and thankful. I never once dreaded getting a call from Randy, I always looked at it as another opportunity to make a positive change. I will sincerely miss his good-natured smile and his friendship.

Jason Tucker - June 02, 2021 at 10:41 AM

BC

“ Randy will be missed at Cengage Learning. He was always smiling, always helpful and kind. My prayers go out to his wife and family.

Brenda Cason - June 02, 2021 at 10:26 AM

LC

“ My heart is breaking. Randy was my closest cousin. When family got together he and I always paired up to play. He made me laugh south over the years.

Lynn Nugent Cavanaugh - June 02, 2021 at 09:37 AM

MR

“ I had the privilege and honor of working with Randy for over 20 years. During that time we became very close. We enjoyed sharing family stories and talking about books, TV shows and movies. We shared the same taste in TV shows and movies...not so much in books. I will miss our conversations. I will miss seeing Randy's smiling face. Randy was not just a superstar at work...he was a superstar in life. He was such an amazing human being, always putting his family first. He adored his beautiful wife, his mother, his siblings, aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. He was especially proud of those nieces and nephews. His passing has left a huge hole in my heart. I will think of him often and always.
Deepest condolences to Annette and all of Randy's family.
With love,
Mary Ann Rice

Mary Ann Rice - June 02, 2021 at 09:34 AM