



Donald E. Goad

August 23, 1943 - February 7, 2021

Donald E. Goad, 77, of Bloomfield passed away Sunday February 7, 2021 at his residence surrounded by his family.

Born August 23, 1943 in Linton, Indiana the son of James Cleatus and Alta Ruth (Killian) Goad.

Don was a self-employed mechanic, running Don's Garage and drove a school bus for Bloomfield School for over 50 years.

Surviving relatives include his wife Helen (Harper) Goad, his two children, Jeff (Beth) Goad, Cindy (Scott) Swaby, five grandchildren, Devan (Kensey) Goad, Ben Swaby, Jessica (Matt) Lengacher, Zach (Carrie) Goad, Wyatt Swaby, his great-grandchildren, Jaxon Doane, Paislee Doane, Leena Lengacher, Kentan Goad, Kolby Goad, Mara Goodwin and several nieces and nephews.

Don was preceded in death by a brother James E. "Jim" Goad, one sister, Lois Toler and his parents.

Friends may call from 4 to 8 P.M. on Saturday at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield and noon Sunday until the hour of service at the Funeral Home.

Services will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Sunday at Jenkins Funeral Home in

Bloomfield with Rev. Jim Roach and Rev. Steve Eads officiating. Burial will follow at Prairie Chapel Cemetery.

Masks are required and only 50 people are allowed at a time in the Funeral Home.

The family wishes any memorial donations be made to the Parkinson Foundation in Don's name.

Online condolences and memories can be shared at www.jenkinsfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Prairie Chapel Cemetery

Lyons, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 13. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

KK

“ *A true Gentleman in every sense of the word. I will miss our conversations, I learned a lot from talking to Don. My best to Helen and the family.*

Kevin Kramer - February 17, 2021 at 05:21 PM

RB

“ *Helen,
Janice and I were so sorry to hear about Don's passing. You are in our prayers as you go through the hard days and weeks ahead.
Blessings on you and your family.
Love,
Reba*

Reba Butler - February 12, 2021 at 07:26 PM

BP

“ *Bill Kristy Patton lit a candle in memory of Donald E. Goad*



Bill Kristy Patton - February 12, 2021 at 03:11 PM

BP

“ *Sending our deepest condolences to you Helen and Cindy & Jeff and all the family we were saddened to hear of Donnie's passing !!
He was good people.*



Bill & Kristy Patton - February 12, 2021 at 03:10 PM

JS

“ Love and prayers from Janice, Matthew, and Megan Stalcup and Sarah and Andy Walters. We have known the family for so many years and are truly saddened by Don's passing.



Janice Stalcup - February 11, 2021 at 02:07 PM

JD

“ Jane Duzan lit a candle in memory of Donald E. Goad



Jane Duzan - February 11, 2021 at 08:27 AM

DK

“ Helen and family,
So sorry for your loss. Donnie was a great man. He helped us out a lot while living in Bloomfield. Sending prayers for comfort and peace. Diana, Jimmy and Garrett Kindred

Diana Kindred - February 10, 2021 at 12:25 PM

JD

“ Jim And Linda Davis lit a candle in memory of Donald E. Goad



Jim and Linda Davis - February 10, 2021 at 08:24 AM

RW

“ *Dear Helen and Family,
I was sad to hear about Don's passing. Praying you experience
God's Peace, Comfort and Strength in the difficult days ahead!
Thinking of You! Rosie*

Rosalie White - February 09, 2021 at 09:12 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for
the family of Donald E. Goad.*



February 09, 2021 at 09:09 PM

MB

“ *Martha Bowers lit a candle in memory of
Donald E. Goad*



Martha Bowers - February 09, 2021 at 01:25 PM

VD

“ Dear Helen and Family,

On behalf of my sister Opal and Ronnie Hamlin and brother Larry and Mary Dobson, we send our condolences. Donnie and Lois and Jimmie were such good friends when we all attended the Southside Wesleyan Methodist Church there in Bloomfield over 60 years ago. Our older sister Judy passed back in 2009. We all reminisced this morning over the phone after we got the news. We are sorry for your loss. We wish we could be there.

Leonard and Kathryn Dobson

Vernon Dobson - February 09, 2021 at 12:26 PM

ME

“ Here's an example of the kind man Donnie was! I was living across from Donnie and Helen, when my daughter Betty locked us out of the house. We took off walking and Donnie yelled and ask if we needed help. I told him we needed to go to town to get another key. He said here is my truck, we have to go some where, so just park it in the drive and put the keys under the mat when you're done. What a great guy! Prayers and hugs for all his family!



Marla Eschbacher - February 09, 2021 at 11:49 AM

RP

“ I can remember him picking me up on the bus and him giving us chocolate covered cherries for Christmas. A fair, honest, hard working man, who supported his family and community. May peace be with your family during this time.

Rex Padgett - February 09, 2021 at 08:06 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Donald E. Goad.*



February 08, 2021 at 05:02 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss Helen! Donnie was my favorite bus driver. He will be greatly missed!*

Jacinda Gordon - February 08, 2021 at 04:52 PM