



Donald Hartman

May 22, 1939 - January 6, 2018

Donald Joseph Hartman, 78, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Saturday, January 6, 2018, after a long battle with Parkinson's disease and dementia.

Don was born May 22, 1939, the son of Joseph and Regina Mauer Hartman and was a 1957 graduate of Hayden High School. In 1959, he married his high school sweetheart, Marilyn Starr and they enjoyed 58 years together.

Don served in the Army National Guard and was called to active duty during the Cuban Missile Crisis. He worked as a glazier and commercial glass installer with City Glass until his retirement. Don's passion was helping others. He enjoyed many years as a handyman which developed life-long friendships. He and Marilyn enjoyed traveling. They cruised the Mediterranean, toured Europe and China, where their son and his wife adopted their daughter. Don liked fishing, old Westerns, especially Gunsmoke, and country music, but most of all spending time with his loved ones. Don never missed a chance to give a hug and say, "I love you."

Survivors include his wife, Marilyn; children, Chris Langer, Greg Hartman (Jen), Laurie Hartman (Jeff) and Lisa Wilson (Rob); former daughter-in-law, Sarah Hartman; grandchildren, Justin Langer (Nicole), Sam Hartman, Phoebe Hartman; great-grandchildren, Madalyn and Dylan Langer; sister, Margaret Stattelman (John); and brother, Larry Hartman (Sandy). He was preceded in

death by his brothers, Bob, Jim and Rich Hartman.

Visitation will be Friday from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and a rosary will be prayed at 10:30. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. all at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

Burial will follow at Mount Calvary Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association or to Great Lakes Caring Hospice, sent in care of the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

801 SW Westchester Rd
Topeka, KS 66606

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 12. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
(785) 272-7888
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Rosary

JAN 12. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JAN 12. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Hartman*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *We have so many wonderful memories of Don as my brother-in-law and as the uncle he was to my children. My daughter Suzanne and I visited him on Christmas Eve. He smiled when we talked about his hard working hands and how helpful he always was to us. He will be sadly missed. May God wrap his arms around Don and welcome him home.*

Joann Rossetto - January 11, 2018 at 10:56 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donald Hartman.*



January 10, 2018 at 08:08 PM



“ *Westar Energy East Region Team purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Donald Hartman.*



Westar Energy East Region Team - January 10, 2018 at 03:22 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donald Hartman.*



January 10, 2018 at 02:10 PM



“ *Marilyn: My thoughts are with you and your family in this time of sadness. Please know that I will have good memories of Don; his great sense of humor and he was a really good tradesman!*
Sincerely, Dennis Jones

Dennis Jones - January 09, 2018 at 08:20 PM



“ *Marilyn.....Thoughts and prayers for you and yours!*

Diana Archer - January 07, 2018 at 09:46 PM



“ *Don was a wonderful brother and brother-in-law to me and Larry. We will miss him a lot. He was fun to be around and could get along with anyone so everyone he met loved him as we do. RIP*

Sandy & Larry - January 07, 2018 at 11:19 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy Marilyn and family, Don was such a jokester and always kind and always had a smile on his face. Praying for you all, may God comfort and surround you with His love. Love you Marilyn* ❤️

Alice Rodriguez - January 06, 2018 at 10:53 PM