



Donald K. Shaw

April 21, 1945 - August 28, 2021

Donald Kirkwood Shaw passed Saturday morning, August 28, 2021 at age 76. Don grew up in Carneys Point, attended Penns Grove Regional High School and took college courses at Rutgers, Camden. He worked for many years in the Freon lab of DuPont Chambers Works as well as National Refrigerants. Donald served in the Army Military Police unit overseas in Korea 1965-1967, honorably discharged in 1971. Dedicated to serving others, Don had been South Jersey District Commissioner of the Boy Scouts of America, President of the Pennsville School Board, volunteered as a Pennsville Little League umpire, organized for the LPGA and Sons of Italy, and helped friends and family at every opportunity. A lover of sports, Don played softball, golf, and horseshoes. Predeceased by his wife of 45 years, Nancy DeFrank Shaw, parents Donald and Mildred, and brothers Kenneth and Robert. He is survived by his sister Meredith Ball, children Stephanie, Rebecca, and Joseph, grandchildren Emmett and Nicolai, as well as numerous extended family and friends. Service will be held at Ashcraft Funeral Home in Pennsville, NJ on Sunday, September 5, 2021 at 2pm with a viewing from 1pm till 2pm with burial to follow at Salem County Veterans Cemetery and a luncheon to afterwards at DiPaolo's in Penns Grove.

Cemetery Details

Salem County Veterans Cemetery

719 NJ-45
Pilesgrove, NJ 08069

Previous Events

Viewing

SEP 5. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Ashcraft Funeral Home (PV)
740 S. Broadway
Pennsville, NJ 08070
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Funeral Service

SEP 5. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DT

“ I remember meeting Donald in Japan. I was going back to Hawaii and he was returning to Korea
We both travel during the Christmas period. I reembered him because of his red hair. We both served in the US Army, we are members of the Class of 1963 ReHi. I often think about our meeting that day! We were classmates, friends and fellow soldiers. I feel your pain and sorrow, my heart is crying with his family. Old soldiers just fade away. Donald I will see you on the other side. ARMY STRONG!

Danny (Daniel) Thomas - August 31, 2021 at 04:10 PM



Very nice memory Danny Thomas . Donald was a great guy and classmate.

Kathleen Ingram - September 07, 2021 at 07:11 AM

WL

I remember Don from ReHi 1963 . So sorry to hear of his passing . My condolences to family and friends . God bless

william lugar - September 07, 2021 at 09:39 AM

BM

Sorry to hear of his death. He was a classmate at Re-Hi and a wonderful guy. Sending condolences to his family! Rest in Peace, Don!

Betsy Margerum Meyer - September 08, 2021 at 07:20 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald K. Shaw.*



August 30, 2021 at 07:07 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss.. he was a great guy..we would always see him walk or riding his bike past our house and would always stop to chat.. a very nice man who will surely be missed by many. 🙏*

dede and joey mccaferry - August 30, 2021 at 06:21 PM