



Donald Thomas Draves

February 13, 1945 - December 22, 2015

Donald "Don" Thomas Draves, 70, of Troutman, passed away on Tuesday, December 22, 2015 at Lake Norman Regional Medical Center. He was born on February 13, 1945 in Bay City, MI, to the late Donald Richard and Anne Florence Stanolis Draves. Mr. Draves was retired from General Motors and attended Davidson United Methodist Church. He was an Eagle Scout along with both his grandsons, where he attended both their Eagle Scout Ceremonies. Don was a life guard, on a swim team, was an avid bowler, and enjoyed camping. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, James "Jim" Draves. Mr. Draves is survived by his wife of 50 years, Sharon Londo Draves; children, Lori Beth Golsch and husband, Bryan, Donald "Don" T. Draves and wife, Kelly; sister, Judith Zanotti and husband, Phil; brother, Dennis Draves and wife, Jenny; sister-in-law, Nancy Draves; grandchildren, Justin, Hannah, Jacob, Blake, Alexys "Lexy", Samuel, Gabriel; great grandchildren, Devin, Brystal, Falyn; and numerous nieces and nephews. A Celebration of Life will be held at 3:00 PM on Saturday, January 2 at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home Chapel. The family will receive friends following the service at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Parkinson Association of the Carolinas, 5970 Fairview Road, Suite 217, Charlotte, NC 28210.

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Thomas Draves*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



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February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Donald Thomas Draves*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *Sharon, Lori and Don, so very sorry for your loss ! My thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time.*

Lori LaFray Woolever - December 28, 2015 at 12:00 AM