



Donald D. "Don" Crane

June 26, 1929 - April 10, 2020

Donald D. "Don" Crane, 90, of Bloomington, Indiana passed away on Friday, April 10, 2020 at the Meadowood Health Pavilion.

Don was born on June 26, 1929 in Bloomington, Indiana the son of Ray and Vonda D. (Roberts) Crane. He was a 1948 graduate of Oolitic Commissioned High School. Don married Rose Moscato in August of 1968. Don and Rose made Bloomington their home, they spent 50 wonderful years together. Don was a cook in the Army and was proud to be a US Army Veteran. He worked at Sarkes Tarzian in the machine shop, and for ATR Coil Company, and spent 35 years mowing both residential and commercial properties. Don was active in his community and a member of Fairview United Methodist Church, and the Independent Order of Foresters. Don could often be found working outside, mowing and doing yard work. He enjoyed antique cars, riding motorcycles, and playing cards. He loved life and spending time with family and having fun. Don was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, uncle, and friend. Don was fondly known to his many nephews and nieces as uncle Donnie, taking them boating, water skiing, skating and sledding. He will be deeply missed.

Don is survived by his son, Jim Crane (Liz), two daughters Donna Newkirk-Schwartz (Andrew); Lisa Burnham (Dan); four grandchildren, Alexa Freeman – Crane, Daniel Burnham, Corri Newkirk, Holli Schwartz; many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife Rose and five siblings.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. A private graveside service for

the family will be held at the Valhalla Memory Gardens in Bloomington, Indiana.

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory have been entrusted with arrangements.

Online condolences, photos, and memories may be shared with family and friends at www.allencares.com

Cemetery Details

Valhalla Memory Gardens

310 North Johnson Ave.
Bloomington, IN 47401

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall



“ *Summer's Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald D. "Don" Crane.*



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“ *To Donna and Jimmy and their families, you are in our thoughts and prayers. It was a blessing to have known Don and Rosie, they were wonderful neighbors and friends. With much Love and great memories, Walt , Bev. Lisa and Rick (the boy across the street)*



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“ *Don took care of different properties I lived in beginning in college and a couple more over the years. He was always very friendly and loved to chat and tell stories. Don was a kind soul, always saying hi over the years and it was always a pleasure to see him in the community. His positive presence in the community will be missed, and having known such a nice person is a gift.*

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