



Donald Warren Lewis

July 7, 1934 - January 30, 2012

Donald W. Lewis passed away on January 30, 2012 at Eaton Community Palliative Care in Charlotte at the age of 77. Mr. Lewis was born July 7, 1934, to his parents Edward and Dorma (Long) Lewis on the family farm on Mills Highway where he grew up. Donald served in the United States Marines during the Korean War serving in the Military Police. After returning from the war he married Shirley Boyer and together they raised two sons Donald Lee and David. Donald worked for 30 years at Johnson's Iron Foundry in Charlotte until his retirement in 1985. Donald was involved in a number of activities with his sons including coaching little league baseball and serving as a Cub Master in the Cub Scouts program in both Charlotte and Vermontville. Don was a wonderful woodworker who made numerous pieces that were either sold at local craft shows or given to family members. The most memorable pieces he made were baby cribs for his granddaughters. Donald loved the outdoors and hunting. He was also a member and Past President of the Vermontville Lions Club. Above all though, Donald was proudest of his family and grandchildren, especially his granddaughters, and later his great grandsons. Donald Lewis is survived and fondly remembered by his wife of 54 years, Shirley (Boyer), their son, Donald Lee (Marcia) Lewis of Sunfield; daughter-in-law Amy Lewis of Charlotte; grandson Donald John(Kerry) Lewis; and granddaughters Dayna (Nick) Miller, Justina Lewis, Christin Lewis, and Felicia Lewis; and his great grandsons Dalton Lewis, Kaiden Lewis and Seth Miller. He was predeceased by his son David Lewis in 2007, and his brother Forest Lewis and sister Betty

Grove. . The family will receive visitors on Wednesday February 1st from 5 to 7pm at Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte. Funeral services will be held Thursday February 2nd , 2012, at 2:00 PM at Pray's with Chaplain Ron Hutson officiating. If desired the family has suggested memorial contributions be made in Donald's memory to Eaton Community Palliative Care. Family and friends are encouraged to share their memories and condolences online in Donald's Book of Memories at www.PrayFuneralHome.com

Tribute Wall



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald Warren Lewis



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - January 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ When your sad, think of the happy times you had with your Grandpa, it will make you feel better. My condolences to your family.If you need anything I'm here for you. Love you all, Cindy

Cynthia Fisher - February 02, 2012 at 01:50 AM

BW

“ Shirley and Family, I am so sorry for your loss Don was a fun guy I enjoyed working with you and him at SAV-Way I will always have wonderful memories where it concerns you, thank you for being a part of my life, Love always. becky Farr/Warner

becky farr / warner - February 01, 2012 at 11:37 AM

AB

“ Shirley and family, I'm so sorry to hear of the loss of your husband. May God guide you through your grief. Know that there are classmates who stand with you. Terri Boyd

Alice Flynn Boyd - January 31, 2012 at 07:35 PM

JM

“ Shirley and family WITH DEEPEST SYMPATHY, JUST REMEMBER THERE ARE PEOPLE WHO REALLY CARE AND ARE THINKING OF YOU DURING THIS TIME OF SORROW.

Janice Goodnoe Minarde - January 31, 2012 at 08:06 AM

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“ wow grandpa im gunna really really miss you bad wen i got the call this morning i balled like a baby i remember when u always use to take us to the store an we would go down all the isles of toys that made noise an we would make them all go off u know grandpa i still do that an will always do that in memory of you i love you grandpa and will always miss you i hope ull still see me grow up in heaven an dont have to much fun with my dad i love an miss you papa yours truly your granddaughter christin lewis

Christin Lewis - January 30, 2012 at 09:05 PM