



## Donald F. Herman

February 4, 1920 - December 20, 2008

Donald F. Herman, 88, of Keystone, died at 6 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 20, 2008, at Swiss Village Retirement Center. Mr. Herman was born in Adams County on Feb. 4, 1920 to Frank and Jesse (Kave) Herman. He married Lillian Nussbaum in Linn Grove on Jan. 8, 1943; she preceded him in death in 1954. He then married Grace Liechty in Berne on Jan. 28, 1955; she survives. Mr. Herman attended Hartford Township High School and served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He lived in Wells County since 1968, and worked as a self-employed dairy farmer and also at the Home Dairy, Sinclair Service Station and General Electric. He served as a director at Milk Marketing, and attended Petroleum United Methodist Church.

Other surviving relatives include four sons, Ron (Linda), Steve (Viv), Brian and Ed (Cindy) Herman, all of Keystone; three daughters, Shar (Glen) Morgan of Ossian, Arlene Herman of Fort Wayne and Joy (Mike) Mygrant of Bluffton; two brothers, Robert Herman of Geneva and Dan Herman of Linn Grove; two sisters, Ruth Watkins of Pleasant Mills and Velma Wable of Monroe; 10 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. Mr. Herman was also preceded in death by a son, Jay Herman, one infant son, Duane Herman; two brothers, Alvin and Dale Herman; two sisters, Garnet Bixler and Dorothy Herman; and one great-grandson, Peyton Privett.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, at the Thoma/Rich, Chaney and Lemler Funeral Home with Pastor Greg Andrews officiating. Calling hours will be from 12 to 8 p.m. Friday and from one hour prior to the service at the

funeral home. Burial is at Alberson Cemetery with military graveside rites by American Legion Post #111 and the U.S. Army Honor Guard. Preferred memorials are to the church or to Swiss Village Retirement Center.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **26**. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich,Lemler Funeral Home  
308 West Washington Street  
Bluffton, IN 46714  
(260) 824-3850  
[info@thomarich.com](mailto:info@thomarich.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Donald F. Herman*

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September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Dear Grace: We are unable to make it over to the Funeral Home today. I use to see Don at the Feed Mill. It's never easy to lose a family member and when it's at Christmas it's a little harder as I lost my mom after Christmas. Your entire family has our sympathy and prayers. I'm Leonard and Rita Herman's daughter.##imported-begin##Doug and Teresa Heckler Family##imported-end##*

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December 26, 2008 at 06:35 PM



“ Grace and All the Family,

*I was saddened to read of Don's death and had planned on coming up today (Friday) to pay my respects. The weather has put a stop to that, so let me just recall a memory I have of Don.*

*It was the time I was wanting to get rid of some old buildings so I set one on fire. Don came rushing up the driveway immediately, thinking something important was on fire! He was like that--just a great neighbor.*

*And, of course, who can ever forget that fall season of 1972, when it rained and rained and never froze the ground until February? Don filled our silo, and we helped--by hooking onto his tractor, chopper, and wagon with ours to get through the mud. Even then, we had to unload the wagon when it was about half full. What a year to start farming!*

*Yes, I have many wonderful memories of Don and you, and my thoughts and condolences are with you now.*

*Sincerely, Steve Smith##imported-begin##Steve Smith##imported-end##*

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December 26, 2008 at 03:38 PM



“ To each of the family members you have our deepest sympathy. We

*are going to be out of town and unable to attend ceremonies for Don but all are and will continue to be in our prayers. Chris, Missy, Austin & Karissa Smith##imported-begin##Chris Smith##imported-end##*

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December 24, 2008 at 09:24 AM



“ Joy & family and Arlene,

*Please accept our deepest sympathy. It always hurts to lose a father, especially at this time of the year. Please know that you are in our hearts and prayers.##imported-begin##Jerry & Carolyn Hunnicutt##imported-end##*

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December 23, 2008 at 10:13 AM



“ Dear Ron, Linda, and family,

*We were sorry to learn of your Dad's passing. Our sympathy is extended to your entire family and you will remain in our prayers.##imported-begin##Rudy and Kathy Bauman##imported-end##*

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December 22, 2008 at 01:22 PM



“ Dear Joy(& family),

*So sorry to hear about your father's passing, it's never easy to let go of a parent, let alone at Christmas time. My Dad has been gone ten years today, You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Take Care!  
Curt, Lori, Keith and Kyle Sprunger##imported-begin##Curt & Lori Sprunger##imported-end##*

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December 22, 2008 at 11:45 AM