



Donald Mason

June 7, 1935 - February 7, 2007

Donald Mason -- Kankakee Visitation for Donald T. Mason, 71, of Kankakee, will be from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee. A 10 a.m. funeral Mass will be celebrated Monday at St. Martin of Tours Catholic Church in Kankakee. Rev. Dennis Settles will officiate. Burial will be in St. Peter's Cemetery in Clifton. Memorials may be made to Northwestern University Prosthetic and Orthotic Center or Hospice of Kankakee Valley. He died Wednesday (Feb. 7, 2007), at his home, following a sudden illness. Mr. Mason was a retired sales manager from Sears. He was born June 7, 1935, in Chicago, the son of Joshua T. and Estelle Czyz Mason. He served in the Army Reserves. He was a volunteer-practice patient at the Rehabilitation Institute in Chicago. He attended services at St. Martin of Tours Catholic Church in Kankakee and St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley, where he was also a member of the Holy Name Society. He enjoyed golf, fishing and cooking for family and friends. Surviving are his wife, the former Sharon Y. Yonke, whom he married Sept. 10, 1960, at St. Martin of Tours Catholic Church; one son, Scott Mason of Bradley; one daughter, Michele Stochl of Matteson; three grandchildren, Joshua, Caleb and Katelyn Mason; three brothers and two sisters-in-law, Robert and Linda Mason of St. Charles, Tom Mason of Griffith, Ind., David and Carolyn Mason of Elmhurst; and several nieces and nephews. His parents are deceased.

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“ I am so sorry for your loss, my prayers are with you and your family. I'm sorry I could not attend Mr. Mason's services.##imported-begin##Michelle Bagby##imported-end##

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“ My prayers and sympathy to all family members. He was a great Grandpa for Katelyn. DeAnn Pomelow##imported-begin##DeAnn Pomelow##imported-end##

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“ My condolences and prayers to you Michele and your family. May God keep his comforting arms around you during your time of sorrow.-----Regina##imported-begin##Regina Dase Martin##imported-end##

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“ Our prayers and deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##CAROL LETRICH##imported-end##

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“ May the dear lord bless you all in your hour of need. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Rose Bruno##imported-end##

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“ Sharon, I was so saddened to hear of Don's death. You both have been through so much and have been so brave - an example of courage.##imported-begin##Rita Foltz##imported-end##

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“ God Bless you Sharon I You are in my thoughts and prayers. I Irene##imported-begin##Irene Bray (Briarwood)##imported-end##

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“ Sharon and family:

We were very sorry to hear about Don. I Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.

We wish we could express our sympathy in person.

Bless you.##imported-begin##Ralph & Natalene Ferrari##imported-end##

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“ Just to let you know how sorry I am for your loss. Please pass on to Scott and Michelle also. I Will write later. I Love and thinking of you these days. I ANNE##imported-begin##AnneHesson##imported-end##

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“ Through Michele I have had the opportunity to hear so many wonderful stories about her Dad. Through her I know he was a very loving and caring individual, never too busy to help out his family. My love and prayers are with you. May you feel the strength of our Lord's arms wrapped around each of you as you face the days ahead.##imported-begin##Donelle Luhman##imported-end##

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