



Donald Steurer

October 17, 2008

Steurer, Donald E. age 62, of Andover. Complete notice appeared Thursday. Visitation 4-8 PM TODAY with 7 PM prayer service at: Washburn-McReavy Coon Rapids Chapel 763-767-1000 1827 Coon Rapids Blvd.

Tribute Wall

GS

“ August 18 2012 Dearest Don, Another birthday. Today we celebrate your birth 66 years ago. We went to Mass, and I bought the prettiest flowers. Suzy said they really smell. I remembered how you always said some pretty flowers had a horrible smell. And your nose was really sensitive. Many a flower I threw out. The kids are doing fine. JD and Teddy have football. Henry is getting his two year molars. And Keilana was just in a wedding with Doc for his cousin Michael. We did a family vacation to Kalahari in Wisconsin Dells. Fun family time. Dear, I miss you and think of you during these times. Continue to watch over us. Miss you always and love you forever G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - August 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ June 19, 1971 Dearest Don, Another anniversary. I miss you dear. I read some of the old cards you gave me. It brings back memories. Nice memories, ones I will always cherish. Nothing exciting planned, a baseball game for Teddy (weather permitting) Wish you were here to enjoy the grandkids. They are terrific!!! Miss you always and love you forever G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

G S - June 19, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Happy Father's Day June 2012 Dearest Don, Today we celebrate our love for you and remember all the fun things we all did together. Going to the TWINS game will always be the highlight. Now as the grandkids get older we go to the game on Fathers Day to remind us of the GOOD OLD DAYS and share this day with Jason and Doc. JD can still remember the DOME but he loves Target Field. We were at Target Field from 11 till 7. The fathers got golf club covers. The kids got an autograph of Darin Mastroianni. We started in section 326, up high but under the cover when it started to rain, then moved to 236, comfortable in the folding chairs near where we usually sit until it started to rain again. Delay for half hour or so, we moved to 133 to wait out the rain delay. The sun came out. A beautiful finish. 15 innings later Span got a hit to score the winning run. 5-4 A long day. Henry took two naps. It was fun to be with all the family. Other news: Henry got his first big boy haircut this week along with JD and Teddy. Keilana is getting ready for uniform school shopping in July. She will attend St Andrews in Elk River. JD and Teddy are both playing baseball, and already had to sign up for football. My evenings are really busy. Don, I miss you. We miss you. The boys and Keilana continue to talk about you, remembering things you did and said. Continue to watch over us. Miss you always and love you forever. G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - June 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ April 14, 2012 JD is celebrating his 9th birthday. We went to the TWINS game, our first for the season. We were expecting rain, because that is what was in the forecast all week. It was beautiful. Warm and the sun was shining. The TWINS lost, but that was okay. JD and Teddy have their picture up near the Legends Club. Nancy took a picture last season and it was picked with 4 others for the Fans Photo Gallery. Before the game JD had a Bday sign, so players stopped to autograph/or give him a ball. Then Suzy took his picture for the Fan Photo on the big screen and during the fourth inning he was on the big screen. What a great day he had. This last Saturday, the 21st we went on the Target Field Tour. We took Great Grandma Annie, G G Lois and all of us. Dave and the Boys and Dylan and his family, JD's friend since preschool. Two hours we walked around, seeing the behind the scene areas that we don't normally get to see. The Champions Clubhouse is behind homeplate, and they have keg room coolers where all the beer is stored and pumped to the concession stands. Cool. We walked around the more expensive seat areas. And finally the dugout. The kids and the adults had fun at Target Field. After the tour we came back for hot dogs. JD wanted a prize for the best looking hot dog, the hot dog with the most stuff on, and the messiest. Doc made the biggest and ate it. Suzy baked a carrot cake and treats for us. And Nancy was the official photographer. Henry was so happy anything with the TWINS makes him happy. We had a nice birthday for him. A nice family get together. Dear, thinking of you, missing you especially today. Miss you always and love you forever G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

G S - April 22, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *Easter Day 2012* This weekend started on Friday, coloring eggs. Lots of eggs every color you could make. Different shades of pink, blue, red, orange. Henry did a couple then was ready for bed. He loves to cuddle with me. Saturday morning , took the food to be blessed at Holy Cross Church . We had enough food to feed the neighborhood. Each of the kids had their own basket, JD with his food, Teddy with everything he eats, Keilana had some fruit and juices and Henry applesauce and pears. The big treat this year was their sparkling (wine) juice. They loved drinking it in plastic wine glasses. Then after church off to the last Easter egg hunt. A little drizzle never slows them down. Saturday vigil was long but very nice. Henry fell asleep, then Teddy and Keilana. JD was still singing at the end, two and half hours later. This morning JD was up at 7, I was peeling potatoes and he came down because he was thirsty. His usual excuse to see if the Easter Bunny came and to scope out the hidden eggs. Kids had fun finding the eggs, Henry only looked for and picked up his orange eggs. That was cute to watch him run past a blue one or green one. We had a nice time. No one else came for dinner so we weren't in a big rush to get going. Thought of you during Mass listening to the songs, Nancy put out a colored egg for you. We made our late night run to the cemetery Lights are shining bright and a couple of new wind chimes are making lots of music for you. Thinkig of you Dear, Miss you always and love you forever. G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - April 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *It was a snowy day rain,rain then finally SNOW! Adam brought his new snowmobile over with his friend. He pulled us on the sled behind the snowmobile. I made a snowman about 4 feet tall. My dad did the snowblower all afternoon but it finally broke.Grandma and I did math on the porch.Then my brother and I played Wii for a while.It was a lazy day! love you grandpaLove JD*

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JD Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

JD Heller - February 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ I played the wii.It was fun.We played Skylanders.I love you GrandpaLove Teddy Jason?

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Teddy HELLER,

ANDOVER, Minnesota

Teddy HELLER - February 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Feb 29, 2012 Leap Day Guess What? Finally snow! And a snow day. No school today. JD and Teddy couldn't wait to get outside and Adam finally brought his new snowmobile over to drive around the yard. The snow is very wet and heavy, Jason worked all day snowblowing the driveway. Doc got up early to shovel so Nancy could get out. He broke the handle of the shovel from the weight of the snow. The boys did a little Wii this afternoon. JD and I did a little math too. It was a lazy day. Thinking of you dear. Miss you always and will love you forever. G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - February 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Valentine's Day 2012 Dearest Don, Thinking of you today with happy memories of the special cards you always bought. The ones that reminded me of how you felt. I remember the idea to stand together pick out the card, give it to each other, read it then put it back. I'm glad we never did that because I still have the many cards you bought me. Last Sunday we celebrated Mom's 90th birthday. You always said she would have a long happy life. We had so much fun. Her friends and family surprised her at the Federal Clubhouse for lunch and pictures in a Memory Booth. It was a wonderful day. Thinking of you. Miss you always will love you forever G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - February 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Happy New Year 2012 Dearest Don, We did the Up North thing again this year. The kids were so excited to ring in the New Year toasting with apple juice. JD and Teddy were wide awake. Keilana and Henry fell asleep but got their second wind when they were carried downstairs to wait for the countdown. No balloons this year just lots of popping streamers all over the place. Hat and horns and noise makers. And pictures in the photobooth, me with the girls and each family. It was fun for them. It brought back great memories of years ago. We missed you dear. To All my dear friends and family, I wish you a New Year filled with good health and happiness. I am so blessed to have you in my life. G Don We miss you always and will love you forever. All my love G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - January 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ On December 27th a very dear man went to the Lord in Heaven. He will be greeted by Don. Don who NEVER HAD A BAD DAY and the other WAS EXCELLENT. Father Benard Reiser died at the age of 86 after 62 years of priesthood. Don met with Father a number of times. Once was a happy 25 anniversary occasion. But the other times were for his blessing. Our family car accident then the nailing gun accident. Father was with me while I was waiting for the dr to arrive. He always had a calming voice and was so reassuring. I thought the dr was so young. Father said he probably knows the newest procedures in brain surgery like Don needed to remove the nail. Father remembered people. Names, addresses. Years ago he arrived for cake and coffee after Nancy's first communion after a quick invite to stop in. I didn't even give him the address but he found us. Father accepted my call after Dad died saying we needed a priest to have Mass. He didn't hesitate. Coming to the funeral home the night before then having a beautiful Mass. How special that was. I called Father when Don died. We asked Father Michael Kennedy and Father Reiser to say Mass. Everyone was so impressed by Father Reiser's visitation service. Father Reiser joins Don and Father Kennedy along with Dad and the rest of the Steurer and Iskierka families in Heaven. Don We miss you always and will love you forever. G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - January 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Christmas Day 2011 Dearest Don, We celebrated Christmas our usual way. Mass with the family on Christmas Eve, a stop at the cemetery to check out the lights then the shrimp dinner. We talked about how many you could eat. And how we always kept count. Good memories. Funny memories. Some bring tears and some bring smiles. We had a nice day today. The room was filled with gifts. Santa was very generous to the grandkids. JD still talks about when Santa came after dinner to bring that 1 last gift. He will forever remember HIS Santa. I miss you dear. To all our family and friends, I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Healthy Happy New Year. May 2012 bring you God's Blessings. Don We miss you always and will love you forever. All my love, G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - December 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *Thanksgiving Day 2011 Dearest Don, Thinking of you today and how many loving memories you're a part of and how many bright dreams you've inspired, and how special and loved you are. The 4 kids add so much to the holidays. This year Henry ate turkey and pumpkin pie. He loved it. Suz and Nancy went out shopping. Doc went earlier to sit in line for them. Those girls are REAL shoppers. We miss you always and will love you forever. All my love G*

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ 10-11-11 Dear Don, Today makes three years we have been without you. Everyone has their own special memory of things you did or said. Suzy and Nancy will say "Remember when Dad said... Or "It still makes me laugh when Dad.... Teddy is telling me of things you are telling him he can do. Like jump on the bed now its a handstand or splash me while he takes a bath. He always starts with " Grandpa said...." JD remembers how you taught him to throw a football and catch a baseball or let him build something in the shop. Keilana talks about her Papa. We went to Mass then walked around the cemetery. The priest was so nice and said how pleased he was to see all the little ones there. This year Henry tried to walk. He was so excited. He joined the others as they jumped to hit the windchimes. JD rearranged the spotlights. Keilana found some pretty leaves. And Teddy was full of energy to just run. We all admired the full moon shining so bright in the sky. I miss you Dear. I miss having you around to talk to and share my thoughts. I am so grateful for our friends and family. They are so thoughtful and loving. We love them dearly. We miss you always and will love you forever. Love always G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - October 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Gloria and Family, A day does not go by without thinking of Don and you guys. Three years have gone by and we wanted to say how much you mean to us. Don continues to be a role model for me and we both miss him terribly. Thank God for all the good memories we share. Gloria, Don would be so proud of you and the kids. Love, Larry and Kathy.*

October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ 9/11 Today we celebrated Keilana's 4th birthday. She was a cute little princess all day. Church then walked around the country fest. Yesterday she invited a few little friends to the Big Lake bowling lanes. JD and Teddy were there also. We even had Great Grandma Annie come and watch. Tomorrow evening we are driving to Kansas City to celebrate Henry's first bday on Tuesday watching the TWINS play. It was Grandparents Day today. The 4 kids gave me Butterfinger bars. We all miss you dear and think of you all the time. Watch over us. Love you G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - September 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Happy Birthday Papa! Happy Birthday Dad! We miss you and will be thinking of you tonight at the Twins game. Its supposed to be a beautiful evening.*

Big lake, Minnesota

August 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dearest Don, 65 years ago a beautiful baby boy was born to Rose and Ted. You grew up to become a loving husband, a wonderful father, a fun and caring grandpa/papa and a thoughtful, generous friend to others. We celebrate your life and all that you accomplished. We celebrate our love for you and your love for us. We remember the past and cherish the special memories we hold close in our hearts. We miss you always and will love you forever. All my love G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - August 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Today is the fourth anniversary of the 35W bridge collapse. I remember hearing about it on the very day we arrived in Mexico. We called home and Suzy said Jason usually travels on that bridge. So sad 11 lives taken. JD watched the news reports and continued to ask and talk about it until the new bridge finally opened. He still calls it the New bridge. Memories of our trip to Mexico have a special place in my heart. I miss you dear. Love G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - August 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ The TWINS started their second half of the season. During the fourth inning of tomorrow's game JD will be the kid announcer for the TWINS players. Don, you would be so proud of JD listening to him practice the players' names. Last night we enjoyed the TWINS winning the game against Kansas City. Keilana loves the food at Target Field. Especially the corn dogs. (She got tired of the chicken tenders) Henry eats his squeeze bag of fruits and veggies. Easier to bring instead of jars of food. And takes a nap for a couple of innings. JD keeps score and has a foot long hot dog. Teddy eats the foot long bun, drinks his lemonade and tries to play his i pod. The cameraman in our area enjoys the kids and gets them on the big screen waving and having fun. I love to watch the four kids enjoying each other and having fun when we go someplace together. We all remember the days of the TWINS and the Dome. I feel you there with me, watching us. I miss you and think of you often. Love always
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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - July 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *The Fourth of July Today is a quiet day. The we celebrated at the TWINS game yesterday. It was hot, so we drank lots of lemonade and the kids enjoyed ice cream,lemonade cups and watermelon. We cheered and had fun being on the big screen. Nancy and Keilana did a fun guess the winner. The Twins won over the Brewers. Doc did a mentos experiment with the kids. Jason filled the sandbox for them to play in. Each year the kids try to do something different, something special. We thought of you and how you loved to entertain. Our days were so busy we didn't plan a picnic. We are thankful for our family and friends. We miss you dear.Love always G*

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - July 04, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NA

“ *Happy Father's Day Dad! We missed you lot today but enjoyed the memories. The Twins win was a great way to spend the day. I'll be thinking about you in Florida, we always had fun walking the beach. :o) Love Nancy Happy Fathers Day Papa*

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Nancy,

Big Lake, Minnesota

Nancy - June 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ Dearest Don, Father's Day this week-end. 40 years ago we said "I DO" It's still hard to believe you're not with me to celebrate. So many things to remember about our life together. We have Mass this week end and TWINS game on Sunday. All the kids thought that would be a great way to remember you this Father's Day Grandpa Day and PaPa day too!! You truly were a great Dad. So many fond memories. Leaving for FI on Tues. (staying at the same hotel we always did) Wish you were going with me. Hope the weather will be nice, rainy here. Watch over us all All my love G

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Gloria,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria - June 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ On Sunday, May 22nd, JD will receive his First Communion at St Patrick's Church during the 11:00 am Mass. It will be a very special day. We are so happy for him. He has been waiting for this all year, finally he can be like the adults and be a part of the Mass. We will be thinking of you Dear. And know you will be with us, smiling down on JD in his suit, tie and white shirt :) Our first grandchild is growing up.
Love G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - May 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dearest Cousin Don,I Love reading what Gloria & the Children all have to tell you about things going in their Lives..WE all miss You still very Much.. Always in Our Hearts,Love,Lin*

Contact Me

April 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *Easter Day Dear Don The kids we so good at church. They held onto their candles and watched the flames glowing. It was late, Henry and Teddy fell asleep. Keilana and JD stayed awake. We miss you Dear and the kids remember stories about the easter bunny coming. Especially JD. Love you, miss you G*

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

G S - April 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dear Don, Oh how fast the months are going by. Almost the end of the school year. I celebrate 25 years with the District. I'm meeting Kathy and Linda at the Dinner. Today the TWINS opened their second season at Target Field. They won. Tomorrow we are all going to our first game of the season. JD has already listened to a few games on his radio. He is really a big TWINS fan. His birthday is just a week away. Eight years old. I know he misses you and will tell people about you and things you would show him or tell him. Always a story. The grandkids are a blessing to have around. We all miss you Love G

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G S,

Andover, Minnesota

GS - April 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dear Don I can hear Jason downstairs, getting things ready for tomorrow. JD and Teddy are so excited for the Big Lake Fishing contest They're going to catch a Big One. JD knows just what to do! Keilana is going too and so is Henry. Doc took the day off. I remember when we took K at 5 months, just like H is now. She fell asleep on the sled. Wonder what H will do... It's going to be cold, so we might only stay a short time. I know we will be thinking of you tomorrow. Missing you And remembering all the fun we had trying to win a big prize. We have some wonderful memories. Love you dear.
G

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G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - February 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Valentine's Day 2011 Dearest Don, Today I thought of you and how much time you would spend to find the right card. I still have so many of them. I love to read them. Thank you for being so thoughtful. Who would have known they would bring so much comfort. The words really came from your heart. The weather has been so nice. In the 40's. The boys built the cutest snowman for you. We miss you dear. Love always G

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G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Dear Don / Grandpa Today Teddy lost his first tooth. It was just yesterday
pulled it too hard :) He was Five on Dec 5th and that tooth is sooo sma
jdhgqahyfr9fdfreedd;)fdteyfhfnceuerjurmffdjrnurjfmfrhhfhncchhrnhhyru
dhfcbn Love Teddy

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Jason Theodore Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

Jason Theodore Heller - January 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Dear Grandpai have a goldfish jh,m vf y
abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyztddyijhgfrdkkfhf,gvhfmghjfft,jjgtgmnLove
Teddy

~

Jason Theodore Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

Jason Theodore Heller - January 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Happy New Year Grandpa I miss you so much I wish you were around for christmas. And I wish you would last long enough so we can go fishing with you. love JD*

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JacobDonald Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

JacobDonald Heller - January 05, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Happy New Year 2011 Dearest Don, We did our usual trip "Up North" to bring in the New Year. The kids did their walk on the floor and did the count down. JD, Teddy, Keilana and Henry were wide awake and ready to celebrate. We all could feel you there with us. To all our family and friends we wish you LOVE, PEACE AND HAPPINESS IN 2011 Miss you dear. Love always G

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G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - January 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Christmas Day 2010 Dear Don, Another Christmas, Henry's first. Stopped at the cemetery last night after Mass, someone was kind enough to snowblow a path. And the tree lights weren't all working on Wednesday night, but Christmas Eve they were shining bright and blinking like crazy. We all knew you were there with us. Dave and the boys joined us for our traditional shrimp dinner. That was nice. Mom still talks about how you would fry them up for us. She always enjoyed it. This morning Keilana was up at 7:30, I told her we needed to wait for JD to wake us. Little did I know he was downstairs with Great Grandma looking for something special (an I Pod Touch) We had a nice time, the kids were so busy opening their presents. Next year Henry will be in there with them. Santa came. Teddy thinks it was Doc but he's not sure. The usual 1:00 ham and turkey dinner is starting to take me a little longer. It was 1:30, but no one seems to mind waiting. Jean from Wisconsin called. That was very nice to talk to her. She misses Maxine. I wish she would get a computer so we could send pictures of the kids. Kathy is missing her mom this Christmas. They are having the family over today. I didn't talk to Theresa, but I was thinking of her today as I was thinking of Todd and Joan. Thank you to all our family and friends who continue to help us get through the Holidays without you. Calls, emails or being with us brings comfort. To them we wish a Merry Christmas and a Healthy Happy New Year. Miss you dear. Love you always Gloria

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G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - December 25, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *Thanksgiving Day, November 25, 2010 Dear Don, Today we celebrated Nancy's birthday, remembering the years she thought the turkey dinner was just for her and she wanted pecan pie instead of cake. She has become a wonderful mother to two adorable kids. What a blessing to watch them grow up. So thankful for Suzy and the great things she does with the boys. Our whole dinner today was nearly everything they could eat. Great pumpkin pie. She spends so much time with them. I am very grateful for Jason and Doc too, always willing to help out. Thank you to family and friends for their love and support. We miss you Love G*

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G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - November 25, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dear Don, Last night JD and Teddy had a surprise for me. They both were riding their bikes without training wheels. The cement in front of the garage is so small but both of them went around and around. They are so excited to bring the bikes to the cemetery and ride around the parking lot and the circle. We miss you Love G

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G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - November 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dearest Don, Family and friends gathered yesterday, Sunday, for Henry Donald's Baptism. He was so precious in the old family gown. JD, Teddy and Keilana were too big to wear it when they were baptized. We stopped by the cemetery for a quick run and click and drive by with the usual honks. It was a very special day and we knew you were there with us, watching over us. We miss you Love from us all

~

G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - October 25, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LV

“ Don, time has passed So Quickly since You went Home to our Heavenly Father too soon.. I Still miss You terribly as do Your Other Family members.. My Love to All,Linda

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Linda V,

Moreno Valley, California

[Contact Me](#)

Linda V - October 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ October 11, 2010 Dear Don, Two years have gone by. I miss you every day. Family and friends have been a great support. How grateful I am to have them. The grandkids are so special and keep me busy. Truly a blessing to have them. Thinking of you. Love Gloria

~

G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - October 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *Baby Sonntag couldn't wait any longer. Henry Donald arrived 9-13-10 at 3:03 am 7 lbz 11 oz 20 inches long What a cute baby! Everyone is fine. Keilana loves her little baby brother Watch over them*

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G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - September 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ 9-11-10 We celebrated Keilana's third birthday. What an exciting day we had. This year K was into Tinkerbell. You would be so amazed at the words she uses and the conversation she carries on. She is a real girly girl. Lots of Pink and loves dresses, long hair that I set in curlers. Fun for me. But she still rough houses with JD and Teddy Baby S is due any day. Nancy spends a lot of time resting, giving the baby as many days that she can. Due date 9-20 Miss you Dear. Love G

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G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - September 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PB

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Patty Brinkman,

Appleton, Wisconsin

Contact Me

Patty Brinkman - August 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Hope you had a Happy Birthday in Heaven Don. I sure do miss you brother. I pray for Gloria and the family everyday. Love you, Patty B.*

August 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Dear GRANDPA I hope your birthday was good in Heaven. LOVE
YOUR GRANDSON JD

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JD Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

JD Heller - August 18, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ *Happy Birthday Papa! We love you and miss you!*

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Keilana Sonntag,

Big Lake, Minnesota

Keilana Sonntag - August 18, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ teddy gjd4443659i love you grandpa Teddygd9dld6'd8ddr
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Teddy Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

Teddy Heller - August 18, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Happy Birthday, My Dear You were more than my husband, More than my sweetheart, You were my friend that I could trust and confide in. You cared and showed an interest in all that I did. You understood me as no one else can. You're the very special man I hold close to my heart I think of you today and always. Love G

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Gloria Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria Steurer - August 18, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ I am saddened to write that Mel Fulton, my cousin Theresa's husband died from a heart attack at the age of 70 on July 3rd. He had a great sense of humor and always enjoyed telling a hunting story. He will be missed by his family and friends.

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Gloria Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria Steurer - July 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *Fourth of July 2010* With fireworks booming from Anoka, we did hot dogs and marshmallows over a fire. JD, Teddy and Keilana ate their share of both. Throwing the cherry bombs near each other made everyone laugh. It was fun to be together talking about other years and the fun we always had. Thinking about next year and having the big fireworks picnic again. You always loved to entertain and JD missed not having people over to watch fireworks here. This year was a Twins game and a Saints game. We miss you and thank you for the wonderful memories of all our fun times together. Love
ALways,

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G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - July 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ *Happy Father's Day Papa! We miss you, but I still find ways to drive my mama crazy with your sayings. Love, Lana*

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Keilana Sonntag,

Big Lake, Minnesota

Keilana Sonntag - June 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *Father's Day 2010* We spent the day together. First church then the kids were flying paper airplanes around the cemetery. The flower pots are bright with all different plants. JD, Teddy and Keilana trimmed around your place. It's really getting warm, so we cleaned the pool and filled it with water. Don, you were so smart. The idea to change the outside faucet to hot water was a fantastic idea. They love the bathwater warm swim in the pool. You always thought of ways to make us happy. We love you and miss you. Your Family

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G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - June 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ To My Wonderful Husband Thinking of you today and remembering the day we were married. June 19, 1971. Not many men give of themselves in such a caring way as you did. You were kind, supportive and understanding. We were lucky to have found each other and enjoy our years together with our family. I miss you Love always G

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Gloria Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria Steurer - June 19, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dearest Don, Thinking of you this Memorial Day. This morning Father Blume celebrated Mass and the Military Honor Guard presented our nation's colors. JD, Teddy and Keilana were so proud to accept a rose in your memory. After the service JD placed his flag in the flower stand for everyone to see. Of course we took many pictures for them to save. Again I must say how blessed I feel to have had you in my life. I cherish the memories and the happiness you brought into my life. I miss you and some days it feels like a dream. Love you always. G

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Gloria Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria Steurer - May 31, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dearest Don, Yesterday JD turned 7. You would be so proud of him. He is doing well in first grade and continues to enjoy the adult conversations with the staff at Rum River. He has many friends and decided to invite his whole class for his TWINS party because it was to hard to pick a few. JD and Teddy are best friends and do the normal brotherly fighting. And Keilana can't wait to come over to see her JD and Teddy. I am truly blessed to have them in my life. Miss you dear Love G

~

Gloria Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria Steurer - April 15, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dearest Don, Thinking of you this Easter day, remembering our dinners and egg hunts. We did the usual egg coloring on Friday. Each year we do more. We planted tulips for you and JD, Teddy and Keilana decorated easter eggs for you too. They laugh and run around knowing you are there watching. They have a little trail from you to Grandpa Jake. The boys are anxious to bring their bikes again. Exciting news we are having another grandchild in September. Watch over Baby S. Miss you dear. Love, Gloria

~

Gloria Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria Steurer - April 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ February 2010 Dearest Don We think of you always. REMEMBERING
SPECIAL DAYS WITH YOU Valentine's Day the Big Lake Fishing
Contest trips to the casino Miss you Love Gloria & kids

~

G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - February 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Dear Family and Friends We wish you a healthy, happy New Year. We are truly blessed with your love and friendship. Thank you for keeping us in your thoughts and prayers as we continue our journey without Don. Holidays are most difficult but together we get by. Our love, Gloria, Suzy, Jason, JD, Teddy Nancy, Doc, Keilana

~

G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - January 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ Dearest Don, Christmas just isn't the same without you. This year especially seemed to be so rushed. The kids put up the tree and new decorations. Keilana, Teddy and JD played in the snow knowing you were watching them and laughing as they threw snowballs. We miss you. Love you foreverGloria

~

Gloria,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria - December 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *My Dearest Don!m thankful for the years we had together. I cherish the memories of our Holiday dinners together. I Love You and Miss you today, tomorrow and always. love,Gloria*

~

G Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

G Steurer - November 26, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LN

“Gloria and kids, So many times this past year, I asked myself "how would Don do this?" It seemed to come to me and then I would figure it out. I will always ask myself this question when I am stumped and I know the answer will always be there. Don touched so many and continues to touch us all by the great memories he has left us. We miss Don terribly. Love Larry and Kathy

~

Larry and Kathy Nelson,

Ramsey

Larry and Kathy Nelson - October 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LI

“ Dearest Don, It has been a LONG LONELY year. I Miss You as much now, as I still Miss My Only Son Kevin who has been gone 13 Long yrs now.. I Pray for Peace of Mind For Gloria & Family, and Hope they Find Solace in every day Life. I Love You Cuz, Always & Forever,Lin

~

Linda,

California

[Contact Me](#)

Linda - October 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ *My Dearest Don, This has been the hardest year of my life. I miss you so. We all miss you. I love today, tomorrow and always. I pray God will continue to bless us with courage and faith. All my Love, Gloria*

~

Gloria,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria - October 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ You may be out of my sight... but never out of my mind... I Miss You Dad! Love ya!

~

Nancy Sonntag,

Big Lake, Minnesota

Nancy Sonntag - October 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ To Papa, I miss you! Love, Keilanaadededdddcvffvcded

~

Keilana Sonntag,

Big Lake, Minnesota

Keilana Sonntag - October 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ *vmnbgvdfccm bguig,gfvhg drfzthgfgto papa love lana*

~

Keilana Sonntag,

Big Lake, Minnesota

Keilana Sonntag - September 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Grandfatherddljg;s;d I love youTeddy

~

Jason Theodore Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

Jason Theodore Heller - August 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ grandpajdbvcdgffrvbvcvfgddfrfdgfbvvfvdbhythgftnbvcxdgfrtfgbblovete

~

Jason Theodore Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

Jason Theodore Heller - August 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ GRANDPA i love you JD

~

JacobDonald Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

JacobDonald Heller - August 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ *Belated Happy Birthday Don. I miss you so much. I keep Gloria and the family in my prayers and thoughts everyday and even though I can no longer see you, I can still hear your voice and remember how much you and Mike used to tease me. You will be in my heart forever Dear Brother. Until we meet again, I love you. Your Sister.*

~

Pat Brinkman,

Appleton, Wisconsin

Pat Brinkman - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LV

“ *Happy Birthday Don. We All Miss You So Very Much.. I miss the Witty Phone Conversations and the Cute stuff you would send to My Email.. Forever In My Heart, Love You Cuz, Lin*

~

Linda Vernon,

Perris, California

Contact Me

Linda Vernon - August 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ HBVBVBVNSWE#HFRxvfgfhoiytrtrtttttttttrytyttuyuyymn GV NBV
N NJJHHGHHGGBTGNLDHappy Birthday Dear GrandfatherLove
your grandson Teddy (age 3)

~

Jason Theodore Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

Jason Theodore Heller - August 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Happy Birthday PAPA!!!! We miss you.

~

Keilana Sonntag,

Big Lake, Minnesota

Contact Me

Keilana Sonntag - August 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Happy Birthday Grandp you are THE greatest GRANDPAEVER IN THE WORLD .LOVE YOUR GRANDSON JD

~

JacobDonald Heller,

Andover, Minnesota

JacobDonald Heller - August 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Sixty-three years ago a very special person was born. Don, I love you and miss you Gloria

~

Gloria Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria Steurer - August 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Thank you for remembering Don on his birthday. We are grateful to have so many thoughtful, caring friends and family. Love, GLoria and Family

~

Gloria Steurer,

Andover, Minnesota

Gloria Steurer - August 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Don, Thinking of you today and the great 4th of July memories you've given us with your great parties and fireworks...it was always such a fun day and we know you loved the 4th. The 4th of July will never be the same without you...Love, Denny and Lori Iskierka, Maple Grove, MN

July 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ *Happy Father's Day Papa! We miss you. You'd be proud of how much of a fishy I am becoming!*

~

Keilana Sonntag,

Big Lake, Minnesota

Keilana Sonntag - June 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *HAPPY FATHER'S DAY, GRANDPA.WE MISSS YOU...*

~

JD & TEDDY HELLER,

Andover, Minnesota

JD & TEDDY HELLER - June 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Gloria and Family,We always think of Don and the great times we had together, but today on Memorial Day, we have special thoughts for a man who cared and provided service for everyone he knew. There was no man more caring and giving than Don and today we honor his memory! Our best wishes to you. Larry and Kathy*

May 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ Dear mrs.steurer I am so sorry about your husband Don.If you need any comfort you can come to me if you would like to.

~

Tori Danielson,

Andover, Minnesota

Tori Danielson - March 07, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LN

“Gloria and Family, We just finished up our annual fishing trip and wanted you to know how much we missed Don. We shared memories and stories of past trips and toasted Don out on the ice. Don would have been happy to see that Larry once again got the "crying towel." We pass along our thoughts and well wishes to you. From Don's Connexus Fishing Buddies.

~

Larry Nelson,

Ramsey, Minnesota

Larry Nelson - January 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KN

“ *Gloria, Thinking of you and your family. We miss Don and remember him every day. Love, Larry and Kathy*

~

Kathy Nelson,

Ramsey, Minnesota

Kathy Nelson - January 07, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LV

“Gloria, Suzy & All the family, I also wish to add My Words for Don. Tho I had not seen him in over 40 years, we re-connected several yrs ago & had spoken quite a bit by phone & thru emails. I Shall miss those cute items he sent & Hearing his Wonderful Voice.. Peace to All of You & Know Don is in Great Hands now.. Love to All, Cousin Linda

~

Linda Vernon,

Perris, California

Contact Me

Linda Vernon - October 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LI

“ Dear Gloria, Thinking of you today. I know birthday's will never be the same without Don but am praying that all of those sweet memories will help get you through today. Love, Lori

~

Lori Iskierka,

Maple Grove, Minnesota

Lori Iskierka - October 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KN

“ Dear Gloria and family, The services on Friday and Saturday were a fitting tribute to a remarkable man. We are thankful that we have so many good memories of all of us together. Don will be missed.
Love, Larry and Kathy

~

Kathy Nelson,

Ramsey, Minnesota

Kathy Nelson - October 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ *Suzy and family, We are very sorry to hear about the loss of your dad.*

~

Tammy & Travis Picotte,

Andover, Minnesota

Tammy & Travis Picotte - October 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Suzy, Gloria and Nancy am so sorry to hear about our loss of Don.
My prayers and thoughts are with you.

~

Dan Hegberg,

Blaine, Minnesota

Contact Me

Dan Hegberg - October 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ Gloria, Susie, Jason and family, Sorry to hear about yur loss. Don will be deeply missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you!!!! You couldn't have asked for a person for a father/ grandfather. The softball games will never be the same without him back there cheering us on like one of his own. Love you guys Todd Martizna

~

Todd Martizna,

shoreview

Todd Martizna - October 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *Don you were loved by us alway's and we will forever remember your smile. Wish we had more time to get together, but you are in a great place now. With love cindy warren and family.*

~

cindy warren,

Lino Lakes, Minnesota

Contact Me

cindy warren - October 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Suzy & Family, We are so very sorry about the loss of Don. We are thinking of you and keeping you close in prayer. Mary and Todd*

October 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Susie, Jason and family, Sorry to hear about yur loss. Don will be deeply missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you!!!! You couldn't have asked for a person for a father/ grandfather. The softball games will never be the same without him back there cheering us on like one of his own. Love you guys Todd Martizna*

~

Todd Martizna,

shoreview, Minnesota

Todd Martizna - October 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ Dear Aunt Gloria, Suzy, Nancy, and Family, The words on this site speak volumes to the man that Uncle Don is. And I do say "is" intentionally and not "was". Although his body is no longer here, his spirit is so alive... more now than ever! I am so sorry for your deep loss. Like so many others have already expressed, the thing I remember most about Uncle Don is his happy face and smiling eyes. If you could just see him now... I'm sure that smile is even brighter and sweeter... He is in GOOD hands!! You are in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Colleen

~

Colleen Nunn,

Brunswick

Contact Me

Colleen Nunn - October 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Mrs. Steurer, I am sorry to hear about your husband Don. I am sure you are really sad right now. I will be thinking and praying for you and your family. Take care of yourself. I can't wait to see you at school so I can give you a great big hug. I am really sorry for you.*

~

Jared Schuster,

Andover, Minnesota

Jared Schuster - October 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AK

“ *Steurer Family, My heart goes out to you. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Love and God's Peace, Alissa Kovala*

~

Alissa Kovala,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Contact Me

Alissa Kovala - October 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Hay Brother, say HI to mom and play some cribbage with her up there in Heaven. Till we meet again your sister allways.

~

Connie Steurer,

Lino Lakes, Minnesota

Connie Steurer - October 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Hay Brother, say HI to mom and play some cribbage with her up there in Heaven. Till we meet again your sister allways.

~

Connie Sterer,

Lino Lakes, Minnesota

Connie Sterer - October 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JC

“Gloria, Suzie & Nancy, I am sorry to hear about Don, we had some good times at the lake and when we were together on the holidays. My prayers are with you and your family. God is with you.

~

Janet Carpentier,

Farmington, Minnesota

Contact Me

Janet Carpentier - October 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ *Steurer Family - I was so sorry to hear of Don's death. You are all in my thoughts and prayers at such a tough time.*

~

JoAnn Arneson,

Brooklyn Park, Minnesota

JoAnn Arneson - October 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DI

“Gloria and family, Words cannot express the heartbreaking sadness we feel for your loss. Don was a very special guy, helping us each grow in our life more than one can realize. Don was always there to lend a hand or share a laugh. Don always made sure to spend time with his nieces and nephews, too. Don was great at getting our kids hyper on sweets and then sending them home to us, with a smile on his face. :-) We know Don loved and was so proud of you and his family. Don gave us so many good memories and he will be in our hearts always. Love, Dave, Kristi, Chan, Cory and Adam

~

Dave Iskierka,

Andover, Minnesota

Dave Iskierka - October 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ *Nancy, Daris and little Keilana So sorry to hear about your dad. I'm sure he will be missed by all. God bless all of you in this sad time. Love Aunt Eileen, Uncle Leo Sample of Hoxie, KS*

~

Eileen & Leo Sample,

Hoxie, Kansas

Eileen & Leo Sample - October 16, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LI

“Glor and family, We love you all and will sure miss an important part of our family. Don was such a kind, gentle, loving man and his positive outlook was always so refreshing. When we think of him, we see his "crinkley" smile and his little laugh that went with it. Goodbye for now, Don. Meet us at the gate, ok? Love, Bob and Laurie

~

Laurie Iskierka,

Minnetonka, Minnesota

Laurie Iskierka - October 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ *Gloria and Family, It is so difficult to lose someone you so dearly love. Please accept our condolences on the loss of Don. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Sincerely, Terry and Karen Fish*

~

Karen Fish,

Columbia, South Carolina

Contact Me

Karen Fish - October 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

EH

“Gloria, Susie, Nancy and families, If there is one word that we could use to describe “Family Man”, it would be 'Don'. You could see in his eyes and through his actions how much he loved and respected his family. I know your hearts are feeling heavy and broken from the loss, but know that your hearts will heal over time through the strength, the love and the guidance you've received from Don. Cherish your memories of Him and keep him alive in your heart as if he were here with you today. He will always watch over and care for you. We all will miss him dearly. Love, Cousin Elaine and her family.

~

Elaine Hallen,

Minnesota

Elaine Hallen - October 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

“ To my dearest family, some things I'd like to say...but first of all, to let you know, that I arrived okay.I'm writing this from heaven. Here I dwell with God above.Here, there's no more tears of sadness; here is just eternal love. Please do not be unhappy just because I'm out of sight. Remember that I'm with you every morning, noon and night. That day I had to leave you when my life on earth was through, God picked me up and hugged me and He said, ""I welcome you."" It's good to have you back again; you were missed while you were gone.As for your dearest family, they'll be here later on.I need you here badly; you're part of my plan.There's so much that we have to do, to help our mortal man. God gave me a list of things, that he wished for me to do.And foremost on the list, was to watch and care for you.And when you lie in bed at night, the day's chores put to flight.God and I are closest to you....in the middle of the night.When you think of my life on earth, and all those loving yearsbecause you are only human, they are bound to bring you tears.But do not be afraid to cry; it does relieve the pain.Remember there would be no flowers, unless there was some rain.I wish that I could tell you all that God has planned.But if I were to tell you, you wouldn't understand.But one thing is for certain, though my life on earth is o'er.I'm closer to you now, than I ever was before. There are many rocky roads ahead of you and many hills to climb;but together we can do it by taking one day at a time.It was always my philosophy and I'd like it for you too...that as you give unto the world, the world will give to you.If you can help somebody who's in sorrow and pain,then you can say to God at night.....""My day was not in vain.""And now I am contented....that my life has been worthwhile, knowing as I passed along the way, I made somebody smile. So if you meet somebody who is sad and feeling low, just lend a hand to pick him up, as on your way you go. When you're walking down the street, and you've got me on your mind; I'm walking in your footsteps only half a step behind. And when it's time for you to go.... from that body to be free, remember you're not going.....you're coming here to me. Ruth Ann Mahaffey (author)©Copyright 1998-2008<http://www.ruthann1.com>

~

Nancy Iskierka,

Coon Rapids, Minnesota

Nancy Iskierka - October 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BK

“ *Gloria, Suzie, Nancy and Families, I am so sorry to hear about our loss of Don. My prayers and thoughts are with you. May God be with you at this , your time of need. Love, your brother-in-law, Bud King*

~

Bud King,

Appleton, Wisconsin

Bud King - October 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Gloria and Families, I was so sorry to hear of your loss. Don was a great guy and we are all going to miss him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of sorrow. Love, your sister-in-law, Bev Hahn and Family*

~

Bev Hahn,

Abingdon, Illinois

Bev Hahn - October 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PB

“Gloria, Suzie, Nancy and Families, Our hearts are breaking for your loss. Don loved you all so much and was so proud of his family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. I am going to miss my brother so much; his love, smile, laughter, tenderness and understanding. He will forever be in my heart, as will all the memories we shared. Don, until we meet again, know that I love you and you were the greatest. Your sister, Patty Gloria and family, Don will always be with you He will be the warmth on your face from the sun, in the stars that watch over you at night, and the wind beneath your wings. He and the Lord will guide you. He never really left you because he will always be in your hearts and memories. We love you all. Patty & Larry Brinkman and Family

~

Patty Brinkman,

Appleton, Wisconsin

Contact Me

Patty Brinkman - October 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ *Lee and I are so very sorry for your loss. Don was always great to work with and when asked how he was would always say that he never had a bad day :) He will be missed!*

~

Lee and Vicky Stull,

alexandria, Minnesota

Lee and Vicky Stull - October 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LI

“Gloria and family, Our hearts are broken for your loss. We will miss the smile most of all. Don always said that everyday was a great day. And that's how he lived his life--to the fullest. We share in your sadness but will always have so many fond memories. Lori and Denny Iskierka

~

Lori Iskierka,

Maple Grove, Minnesota

Lori Iskierka - October 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM