



Donald L. McElroy Sr.

January 28, 1939 - October 4, 2015

Dateline: Alton

Donald Lee McElroy Sr., 77, died Sunday, October 4, 2015 at St. Lucie Medical Center in Port St. Lucie, FL. Born January 28, 1938 in Alton, he was the son of J.V. and Cornelia (Coates) McElroy. He retired as a Master Mechanic from Bridgestone/Firestone after almost 35 years of service. On November 29, 1991 he married the former Anna Belle Todd. She survives. Also surviving is a daughter, Diana Dawn Barks (John) of Brighton, one son, Donald L. McElroy Jr. (Lynn) of Brighton, a step-daughter, Tina Kee-Lillis (Vince Lillis) of Tampa, FL, and a step-son, Conrad S. Kee II of Salt Lake City, Utah, two grandsons, Cody Lee and Jakob McElroy, two step-grandson, Adam and Ethan Kee, one step-granddaughter, Ashley Stoeckel, one step-great granddaughter, Kendra Nicole Stoeckel, and his former wife Judy McElroy of Brighton. Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by a step-son, Leland H. Kee, four brothers, Glenn, John, Charles and Gene McElroy, and three sisters, Lucille Slanker, Edith Beets, and Adalia McElroy. He will be sadly missed by family, nieces, nephews and friends. Visitation will be from 2:00-6:00 p.m. Sunday, October 11, 2015 at Gent Funeral Home and continue from 10:00 a.m. until time of funeral service at 11:00 a.m. Monday, October 12, 2015 also at Gent Funeral Home. Pastor Gary Coates will officiate. Burial will be at Upper Alton Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to a charity of choice. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

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“ Donald L. McElroy Sr.

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



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“ Im sorry for your loss. He seemed like such wonderful person. Just wanted to leave some words of hope and comfort. In the Bible in the book John 5:28, 29 God is letting us know that he will not forget those we have lost. I hope you find the comfort you nwed to get by.

Raquel O. - October 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers during this most sorrowful time.

Bill & Dorothy Turney - October 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Ann so sorry to hear about Don my prayers are with you and the family

Susie Anderson - October 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Hi, Im sending love and condolences from our family to yours. Im a cousin. Alma Roadys granddaughter. Rose and Doug also send their love. I remember spending many Christmass with Don and family at Aunt Neils house while I was growing up. Sad we have lost touch through the years.

Sabrina Aughenbaugh - October 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM