



## Donald Hoffman

October 17, 1939 - January 6, 2023

Donald D. Hoffman, 83, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Friday, January 6, 2023.

Don was born October 17, 1939, in Topeka, to Raymond and Marguerite Kane Hoffman. He attended Assumption Grade School and was a 1957 graduate of Hayden High School. Don served our country as a corpsman in the US Army. On April 27, 1963, Don and Nancy Jayne Kistler were united in marriage, enjoying more than 59 years together traveling extensively.

Don was employed by Southwestern Bell for 43 years. He served as a lineman, CWA Union president and on the board of the United Way. He was a long-time member of Holy Name Church.

Don was a staunch Democrat actively campaigning for candidates from city council to the President the United States. He was a loyal KC Chiefs and KU fan and season ticket holder, avid race car fan and loved spending time at the cabin. His family was his dearest treasure.

Grateful to have shared his life are his wife, Nancy; son, Adam Hoffman (Wendy); daughter, Brooke Longstaff (Chad); grandchildren, Benjamin, Amanda, Amber, Cole, Morgan, Sheay, Keely, Jakiya and Peyton; great-grandchildren, Reece and Everli; sisters-in-law, Bobbie Hoffman and Georgia

Hoffman; and nieces and nephews.

Don was preceded in death by his brothers, Bill, Dick and Phil Hoffman, and Troy Broxterman, his son by love.

Visitation will be from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, January 11, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. The rosary will be prayed at 5:30 p.m. followed by a Celebration of Don's Life at 6 p.m., all at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions are suggested to Meals on Wheels or Let's Help, sent in care of the funeral home.

Condolences may be sent online to [www.kevinbrennanfamily.com](http://www.kevinbrennanfamily.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 11. 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home  
2801 SW Urish Road  
Topeka, KS 66614  
(785) 272-7888  
info@kevinbrennanfamily.com

## Rosary

JAN 11. 5:30 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home  
2801 SW Urish Road  
Topeka, KS 66614  
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## Celebration of Life

JAN 11. 6:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



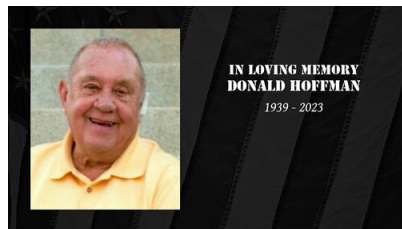
“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Donald Hoffman



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - January 11, 2023 at 05:10 PM



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald Hoffman



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - January 10, 2023 at 05:16 PM

MS

Brooke, Adam and Nancy. I am very sorry to see this. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Always remember that big smile and great laugh

Mike Segerson - January 13, 2023 at 04:31 PM



“ Donald Hoffman

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM

LO

“ Nancy, Brooke and Adam, we're so sorry to learn of Don's passing. Wish we could be there to honor Don. We remember him as a great neighbor always willing to lend a hand or give advice if needed. May all of your sweet memories bring you comfort in the days ahead.  
Mike and Leah Oswald

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**Leah Oswald** - January 10, 2023 at 09:06 PM

TH

“ Nancy, I can't begin to express my thanks and gratitude enough, that Don and yourself have maintained a friendship with my mother. It has meant everything to her, and to me, knowing she was in good hands, during your travels, with Don behind the wheel.

Tracy Hines

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**Tracy Hines** - January 09, 2023 at 09:19 PM

JB

“ Adam, Brooke and the Hoffman family,  
I'm sorry to hear about Don, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

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**Johnny Bell** - January 09, 2023 at 12:21 PM

LK

“ So sorry to learn of Don's passing. After just losing a daughter, I know the hurt you are feeling..Please know that you are loved and that many are thinking of your family.

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**Lois Kelly** - January 08, 2023 at 05:54 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Hoffman.



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January 08, 2023 at 12:07 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Donald Hoffman.*



January 08, 2023 at 10:04 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Hoffman.*



January 07, 2023 at 05:11 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Don's passing. I knew him well at Southwestern Bell, as I served as Labor Relations Manager. Though we were mostly on opposite sides of the table as he performed his duties as the President of the Union Local, he was always extremely pleasant to work with, and he fully demonstrated his deep commitment to serving in a way that more often than not found common ground to make both the Union and the company as strong as possible. May his family be comforted by all of their wonderful memories.*

*Harlan Hobbs  
Tucson, Arizona*

**Harlan Hobbs Jr** - January 07, 2023 at 04:44 PM

DW

“ Adam, Nancy, and Brooke: so sorry to hear about Don. He was such a welcoming presence, and made trips to Buchanan street feel like a second home to everyone in the Hayden Class of 1983. Favorite Don story: sophomore year driving to Adam's house, one of our friends (who shall remain nameless) side swiped a car on 6th street, and the guy (filled with road rage) followed us all the way to the driveway of the Hoffman house. He threatened to beat us all up...until Don came out of the house and told the guy to go to hell! Don took total control and the guy backed down immediately. I've never forgotten that scene. May the warm memories of Don sustain you in this very difficult time...

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**David Welsh** - January 07, 2023 at 04:30 PM