



Donald Edward Lubahn Jr.

April 1, 1945 - December 20, 2021

Donald Edward Lubahn, Jr., 76, formerly of Charlotte, died December 20, 2021 in Deland, Florida. Donald was born April 1, 1945, the son of Donald E. and Claire "Pauline" (Goulding) Lubahn, Sr. He graduated from Leslie High School before earning his degree in printing from Michigan State University. In the mid to late 60's, he worked as a cook at the East Lansing Holiday Inn. Donald remained an excellent cook throughout his life. Donald's true-life passion was flying, a hobby he started when he was just high school age. In his 60 plus years in the air, Donald never missed a year of the aviation mecca known as Oshkosh.

Donald worked as a printer for the Michigan Catholic Conference, retiring from the publishing department. When he wasn't flying, he could be found fishing, hunting, or bowling. Before owning his own aircraft he was a member of the C.A.R.D.S. squadron, flying remote control aircraft, where he was once known as the "King of Hearts." Donald was also a huge Spartan Football fan. Above all, he was proud of his family. Don is survived by his long-time companion, Susan Reed; his son Harry; grandchildren, Kyle and Chey Lubahn, Brittany and Joe Rosman; great-grandchildren, Aubrie, Marcie, Pai Pai, Tony, and Kayden; step-grandchildren, Miranda and Jess Ray, Jeffrey and Samantha Jackson, K'Lee Jackson, Stormy Jackson; step-great-grandchildren; Tymzee, Ty, Trinity, Augi, and Ellie. He was predeceased by his brothers, David Lubahn and Darreld Lubahn.

Friends are encouraged to support Don's family sharing memories on his Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com. A Life Celebration for Don will be held on July 23 from 12 PM to 4 PM in the Bird-dog Hangar at Jim and Addriett Balgoyen's on Chester Road, Charlotte

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL **23**. 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Balgoyen Airstrip
4720 N. Chester Rd
Charlotte, MI 48813

Tribute Wall

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“ I remember the trip Don and Susan drove me all over parts of Florida when I came from Ohio. The greatest memories. St. Augustine churches and then we went to a manufacturing plant. Don came out with a peck sack of mushrooms. He remembered I loved mushrooms .Lots of laughter. Aunt Faith

Aunt Faith - July 16, 2022 at 10:05 AM

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Thanks so much for Loving and Caring so much and for so long for our sweet niece Susan....Putting up with our family was a challenge...Love Aunt Cynde

Cynthia Sanford - July 16, 2022 at 10:10 AM