



Donald Allan Karbowski

October 5, 1964 - September 14, 2023

Donald Allan Karbowski, "Karbo" & "Donnie," 58 years of age, resident of Mooresville, NC, passed away peacefully on Thursday, September 14, 2023, after a long, credulous battle with Covid-19 and the medical complications it had on his body. His bravery, and resilience, along with the love and support from his family and friends, gave Don the strength to endure his fight for nearly three years.

Don's energy and tenacity for life was contagious. His ambition and drive for success was fueled by helping others reach their full potential. During his lifetime he touched numerous people; friends, family members, co-workers, mentors, mentees, hospital & healthcare staff, and more. Don will be greatly missed by all he has touched in his lifetime.

Born in Omaha, Nebraska, and raised in Bena/Cass Lake, Minnesota, Don's love for the outdoors-lake life, hunting and fishing was born. He became an accomplished athlete, lettering in track, football, baseball, wrestling and was dedicated to maintaining a healthy lifestyle for life. As a decorated Veteran of the United States Air Force, he landed into a career with Delta Airlines which relocated him to the Southeast Region where the majority of his career was spent in Atlanta, Georgia, with exception of his time assigned to New Orleans, Charleston, and Charlotte, as a Lead Aircraft Technician.

Survived by his parents, Robert and Patricia Karbowski; wife, Fiona Karbowski; daughter, Ashley Glenn (Cody Glenn, husband); step daughter, Sierra Key; step son, Tucker Key; brothers, Robert "Bob" Karbowski, Tim Karbowski (Tonia Karbowski, wife), & Edward Karbowski; sisters, Michele Frazer (Gary Frazer, husband), & Laura Riddle (Gregg Riddle, husband); grand children, Kaydon Voels, Charleigh Voels, Adam Shonk, and Ava Shonk (Ashley Glenn, mother) and a host of other friends and relatives.

Services to Honor the Life of Don

Celebration of Life

Thursday, September 28, 2023

3 pm to 6 pm

Over Flow 137 Mecklynn Road, Mooresville, NC 28117

(just off the I-77 Langtree Exit)

Funeral Services

Saturday, September 30, 2023

10 am

Full Mass

St. Charles Catholic Church (308 Central Ave, Cass Lake, MN 56633)

Reception to follow in the Fellowship Hall

Farewell toast at 1:00 CT for all those near and far

- Wherever you are, raise a glass to honor the life of Donald Karbowski

Sunday, October 1st, 2023

Private burial service for family

Charity

VPCA: <https://give.vpca.vet/give/433169/#!/donation/checkout>

Tribute Wall

JS

“ *im soooo sorry for your los*

Josie Seeley - October 27, 2025 at 01:55 PM

AS

“ *you made me strong*

Ava Grace Shonk - April 11, 2025 at 10:33 AM

JS

i know ava he did

Josie Seeley - October 27, 2025 at 01:55 PM

BR

“ *Brenda lit a candle in memory of Donald Allan Karbowski*



Brenda - November 16, 2023 at 10:03 AM

AS

i miss pawpaw

Ava Grace Shonk - April 11, 2025 at 10:34 AM

JS

its okay ava you will see him in heaven but you might not if you go to you know what.

Josie Seeley - April 11, 2025 at 10:39 AM

JS

you might love him i do too as a crush

Josie Seeley - April 11, 2025 at 10:41 AM

JS

he passed away at 53

Josie Seeley - April 11, 2025 at 10:41 AM

JO

Ava it's me Josie this is my mom's account

Josie - April 12, 2025 at 01:16 AM

JO

I will even tell you my middle name Arabella it's actually me promise

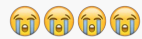
Josie - April 12, 2025 at 01:17 AM

JO

I am up at 1:20 am lol. mom and my dad are out with a bunch of friends

Josie - April 12, 2025 at 01:19 AM

JO



Josie - April 12, 2025 at 01:20 AM

DT

hi donald its donald trump whats up

Donald Trump - May 14, 2025 at 10:23 AM

BD

“ My condolences to the family. I just heard of your passing this morning when I got to work. We are all shocked. You were my favorite patient and I looked forward to seeing you. I was thinking about the other day and wondered where you were. I am deeply sadden to hear that you've gained your wings. I pray that GOD will continue to comfort your family. Brenda

Brenda from DAC - November 16, 2023 at 09:06 AM

CS

I know

Carlie Seeley - April 12, 2025 at 12:57 PM

KB

“ Kelley B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald Allan Karbowski.

Kelley B. - September 28, 2023 at 01:40 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Allan Karbowski.



September 27, 2023 at 09:51 AM

TL

“ I grew up with Donnie in Cass Lake, Mn. My family live just across the street from our high school. My brother Troy and Donnie were good friends and both were in all sports 🏀 in school together. We all were lucky to be in a great school in such a small town. We had a lot of fun times together there. Our teachers care so much about us and we're there for us when we need them to be. We didn't have a big class but we were all close friends. Everyone knew everybody and we were always there to support our friends in sports 🏈 and hanging out. Donnie was a big part of all our school. He always had a funny personality and a comment just about everything. Which would make things even funnier. Our class reunion this year was our 40th one. Some of us had heard about Donnie being sick 🤒 last couple of years. But no one knew for sure how bad. We all were very excited to hear he was going to make it to our class reunion this year. Thanks 🙏 to his family and his wonderful wife Fiona we were able to see Donnie one last time. Sadly we didn't know that would be our last time to hang out with our very good friend and classmate. We were all surprised to see how bad Covid had took Donnie down from who he was. But he was still our Donnie and we all were so happy to see him again. Thanks 🙏 to his wife for making the long trip up to our class reunion. Everyone there got to sit down with Donnie and just talk about old times. And all the fun times we all had together growing up together. We all were Miss Donnie so much and his life we were lucky to be part of. The Lego family.

Tony P. Lego - September 22, 2023 at 10:22 AM

RD

“ Sending my deepest symphathy to his dear family friends !!! I grew up with Don!!! I was saddened to hear of his death! Fly high tell my dad hi i miss him soooo much!



Roxene Demo - September 21, 2023 at 11:46 AM

FW

“ Dear Fiona and family, although we are many miles away, you are all in our thoughts and prayers. Don fought a great fight. Big Fiona and the Walker Clan

Fiona Walker - September 20, 2023 at 02:55 PM

JS

“ Jeanette Scire lit a candle in memory of Donald Allan Karbowski



jeanette scire - September 16, 2023 at 10:34 PM

JS

yes yes

Josie Seeley - October 27, 2025 at 01:52 PM

JS

i am really sad for your los im one of ava shonks \ashley karbowski duaghter friends so yeah im sooo sorry for your big big los

Josie Seeley - October 27, 2025 at 01:54 PM