



Don Swanson

October 10, 1938 - March 9, 2016

Don Swanson, age 77, of Storm Lake, Iowa died Wednesday, March 9, 2016 at North Lake Manor in Storm Lake.

Funeral services will be held Monday, March 14, 2016 at 10:30 a.m. at the United Methodist Church in Storm Lake. Burial will follow in the Buena Vista Memorial Park Cemetery in Storm Lake. Visitation will take place Sunday, March 13, 2016 from 3-5:00 p.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake. In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund has been established. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

Donnie K Swanson was born October 10, 1938 in Red Oak, Iowa the son of John and Victoria (England) Swanson.

Growing up, he attended school in Alta where he graduated with the class of 1956. Following high school graduation, Don attended the University of Iowa where he graduated with a Bachelor of Business Administration Degree in 1960.

Don was united in marriage to Sandra Warne in Sioux Rapids, Iowa. Together, they were blessed with three children: Angela, Steven and Tracy.

Don was a charter member of Delta Upsilon and the National I-Club. He was a lifelong Iowa Hawkeye Fan. Don loved talking and meeting new people. He was a craftsman as well. Family was a very important part of Don's life and he will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Those left to cherish his memory include his children: Angela (Chris) Archacki of Seven Hills, Ohio and Steve Swanson (Tami Weber) of Storm Lake, Iowa; son-in-law, Tom Mork of Storm Lake, Iowa; grandchildren: Casey, Sean, Adam, and Bailey Archacki; Bryce Husske; Ali Swanson; Camryn and Keaton Mork; extended family and many friends.

Don was preceded in death by his parents, John and Victoria Swanson; wife, Sandie Swanson; daughter, Tracy Mork; and brothers: John (Dar) Swanson; Robert Swanson; and James Swanson.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **13**. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - Storm Lake

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Service

MAR **14**. 10:30 AM (CT)

United Methodist Church -- Storm Lake

211 East 3rd Street

Storm Lake, IA 50588

Tribute Wall



“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Don Swanson*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - March 11, 2016 at 06:18 PM



“ *Lynn Snyder lit a candle in memory of Don Swanson*



Lynn Snyder - March 16, 2016 at 04:12 PM



“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - March 13, 2016 at 02:19 PM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Don Swanson.*



March 12, 2016 at 07:51 PM



“ *Paul Kelly lit a candle in memory of Don Swanson*



Paul Kelly - March 11, 2016 at 06:12 PM



“ *Jon, Ginger & Kylie Swanson purchased the Springtime Wishes for the family of Don Swanson.*



Jon, Ginger & Kylie Swanson - March 11, 2016 at 09:23 AM



“ *I have nothing but fond memories of times spent with uncle Donnie, aunt Sandie, Angie, Steve and Tracy. I am saddened for the family's loss but rejoicing in the fact that he can be free and is reunited with his dear wife, daughter, family, friends and our Lord. Love ya Uncle Donnie!*

Jon Swanson - March 11, 2016 at 08:53 AM

PG

“ *Our sympathy to the Swanson Family. and to Tom & kids. Don is now at peace. Our prayers are with all of you. Lary & Patty Gunville*



PATRICIA (PATTY) GUNVILLE - March 10, 2016 at 06:15 PM



“ *Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Don Swanson.*



March 10, 2016 at 04:02 PM

AO

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Swanson family. Bernie & Ann Onnen*



Ann Onnen - March 10, 2016 at 07:10 AM

SR

“ *Scott Randall lit a candle in memory of Don Swanson*



Scott Randall - March 09, 2016 at 04:08 PM

TC

“ *Tim/Pegi Cavanaugh lit a candle in memory of Don Swanson* ”



Tim/Pegi Cavanaugh - March 09, 2016 at 04:08 PM