



## Mr. Joseph Thomas Cronin II

April 5, 1947 - January 1, 2021

Joseph Thomas Cronin II, age 73, of Alpharetta, GA passed away on January 1, 2021. His family will receive friends on Friday, January 8, 2021 from 2:00 to 4:00pm and from 6:00 to 8:00pm. A funeral service will be held in the funeral home chapel on Saturday, January 9, 2021 at 1:00pm. Attendance to both will be limited as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

# Cemetery Details

## Georgia National Cemetery

1080 Scott Hudgens Dr  
Canton, GA 30114  
(770) 479-9300

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 8. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory  
12050 Crabapple Road  
Roswell, GA

## Visitation

JAN 8. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory  
12050 Crabapple Road  
Roswell, GA

## Funeral Service

JAN 9. 1:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory  
12050 Crabapple Road  
Roswell, GA



# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Joseph Thomas Cronin II*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *We just heard the sad news of Joe's passing away. Madhu and I worked across the globe at many IBM projects for Joe from 2007 to 2012 when we retired. To this day I tell stories of Joe's kindness to our children and friends. Joe was a kind, warm human being and thinking of him puts a smile on my face, because he just cared so much for his team. He worked harder than anyone on his team and we learned a lot from him during those years. Richard Norris, you may remember being with us when Joe took us out for dinner for our 44th wedding anniversary in Copenhagen. He told the concierge to find the best restaurant in the city because we were celebrating our friends wedding anniversary! How many bosses would do that? Joe, we miss you and may you Rest In Peace. Love, kalpana and Madhu*

**kalpana sheth** - January 29, 2021 at 01:38 PM



“ *I heard this sad news today. Joe was, at one and the same time, my boss, mentor, colleague and friend. I worked with Joe all over the world. Wherever we were, and however deep the crisis we found ourselves in, Joe radiated confidence and optimism and a feeling that everything would be OK. To borrow one of his favorite expressions, Joe was quite simply superfantastic. My sincere condolences to Joe's family and friends. Best wishes, Richard Norris*

**Richard Norris** - January 14, 2021 at 06:28 AM

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“ I just received the news and my heart stopped beating. My sincere condolences to Joe's family and to all of his friends. You lost one of the people I admired most during my life in IBM. My thoughts are with you and I wish to express my deepest sympathy for your loss.

Joe and I worked together for many years. I can not express how much I owe him for his leadership and for his friendship. I could always rely on him when seeking advice, when seeking common sense, when I needed someone to talk about whatever the topic was. He advised me on leading teams, he helped me to manage change and he always had a vision which he openly shared with me.

I am thankful for the many years we worked together and I missed him when he retired.

Joe, my friend. I miss you and I will never forget you.

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**karin arnold** - January 12, 2021 at 06:15 PM

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“ Joe and I worked together a few times while I was at IBM. I found him engaging and always truthful and realistic. He had a certain aura about himself that expelled a sense of natural leadership and always a sense that he would take all the responsibilities no matter what the cost.

Even though we lost contact when he returned to the states, I always felt I could just ring him up and it would be like we never stopped communication. Rest easy Joe. My sincerest sympathy to his family and loved ones.

Barry Lerner

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**Barry Lerner** - January 09, 2021 at 11:03 PM



“ *Satish Sadagopan:*  
*My sincere condolences to Joe’s family and friends. I was hired into IBM by Joe and he was a great manger and coach. Always supportive and offered opportunities for growth. A very fair and people focused leader. Will be dearly missed. May his soul Rest In Peace.*

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**Satish Sadagopan** - January 09, 2021 at 05:45 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Joseph Thomas Cronin II.*



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January 08, 2021 at 08:26 PM



“ *Joe was a great friend and colleague at IBM, always ready to help, deep knowledge and enormous experience to advise and guide both IBMers and Customers alike. He was a joy to work with. I send my best to his family and close friends during this sad time.*  
*Regards, Nick Gurney*

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**Nicholas James Gurney** - January 08, 2021 at 02:51 AM



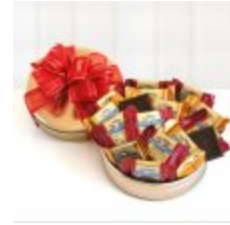
*Joe was one of the best managers I have had at IBM. He was one of those rare individuals who could work alongside other his direct reports and coach them while continue to lead on specific client engagements. I worked with him on several Red Team reviews where the IBM account relationship was on the line. I could not have asked for a better partner in my professional growth journey / he truly was one of the great Delivery partners out there. I mourn his loss along with his family (whom I do not know) and May his soul Rest In Peace in God.*

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**Krishnan Narayan** - January 08, 2021 at 08:40 PM

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“ Don Smith purchased the Ghirardelli Galore for the family of Mr. Joseph Thomas Cronin II.



Don Smith - January 07, 2021 at 01:33 PM

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“ Joe took a chance hiring me back in 2008 and I learned a lot from Joe. He was the hardest working person I've ever known, but he would never tell anyone that. Joe was all business till he wasn't and when he wasn't, he would glow with happiness telling me about his kids and grand kids.

Don Smith - January 07, 2021 at 11:06 AM

PS

“ My heartfelt condolence to family and friends of our beloved leader Joe. I will always remember him as a kind and guiding soul from many interactions with him during his tenure as CoC leader. Pray his soul rests in peace and the loved ones finds strength to bear the loss.



Prerana Soni - January 06, 2021 at 06:06 AM

TS

“ My deepest condolence to the family and friends of our beloved leader Joe. He was my mentor in COC who guided me always and helped me to become a successful professional in COC. He was a person with golden heart and a truly special human by any measure. May GOD give the strength to the bereaved family to bear this loss. May his SOUL REST IN PEACE..



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**Tapasi Sengupta** - January 06, 2021 at 01:30 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Joseph Thomas Cronin II.



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January 05, 2021 at 09:47 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Mr. Joseph Thomas Cronin II.



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January 05, 2021 at 08:32 PM