



## Donald "Don" Gabrielson

January 1, 1948 - January 24, 2013

Donald "Don" Gabrielson, 64, of Topeka KS passed away Sun., Jan. 20, 2013 at St. Francis Hospital in Topeka KS. Don was born Feb. 8, 1948 in Boone IA to Carl D. Gabrielson and Mary C. (Schaeffner) Gabrielson. Don married Regina Calander on August 22, 1970 at Most Pure Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Topeka KS. They enjoyed 42 years of marriage. He worked as a salesman at K-Mart for 12 years as well as Wolfe's Camera Shop. Don was a field agent for the Knights of Columbus for 10 years. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus council No.534 and the James W. Gibbons Fourth Degree Assembly. Survivors include Don's wife, Regina Gabrielson; her parents, Don and Loretta Calander who were like parents to Don; children, Eric (Theresa) Gabrielson and Leif (Amy) Gabrielson, both of Lawrence KS; four grandchildren; brothers, Richard Gabrielson, Dubuque IA, Daniel Gabrielson, Raymond Gabrielson and Alan Gabrielson all of Rochester MN. He was preceded in death by his parents, sister, Carolina Gabrielson and a son, Luke Gabrielson. A visitation will be held from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Thurs., Jan. 24, 2013 at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd. Topeka KS. A Fourth Degree Chalice Ceremony will be held at 7:30 at the funeral home followed by a rosary lead by the Knights of Columbus. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Fri, Jan. 25, 2013 at Most Pure Heart of Mary Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Mount Calvary Cemetery. In lieu of flowers and memorial contributions Don wishes for everyone to help each other out and give people in need a "leg up," in his memory.



# Tribute Wall



“ Donald "Don" Gabrielson

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ To the family I send my sincere condolences and prayers..May you all find and know peace and do something to keep his memory alive..Have a family reunion in his honor each year or plant a tree in his honor..Cherish the good memories.Remember Don is no longer suffering..He is at peace with his Lord and Savior.Keep your chin up and stay strong..Don will be with you in Spirit everyday.Take care...Mary Kay Nocktonick(Easton)

mary kay nocktonick - January 25, 2013 at 10:53 AM



“ Leif sorry to hear about your loss. Thoughts and prayers to you and your family.  
Bob Kerwin

Bob Kerwin - January 24, 2013 at 07:16 PM



“ Regina and family: We were so sorry to note Don's Obituary in the newspaper...our condolences to your entire family. We did not know Don well, but he was always so friendly and fun to talk to. His personality exceeded his illness in life, may you find peace in knowing others care.  
Sincerely, Rita and Phil

Rita and Phil Wilkins - January 24, 2013 at 01:46 PM

TG

“ *My heartfelt sympathy to you Regina and family at the loss of Don. I worked with him at Wolfe's for several years and we always had a good time. He was a GREAT guy and will be greatly missed.*

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**Tanya Greeve** - January 23, 2013 at 08:55 PM

SR

“ *Gina and Family, So sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to you. With sympathy, Shirley and Dennis*

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**Shirley Raney** - January 23, 2013 at 06:08 PM

TW

“ *I remember well all the good times we had with Don when we were in Boy Scouts, the local camp-out's as well as the trips out of state we made. May he rest in Peace and my sympathy to his widow and family.*

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**Tom Walsh** - January 23, 2013 at 04:02 PM

BH

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. It's always hard to lose someone. Don always smiled and waved whenever he was out.  
Your neighbors, the Hughes*

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**Barbara Peter, Bob and Mary Hughes** - January 23, 2013 at 03:22 PM

DW

“ *Regina and family,  
My thoughts and prayers are with you at this tough and emotional time! You are in my prayers!  
May God's peace find you!*

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**Doug Warrens** - January 23, 2013 at 12:21 PM

SC

“ *Leif and family. My heart goes out to you during your time of loss. I recently laid my mother to rest and I understand the void it creates. We are never ready to lose a loved one. Remember the good times cherish the memories and embrace those who are still with you and don't take for granted a single second you have with them. God Bless you and I will keep you and your family in my prayers.*

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**Steve Cooper** - January 23, 2013 at 08:47 AM