



## Donald K. "Don" Dewar

August 30, 1934 - November 29, 2017

Donald K. "Don" Dewar, 83, of Nashville passed away Wednesday, November 29, 2017 at the IU Health Hospice House in Bloomington. He was born August 30, 1934 in Brown County, Indiana the son of Elbert and Edna (Kent) Dewar. Donald was a 1953 graduate of Nashville High School and attended Indiana University. He was a US Army veteran and also served in the US Army reserves. Donald married Mary Joan (Thickstun) Dewar on January 16, 1965 in Brown County, Indiana. They were married 52 years. He worked for RCA in Bloomington as a supervisor for over 40 years before retiring in 1995.

Donald was an avid outdoorsman. He enjoyed mushroom hunting, hiking, working outside, gardening, traveling all 50 states, building computers, and reading. He was also an avid bird watcher, often traveling to far places to see rare birds; for many winters after retirement Don and Joan would stay in S. Texas for the climate and the birding. Don was also well known for the rugs he wove on his mother's loom, a craft in which he found immense pleasure. He loved his family, especially his grandchildren; and spending time with family and friends. He will be greatly missed by all who loved and knew him.

Donald is survived by his wife, Mary Joan Dewar of Brown County, IN; his son, Andrew (Andrea Williamson) Dewar of Evansville, WI; his daughter, Aimee (Keith Uridel) Dewar of Belmont, IN; three grandchildren, Iva Ryely, Shiloh Claire, John Callum Uridel; one brother, Kenneth (Beth) Dewar; two sisters, Judy Dewar and Jane (Steve) Ray; and several nieces and nephews.

His parents, one brother Dan Dewar and one sister Phyllis Miller preceded

him in death.

A funeral service will be held at 1:00pm Saturday, December 2, 2017 at the Allen Funeral Home & Crematory 4155 S. Old St Rd 37, Bloomington. With Rev Clark Miller officiating, Visitation will be from 11:00am to service time Saturday, December 2, 2017 at the funeral home.

You are invited to share a memory or leave an online condolence to the family at [www.allencares.com](http://www.allencares.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 2. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory  
4155 S. Old State Road 37  
Bloomington, IN 47401  
(812) 824-5905  
<http://www.allencares.com>

## Service

DEC 2. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Loved to work for Don...he was probably the the smartest man in the plant...he loved to talk about his family and vacation trips...especially the ones out west...by the time he was done talking, we felt like we had been there with all of you...he was a great man !

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**Sandee Kiefner** - July 15, 2018 at 09:50 AM

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“ We extend sympathy to all the family of Don Dewar. We're unable to attend services but you are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Cousin Jim Dewar and wife Mary  
Edinburgh, Indiana

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**Jim Dewar** - December 02, 2017 at 09:39 AM

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“ Worked for Don as trouble shooter and tester very nice guy and easy to work for 1965 to 1970 rest in peace

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**Curtis Owens** - December 01, 2017 at 09:29 PM