

Donald R. Purdy



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Born: 15 September 1945 *in* Port Huron, MI
Married: 28 February 1970 *in* Port Huron, MI
Died: 17 July 2014 *in* Clyde Township, MI

Donald R. Purdy Sr., 68, of Clyde Twp., passed away on July 17, 2014 in his home with his family by his side.

He was born on September 15, 1945 in Port Huron, son of the late Paul and Evelyn Purdy.

Donald married Linda L. Hastings on February 28, 1970 in Port Huron.

Don was the type of man to make a friend anywhere he went. Everyone called him “Uncle Don” or “Purd”, he was a man with a warm personality and infectious smile. Everyone that knew him loved him. Don loved to sing, was an avid Detroit Tigers fan, classic car enthusiast and enjoyed having breakfast with his buddies. He was the Past President of the Fort Gratiot Lions Club, chairman of his Union and worked for many years for the Times Herald before going to the Detroit Newspapers for 25 years. But most of all Don loved his grandchildren.

Donald is survived by his wife, Linda Purdy; daughter and son-in-law, Debbie (Dave) Stover; son and daughter-in-law, Donald Jr. (Diana) Purdy; four grandchildren: Emma, Abbey, Elliot and Cole; one sister and a sister-in-law, Judi Purdy; many nieces and nephews and his Brothers of The Detroit Newspaper Pressman’s Union Local 13. He was preceded in death by a brother, Paul Purdy Jr.

Memorial services will be held 11:00 a.m. Saturday, July 26, 2014 in Faith Lutheran Church, 3455 Stone St., Port Huron. The Rev. Timothy Eichberger will officiate.

Visiting hours will be held Friday, July 25, 2014 at 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the Jowett Funeral Home, 1634 Lapeer Ave. at 17th Street, Port Huron and Saturday, July 26, 2014 10:00 a.m. until the time of services at 11:00 a.m. in the church. Memorial tributes may be made to the HHT Foundation.

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Donald R. Purdy Sr., 68 CLYDE TWP. Donald R. Purdy Sr., 68, of Clyde Township, died Thursday, July 17, 2014. Survived by his wife, Linda. Visitation 3-8 p.m. Friday, July 25, at Jowett Funeral Home. Memorial service 11 a.m. Saturday, July 26 at Faith Lutheran Church, Port Huron, with visitation one hour prior to service.

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