



Donald E. Martz

March 23, 1941 - August 4, 2017

Donald E. Martz, 76, of Herndon, passed away on August 4, 2017, peacefully in the comfort of his home. He was born in Hickory Corners on March 23, 1941, a son of the late Margaret Mae Batdorf and the late Harlan Lloyd Martz. On October 22, 1966 at Stone Valley Church he married his wife Cheryl Blair, who survives.

Donald was a graduate of Mahanoy Joint High School, class of 1959. He served in the U.S. Army as a Crew Chief of the helicopter mechanics from 1961-1964. He owned and operated Don's Service for 32 years. Previously owned Don and Cheryl's Sporting Goods and was employed by Martz's Sunoco, Campbell's Chevrolet and Sunbury Motors. Until recently he was employed at Sterman Masser Potato Farms. He was a member Stone Valley Church and currently attended Grace Community Church.

Donald served local the local community as President of Dalmatia Area Ambulance League, Hickory Corners Fire Company and Fiddler's Run Sportsmen Association. He was a life-long Phillies fan.

Donald is survived by his wife Cheryl Martz, two daughters, Denise and husband Jim Heintzelman, Dawn and husband Troy Harris; son, Eugene Martz; four grandchildren, Erica and husband Kelly Sweppenhiser, Cody Heintzelman and partner James Welker, Troy Harris, Jr., Caleb Harris; two

brothers, David and wife Betty Martz, Dale and wife Gail Martz; four sisters, Betty and husband Glenn Bordner, Nancy and husband Gary Adams, Cindy and husband Butch Fessler, Donna and husband Dennis Helt; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by niece, Melissa Bordner.

A viewing will be held on August 8, 2017 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at Grace Community Church, Herndon and again on Wednesday August 9 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am. Funeral Ceremony will be held on Wednesday, August 9, 2017, at 11:00 am at the Grace Community Church, Herndon. Interment will take place with military honors at the Stone Valley Cemetery, Dalmatia.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Hickory Corners Fire Company, 1124 Hickory Rd, Dalmatia, PA 17017.

Previous Events

Viewing

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

Grace Community Church
1218 Route 225
Herndon, PA 17830

Viewing

AUG 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Grace Community Church
1218 Route 225
Herndon, PA 17830

Funeral Ceremony

AUG 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

Grace Community Church
1218 Route 225
Herndon, PA 17830

Tribute Wall

AW

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss.....absolutely loved Donald and he always put a smile on my face when he would come in to pick up the fish food for the hatchery. Always enjoyed the candy bars he would bring in for me on each visit. He will be greatly missed and I send my love and prayers to you and your family!

April

April Whitmoyer - August 10, 2017 at 01:36 PM

DH

“ I'm so sorry I couldn't be there today. I'm glad he got a military funeral, he earned it. I will never forget all the Phillies games I got to see because of your families generosity. Plus I got to hear stories about dad. Hugs and prayers to you all

Debra Spotts Hennen - August 09, 2017 at 03:17 PM

SZ

“ I'm sending my sympathy and prayers to you folks and whole family at this time of bereavement. Classmate, Steve Ziegler

Stephen Ziegler - August 08, 2017 at 03:38 PM

WL

“ Condolences to Donnie's family, we are sorry to hear this sad news. We send thoughts and prayers to the family

Woody & Debbie Long - August 08, 2017 at 02:45 PM

MI

“ *Masser Family & Employees of Sterman Masser Inc purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Donald E. Martz .*



Masser Family & Employees of Sterman Masser Inc - August 08, 2017 at 11:47 AM

RG

“ *Donald was a great guy. He did many things for our community. Jack and Rita Gahres*

Rita Gahres - August 08, 2017 at 09:10 AM

LK

“ *My sincerest condolences to the family of the late Donald E. Martz*

Luke Kauffman

Luke Kauffman - August 07, 2017 at 08:40 AM

SP

“ *RIP Donnie! He always made sure I got a ticket for gun drawing . Worked on my cars years ago . Always pleasant to talk to . Sorry to here you go . See you later ! 🕷*

Spider - August 06, 2017 at 08:25 AM

BL

RIP Donnie you were such a good person. Always helping with all the organizations you belonged to . Sorry to hear this news. Brenda Long

Brenda Long - August 07, 2017 at 11:58 AM

Joann
Newman

“ *Joann Newman lit a candle in memory of
Donald E. Martz*



Joann Newman - August 06, 2017 at 05:00 AM

DL

“ *Donald was a good man and he will be
missed by the community. Thoughts and
Prayers for the family during this time of
sorrow.*



David and Cheryl Lesher

David and Cheryl Lesher - August 05, 2017 at 10:24 PM

PS

*I just heard of the passing of a great past friend. I am so sorry to hear
of your loss. I'll never forget the times we spent together at Mahanoy
Joint. I'm sure he will be missed by everyone who knew him. Please
accept my condolences.*

Paul Saneholtz

Paul Saneholtz - August 19, 2017 at 10:11 PM