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Mary Stopher lit a candle in honor of Donald.

To Don's family; I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I will miss Don and his sense of humor. I will especially miss our little jokes about hump day on Wednesdays when he would wear his hump day camel shirt. To Don's daughters, grandson, & sister; He always spoke of was how very proud he was of all of you and how good you were to him. How fitting that Don passed on a "hump day". I can hear him laugh and see him smiling! May peace and comfort cover you with the happy memories you all must share. Sincerely, Mary



November 18 at 6:44 AM

DS

Dennis & Linda Schoening November 19 at 3:33 AM

We are so sorry for your loss Deb, James & family. Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you.

JS

James Smith November 19 at 12:15 AM

Thank you for sharing that Mary, I can see him wearing that shirt now. James Smith



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Donald by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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