

May 31, 2022

Dear Herzberg family,

Loosing a loved one is always very hard, and I am so sorry that your family was one that had to go through that. From what I have heard Eric sounds like such a wonderful person. It is such a shame that his life was cut short. I do beleive that something good always comes out of unfortunate situations. In this case Eric's story is able to touch the hearts of many people, and will always continue to inspire families around the world. Everything happens for a reason and though I could never understand what you must have gone through Eric's life was not wasted. He did what he loved and we will always remember him for that. His sacrafice for our country will always be remembered especialy by me. I could never imagine going into something so dangerous the way he did but his choice will always have a place in my heart. Brave, it is a word I will always remember Eric as. Thank you guys for everything.

Sincerely,

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