



Don Davis

November 27, 1942 - January 17, 2019

Don Davis, age 76 of Murphysboro, passed away Thursday, January 17, 2019 in Memorial Hospital of Carbondale.

He was born November 27, 1942 to Carl and Pauline (Maze) Davis in Pomona.

Don married Brenda Johnson on December 24, 1963. They shared 55 years of marriage.

He retired from the Carbondale High School as a custodian. He loved raising cattle and baling hay, but his greatest joy was working on tractors with his son. He also loved hunting deer and rabbits. He enjoyed watching his grandson, Brayden's garden grow and would often check on the garden's progress. He loved his dog, Precious and will be deeply missed by her.

He never met a stranger and was loved by all family and friends.

Don is survived by his wife, Brenda Davis of Murphysboro; a son, Shawn (Cheryl) Davis of Murphysboro; grandchildren, Heather (Allecia) Davis-Cross of Ava; Ashley Davis (Aaron Peterson) of Marion; Justin Davis of New Jersey and Brayden Davis of Murphysboro; a sister, Theresa Davis of Carbondale; soon to be a great-grandpa to Bentley; other relatives and a host of friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a nephew, Josh Kelley.

Funeral Services for Don Davis will be Tuesday, January 22, 2019 at 11:00 am in Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home with Rev. David Miller officiating. Interment will follow at Dutch Ridge Cemetery.

Visitation will be from Monday, January 21, 2019 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm in Crain Pleasant Grove Murdale-Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Dutch Ridge Cemetery

Pomona, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 21. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home - Old 13
31 Memorial Dr.
Murphysboro, IL 62966
(618) 687-2500
crain@crainsonline.com

Service

JAN 22. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Don Davis*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *I hit him on the arm i think because he had been teasing me. Our mom got irritated with me. My brother defended me & said mom it was my fault.*

Theresa Davis - January 20, 2019 at 08:45 PM



“ *John and Marla Owens purchased the Simply Happy Kalanchoe Plant for the family of Don Davis.*



John and Marla Owens - January 18, 2019 at 10:41 PM



“ *Charley & Oueida Mills and Mercedes Kelley purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Don Davis.*



Charley & Oueida Mills and Mercedes Kelley - January 18, 2019 at 08:54 PM