

THE HAMLET OF BEZANSON BOASTS NEW SIGN

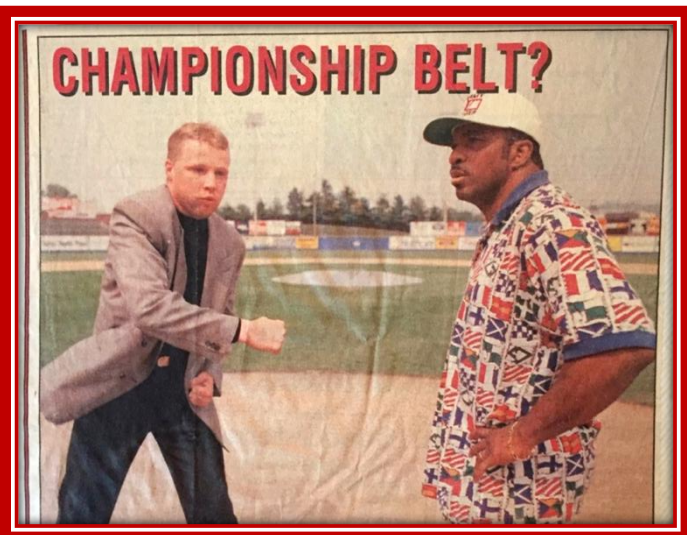
May 30, 2026 saw the installation of a new sign in the Hamlet of Bezanson. Along the side road made famous by the “Dusty LaValley” sign, proudly now sits a similar sign depicting “Daren Zenner” who was ranked 7th in the World by the World Boxing Organization.

A large gathering of family met on what would have been Daren’s 55th birthday to honor not only his accomplishments but his life as well. Wanda gave a short speech about how everyone there had a story to tell about how Daren had touched their lives. She also recanted of how Daren questioned her one-time saying “Mom, why do you think you are always right” and she responded “It’s not that I think I’m always right, it’s just that I am never wrong”. Bill Klassen shared some of the antics he and Daren were involved in during their teenage years and Roy Klassen had a great story about a trip to New York to visit Daren. Jacalyn (Klassen) Tiedemann brought along a drawing of Daren in a boxing ring that her son, Dale had done when he was about 8. Susan (Zenner) Kramps and Brett Zenner spend a great deal of time with Daren when they were all “kids”. As Susan was about 5 years older than

Daren, he thought she could do no wrong. Craig spoke of what it was like to be the “younger” brother! The pride and admiration he has for his brother is admirable.



From there, the group gathered at TJ’s for lunch and further reminiscing which could have gone on for hours.



It was a wonderful celebration – one that Daren would certainly have been proud of. He always called “Bezanson” home.

One of Daren’s pre-fight press conferences “He’s the kind of guy I wouldn’t mind going out for a beer with after the fight. Which doesn’t mean I won’t be trying to knock his head off Saturday”.

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