



## Donald R. Michael

September 7, 1932 - March 23, 2010

Donald (Don) Michael, 77, of Solsberry died on Tuesday March 23, 2010 at his residence.

Born September 7, 1932 in Solsberry he was the son of Troy M. and Ella (Watkins) Michael.

Don was retired in 1994 from RCA in Bloomington, he attended the Newark Pentecostal Church.

Surviving relatives include his spouse Thelma (May) Michael whom he married March 22, 1952; two daughters, Shirley Corbin (Lane) of Solsberry and Karen Combs (Terry) of Stanford. Six grandchildren, Shane Corbin, Melissa Talley, Molly Burcham, Melinda Herald, Brandon Combs and Ryan Combs. Ten great grandchildren, J.R. Banks, Nicholas & Parker Herald, Sean Talley, Dustin Combs, Breanna & Cierra Corbin, Brooklyn & Boston Woodard and Mason Combs. Four brothers, Wayne Michael, Marvin Michael, Kenneth Michael and Danny Michael. Two sisters Betty Anderson and Gladys Edwards.

Don was preceded in death by his parents and one grandchild Delbert Groomer II.

Friends may call from 4 to 8 P.M. on Friday March 26, 2010 at Jenkins & Sons Funeral Home in Bloomfield and 1 hour prior to services Saturday at the Church.

Services will be at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday March 27, 2010 at the Newark Pentecostal Church with Rev. Raymond New officiating. Interment will follow

at Newark Cemetery in Solsberry.

Online condolences to the family are available at [www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com).

# Tribute Wall

ME

“ Paw paw its Melinda. I'm missing you so much today, March is always such a hard month for me. I dont think I'll ever get over loosing you.. I hope you are happy and comfortable with the sun shining upon your face every morning. I miss you. Love, Melinda Ann ?

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**melinda** - March 08, 2014 at 05:16 PM

SG

“ My condolences to the Michael family. A wonderful person to work with during our RCA Years,

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**Stan Griffith** - March 31, 2010 at 09:52 PM

MW

“ I am sorry for your loss. I did not know Don, although I know his brothers and his sister Gladys. Gladys was my grandmas neighbor for years. Don comes from a caring and giving family and I am sure he will be sadly missed. Thinking of you during this difficult time.

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**Marcia (Ranard) Waldrip** - March 27, 2010 at 08:09 AM

KA

“ Shirley and Family,  
I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of your Father and loved one. I know how hard this must be for you. You will always have your happy memories with you to remember him by. As time passes, your pain will eventually lessen. Although not here physically, your Dad will always be with you in your heart and memories.  
Your friend, Kelly Anderson

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**Kelly Anderson** - March 26, 2010 at 09:43 AM

ME

“ *May God help you in this great loss. He was a wonderful man and I enjoyed working with him at RCA. God Bless each of you*

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**mary ellen** - March 25, 2010 at 08:57 PM

EC

“ *Hello Thelma, Shirley & family, and Karen & family, My thoughts and prayers are with you. Love to all! Edrie*

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**Edrie Corbin** - March 25, 2010 at 12:45 PM

PD

“ *Donald R. Michael*

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**Pastor Bill & Phyllis Doane** - March 25, 2010 at 11:23 AM

DV

“ *To the Michael family,so so sorry to hear about Donnie,he was very well liked. I hope Thelma is doing ok..((HUGS)) to all .Prayers and Blessings. Love the Vest family*

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**Dave & Donna Vest** - March 24, 2010 at 11:22 PM

TF

“ *Thelma and family. We were so sorry to hear of Don's passing. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Your family was always good neighbors and great friends to so many of us. May Gods love give you comfort in your time of sorrow.*

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**The Porter Family** - March 24, 2010 at 09:17 PM