



Donald "Donnie" Linz

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Mass of Christian Burial will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday May 4, 2019 at Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Richmond, MN for Donald O. Linz, age 69, who died peacefully Saturday at the St. Cloud Hospital surrounded by his loving family. Burial will be in the parish cemetery.

Relatives and friends may call from 4:00 – 8:00 p.m. Friday evening at the Wenner Funeral Home, Richmond, MN. Visitation will continue 9:00 – 10:30 a.m. Saturday morning at the funeral home.

Donnie was born on June 30, 1949 in Richmond, MN to Raymond and Catherine (Rausch) Linz. He graduated from Albany High School and later served in the Army Reserve from 1967-1973. He started his career in construction, owning his own company. In the mid 70's he partnered with his father to purchase the family farm. Donnie married Patricia Young on May 31, 1971. They met at the Kimball Ballroom and spent many of their happiest times together polka and square dancing. Donnie was a very hard worker,

always willing to help his neighbors. His laugh was infectious, he was always smiling and never complained. He enjoyed hunting, hosting deer camp, fishing, playing cards, and playing softball on the over 35 league in Farming. Donnie most enjoyed spending time with family and friends, especially his grandchildren. He was a member of Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, Avon Legion, Farming Sportsman Club, Farming township board and Knights of Columbus.

Survivors include his wife, Patricia; children, Derrick (Lisa) and their children Allison, Rachel and Nathan, Craig (Stacy) and their children Averil and Conor, Paul (Kara) and their children Maggie and Chloee, Tresa (Troy) and their children Trent and Tadan Ringwelski, and Brandon; siblings, Harry (Yvonne), Caroline, Roger (Sue), Renee (Arnie) Dingmann, Cheryl (Chuck) Schaefer and Daryl (Elaine); and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, infant brother, and great-nephew Zachary Buckentine.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 3. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Wenner Funeral Home - Richmond
151 Oakwood Ave. SE
Richmond, MN 56368

Visitation

MAY 4. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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Funeral Services

MAY 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church
56 1st St. NE
Richmond, MN 56368

Tribute Wall



“ Donald "Donnie" Linz

January 29, 2023 at 09:26 AM



“ With Love from Pat & Leo's children and their families. purchased the Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers for the family of Donald "Donnie" Linz.



With Love from Pat & Leo's children and their families. - May 03, 2019 at 01:53 PM



“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Donald "Donnie" Linz.



May 03, 2019 at 01:39 PM



“ Love's Embrace Roses – Red was purchased for the family of Donald "Donnie" Linz.



May 02, 2019 at 04:22 PM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Donald "Donnie" Linz.*



May 02, 2019 at 08:10 AM



“ *Sincerest Sorrow - Peach, Orange and White was purchased for the family of Donald "Donnie" Linz.*



May 01, 2019 at 11:53 AM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Donald "Donnie" Linz.*



May 01, 2019 at 11:36 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Donald "Donnie" Linz.*



May 01, 2019 at 09:00 AM

XA

“ xoxo with hugs, Carolyn Atkinson purchased the Wildflower Seeds - Build A Memory Garden for the family of Donald "Donnie" Linz.



xoxo with hugs, Carolyn Atkinson - April 30, 2019 at 01:11 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Donald "Donnie" Linz.



April 30, 2019 at 11:59 AM

JA

“ So sorry for your loss,,,He was a GREAT MAN !!! sending hugs and prayers to you all ! love you guys !



jeanene,Mae, AI - April 30, 2019 at 09:00 AM

JA

“ So sorry for your loss! I loved hearing the stories Tresa would share at work about him and the family. - Jaci Olson

Jaci - April 30, 2019 at 08:55 AM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Donald "Donnie" Linz.*



April 29, 2019 at 11:02 PM