



Donald E. Tremblay

September 4, 2013

Tremblay, Donald E. was surrounded by his family and close friends when he passed away September 4, 2013 at the age of 65. Don is survived by his much loved family; wife Irene and their two children, Mark 24, and Michelle 22. Don was born in Pittsburgh, PA on January 24, 1948, to Rita and Bernie Tremblay. He moved to Westfield, NJ as a child. He was best known for his outstanding athletic accomplishments in baseball and basketball and his extraordinary team leadership, something he would carry forward into his business career. Don attended Seton Hall University where he received an undergraduate degree in business and an MBA. He held various executive positions at Xerox where he worked for 34 years before joining Loffler Companies in Bloomington where he has been the Vice President and General Manager for the last 10 years. During his time at Xerox, he moved to Minneapolis where he met Irene, the love of his life and wife of 27 years. The two of them settled in Tonka Bay where they raised their family. Mark is a graduate of The Blake School and Bentley University. Michelle also attended Blake and is a joint-degree student at The University of Notre Dame. She was a member of the Division I Lacrosse team, following in her father's athletic footsteps. The final member of the family is the dog, Nelli, who has been Don's constant companion particularly as he battled cancer over the past two years. Don is also survived by three siblings, Gene Tremblay (Susie) of Boston, Janet Tremblay Pozen (Robert Gray) of Boston, and Ron Tremblay (Cameo Jones) of San Francisco. The four siblings remained close throughout

his lifetime. Professionally, he is known for his leadership and mentoring abilities which have earned him the respect and admiration of countless colleagues. He was a gifted speaker and many consider him to be their "best friend" having positively impacted them in both their professional and personal lives. For Don, his family was his heart and soul. His close relationships with his wife and children sustained and nurtured him. Their growth, accomplishments and independence in the world were his greatest source of pride. He was kind and good to the core, always a positive and optimistic force. He touched many lives and will be dearly missed. Visitation Friday (TODAY) 4-7 PM at the Washburn-McReavy Eden Prairie Chapel, 7625 Mitchell Road. Mass of Christian Burial Saturday 2 PM with visitation 1 hour prior at St. Therese Catholic Church, 18323 Minnetonka Blvd, Deephaven. Interment Lakewood Cemetery. Memorials are preferred for Bladder Cancer Research. www.Washburn-McReavy.com Eden Prairie Chapel 952-975-0400

Tribute Wall

PL

“ Irene, Marc and Michelle, and family, I am so sorry to hear of Don's passing. We want to give you our deepest condolences. We send you a big hug from Spain.

Paula Luzzy - November 04, 2015 at 03:14 PM

MJ

“ MA, DA, WC, NE, TF, CK, MM, LP, RP, FR, DS, GS, JS purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Donald E. Tremblay.



MA, DA, WC, NE, TF, CK, MM, LP, RP, FR, DS, GS, JS -
September 06, 2013 at 02:54 PM

DD

“ Irene and Family,

I am very sad to hear about Don's passing. I treasure the time we spent with him last year at lunch and how optimistic and full of energy he still was. I prayed for his recovery almost every day. He was a good friend and a good leader at Xerox and I will retain my fond memories of him forever. I know he loved his family very much and was very proud of all of you. Unfortunately Donna and I are not able to attend the wake and funeral due to an out of town trip that was previously planned. I would love to be there to see you and all of Don's friends from Xerox. You will be in my thoughts and prayers for comfort at this difficult time and in the future.

Doug Daniel

Doug Daniel - September 06, 2013 at 12:56 PM



“ Sunny Memories was purchased for the family of Donald E. Tremblay.



September 06, 2013 at 10:49 AM



“ Jim and Susan Ramsey purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Donald E. Tremblay.



Jim and Susan Ramsey - September 06, 2013 at 10:24 AM



“ Irene and family -- so sorry to hear of Don's passing, thinking of you and sending prayers and positive thoughts your way. I was honored to have worked with Don in "NATOPS" at Xerox and was fortunate to call him a friend and mentor. Jim Ramsey and family

Jim Ramsey - September 06, 2013 at 10:14 AM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Donald E. Tremblay.



September 05, 2013 at 11:47 PM

JG

“ *Jan & Michael Gibson purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Donald E. Tremblay.*



Jan & Michael Gibson - September 05, 2013 at 10:51 PM

JF

“ *Please know that we are praying for peace and comfort during this sorrowful time. All our love ~ LuAnn and family, Robert and family, Ann and family, Merrisue and family, Patricia, and Jill and family*

Jim Walker Family - September 05, 2013 at 08:55 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Donald E. Tremblay.*



September 05, 2013 at 08:25 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Donald E. Tremblay.*



September 05, 2013 at 08:21 PM

JU

“ *Our deepest sympathy goes out to Irene, Michelle and Mark.*

Mary and Jim Walker

Jim Walker, Irene's Uncle - September 05, 2013 at 02:53 PM



“ *Sweet Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Donald E. Tremblay.*



September 05, 2013 at 02:44 PM



“ *Written in the Stars was purchased for the family of Donald E. Tremblay.*



September 05, 2013 at 12:27 PM

SF

“ *Don and I worked for the same company and I am saddened to learn of his passing. Don was a good man and my condolences go out to his family. May his soul rest in the hands of God in heaven.*

Steve Fischer - September 05, 2013 at 11:02 AM