



Donald Ray Yoder

May 28, 1948 - December 26, 2020

Donald Ray Yoder, 72, of Bloomington, Indiana passed away Saturday, December 26, 2020 at the IU Health Bloomington Hospital. He was born on May 28, 1948 in Elkhart, Indiana the son of Elmer Jacob and Fern Edith (Weaver) Yoder. He was a 1966 graduate of Wakarusa High School in Wakarusa, Indiana. He also was a 1970 graduate of Manchester College with his bachelor's degree in business. Don married Doris Jean Baker on January 29, 1972 in Arcanum, Ohio. They were happily married for 48 years.

Don worked many jobs over the years before finding employment at the deli department for Kroger in Goshen, Indiana. He enjoyed working there for over 20 years before retiring in 2009.

Don was a member of Baugo Church of the Brethren in Wakarusa, and then the West Goshen Church of the Brethren, and after moving to Bloomington attended Sherwood Oaks Christian Church. He enjoyed country music, westerns, card games and golf. He loved spending time with his family and friends. He will be dearly missed.

Don is survived by his wife, Doris Yoder of Bloomington; his children Denise (Patrick) Tolbert of Cork, Ireland; David Yoder of Bloomington; three grandchildren, Brendan Tolbert, Moya Tolbert, and Corwin Tolbert; his sister, Sally Stutzman of Syracuse; his brother, Terry Yoder Sr. of Lafayette; two brothers-in-law John S. Bowers and Philip Baker; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sister, Peggy Bowers; brothers-in-

law Dennis Baker and Jerry Stutzman.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the charity of your choice in Don's name.

There are no services scheduled at this time. Allen Funeral Home and Crematory have been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences, photos and memories may be shared with family and friends at www.allencare.com

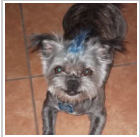
Tribute Wall

SP

“ I remember when I first met Don at Manchester College. He was so much fun. He had a sense of humor. There were times when he would be across the grass mall as I came out of the library with Kerry and I would see Don. He would wave and I would yell, “Hey, Yoder!” It’s been many years since we’ve been at Manchester. Doris was my best friend in High School and my roommate in college. I pray that the Lord gives you strength and peace during this next season of life.

God bless you, with much love & sympathy, Sue Price

Sue Price - May 09, 2021 at 03:17 PM



“ Don had such a great smile and laugh. When we talked at reunions you would always end with a smile and good feelings. Thinking of all of the Yoder family.

Barbara McCune - January 07, 2021 at 06:54 PM



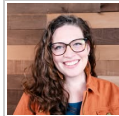
Love you, Barb. I have such fond memories of Dad laughing with the McCune at those family reunions! 💕

Denise Tolbert - January 08, 2021 at 06:24 PM

WC

“ I first met Don at sleep overs with Denise as girls. He had such a great sense of humor and it was at these sleep overs Don introduced us to the comedy of Red Skelton.
I remember Don being an incredibly kind man, a trait he passed on to Denise. I believe kindness to be the most beautiful of legacies to leave behind.
I love you Denise. I'm sending all of the hugs to you and your sweet mom.

Wendy Clark - January 02, 2021 at 08:32 AM



I love you, Wendy!!! Dad got such a kick out of getting to know my friends and thought I had a pretty great group of buddies. 💕

Denise Tolbert - January 08, 2021 at 06:26 PM

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“ Because of my sister, Nancy, we siblings were made aware of Don's passing, last evening. I am so thankful for the plans that the Lord has, to bring his children home!!! I will be remembering you, family, in these days ahead, through the transition of loss here on earth. I also have many fond memories of past days with family from Uncle Theron and Aunt Nina on..... praying for all. ZB
(Linda) Zumbrun

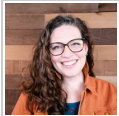
ZB (Linda) Zumbrun - January 01, 2021 at 11:15 AM

DN

“ I remember the first time I met Don was at Spirit 95 radio station in Bloomington, IN. They were in town and Denise brought them in for a tour. Don was beaming when I told them how important Denise was to the team. He was so proud of her! What a sweet, gentle man he was. Continued prayers for peace and strength for the Yoder family. Love to all of you!!

Diana Nuchols

Diana Nuchols - December 31, 2020 at 12:25 PM



Thank you, Diana!!!

Denise Tolbert - December 31, 2020 at 05:05 PM



“ Meeting grandkid #3 for the first time. A loving Grandpa!



Denise Tolbert - December 31, 2020 at 11:15 AM



“ Thankful for Skype over the last 3 years. This is how most of our interactions were, save a just two precious, too-short trips home.



Denise Tolbert - December 31, 2020 at 11:14 AM



“ *Easter 2017*



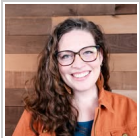
Denise Tolbert - December 31, 2020 at 11:12 AM



“ *Some favorites together* 💕



Denise Tolbert - December 31, 2020 at 11:11 AM



“ *A handsome couple, my mom and dad.*

~ Denise <><



Denise Tolbert - December 31, 2020 at 11:10 AM