



Donald "Don" Lee Mittlestedt

April 5, 1947 - March 31, 2015

Donald "Don" Lee Mittlestedt, 67 of Bluffton, IN, passed away March 31, 2015 at 5:00AM at Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne, IN. Don was born April 05, 1947 in Bluffton to Alfred and Lila (Green) Mittlestedt. Don attended Bluffton High School. Don married Connie McFarren on May 29, 1964 at the Prairie Methodist Church, Bluffton. Don had worked with his son Matthew trimming trees and had also worked for Rent a Hand General Contractor and the Christianson's Frontier Antique's Shop. Don enjoyed woodworking, hunting and fishing and also enjoyed spending time with his kids and great grandkids. Don is survived by his wife- Connie, Son – Robert, Son – Matthew (Connie), Daughter – Lesia (Richard) Wood, Son – Michael Joe, Daughter Christina Marie Mittlestedt, 8 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren all of Bluffton. Brother- James (Sally) Mittlestedt of Florida and several nieces and nephews. Don was preceded in death by his parents and sister-Evon "Bonnie" Marie Fisher. A visitation will be held on Thursday, April 2, 2015 from 2:00PM to 8:00PM at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home 308 West Washington St. Bluffton. A service to celebrate Don's life will be on Friday, April 3, 2015 at 10:00AM at the Funeral Home. Pastor Douglas McClure will officiate. Memorials may be made to the funeral home to help the family during this difficult time. Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home. Friends may make online condolences at www.thomari ch.com

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 2. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Service

APR 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald "Don" Lee Mittlestedt*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - April 02, 2015 at 01:23 PM



“ *Donald "Don" Lee Mittlestedt*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *John And Bernie Kleinknight lit a candle in memory of Donald "Don" Lee Mittlestedt*



John and Bernie Kleinknight - April 08, 2015 at 12:08 AM



“ *May God Bless you and keep you safely in his hands forever more .*

Jerry Ross - April 04, 2015 at 06:43 PM

JR

“ Jerry Ross lit a candle in memory of Donald
"Don" Lee Mittlestedt



Jerry Ross - April 04, 2015 at 06:41 PM

MM

“ Condolences and prayers for the family. Don and I ran around town
many years ago while growing up in Bluffton.
(Mickey) Mick Musser

Michael Musser - April 02, 2015 at 09:04 PM

TM

“ As a classmate in the class of '65 it is always sad to lose one of us.
I remember walking with Don across the railroad bridge near his
home and spending time along the Wabash. My prayers are with
you, his family and friends, as you celebrate his life. God's blessings
to you.

Ted Mahnensmith

Ted Mahnensmith - April 02, 2015 at 05:15 PM



“ 25 files added to the album Life Tributes



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - April 02, 2015 at 11:35 AM



“ Mike you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Our deepest sympathy ^j^
Curt & Ruth



Ruth Allen - April 02, 2015 at 12:32 AM



“ Connie, Bob, Matt, Lesia, Mike and Chris...Uncle Jim and I are sending our love and do so wish we could be with you right now...Jim just cannot travel at this time...We love each of you and your families...We loved your Dad and know how very much you will miss him as will we...know that we will be with you and thought, spirit and prayers during the difficult hours ahead...

Again, we love you ... Uncle Jim and Aunt Sally Mittlestedt

Jim & Sally Mittlestedt - April 01, 2015 at 09:21 PM



“ so sorry for your loss thought's and prayers go out too your family



Tonya Sills - April 01, 2015 at 06:11 PM



“ My deepest condolences for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time.



Melissa Neu-Bolyn - April 01, 2015 at 08:20 AM



“ Jeannie Flowers lit a candle in memory of Donald "Don" Lee Mittlestedt



Jeannie Flowers - March 31, 2015 at 06:30 PM