



## Donald A. Burns

March 26, 1934 - November 6, 2020

Donald A. Burns, 86, of New Milford, PA was called home to be with the Lord on November 6, 2020. He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Mary; also his daughter, Donna Brink (TJ Haley); three granddaughters, Kelsey, Kate, and Laura Brink; his brother, Robert Burns; and many cousins, nieces, and nephews. He was predeceased by his parents, Robert F. and Lucille M. Burns; his sister, Gertrude (Burns) Toman; his son-in-law, Jim Brink; and his beloved son, David Burns.

Donald attended Susquehanna Community High School and graduated from Windsor High School. He joined the Air Force and served during the Korean Conflict. Following his time in the service, he earned his funeral director's license and worked in the industry for a few years. Don's skill in operating equipment lead him to self employment, owning Burns Excavating and Explosives for more than 40 years in New Milford, PA and Don Burns Quarry. He was a founding member and lifetime member of the PA Bluestone Association and served as a past President. Don was a member of the Rotary Club in New Milford. He was known for his ability to tell many great stories, very lively, and entertaining. He made friends easily everywhere he went. Don's parting leaves a significant void in our lives and the community.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Tuttle-Yeisley Funeral Home, Inc.,

Hallstead, PA. There will be no public services at this time due to the pandemic.

# Cemetery Details

**Mountain Valley Cemetery**

# Tribute Wall

TC

“ *Mary, Donna and family so Sorry for your loss*



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**Tammy Chandler** - November 22, 2020 at 10:58 PM

JD

“ *Jeanne & Duane Dixon lit a candle in memory of Donald A. Burns*



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**Jeanne & Duane Dixon** - November 20, 2020 at 02:10 PM

CO

“ *Mary, Donna and family,  
So sorry for your loss.  
We have many fond memories of Don and always enjoyed his  
entertaining stories. He will be missed.*

*Cindy & Bj Owens*

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**Cindy Owens** - November 11, 2020 at 11:36 AM

DT

“ *Don was always smiling and upbeat. He will be missed. RIP Don!  
Prayers for Mary and family. Donna Testa*

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**Donna Testa** - November 10, 2020 at 06:40 AM

LJ

“ *Mary, Sending Sympathy, and Hugs. to you and your Family.  
Phil and Lorraine James*

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**Lorraine James** - November 09, 2020 at 07:14 PM

SR

“ *So sorry to hear about Don. aka burnsie. he was a good friend at  
Gracious. sending love and prayers Mary and hugs.*

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**Susan Ross** - November 08, 2020 at 12:29 PM

BM

“ *Carol and I would like to offer our condolences for Don's passing. It  
was a pleasure to have known him.  
Sincerely,  
Bob McNamara*

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**Bob McNamara** - November 08, 2020 at 09:52 AM

KF

“ *My sincere and heartfelt condolences to Don's family. May he Rest  
in Peace.*

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**Ken Fish** - November 08, 2020 at 08:57 AM

DE

“ *Mary and Family, we would like to Extend our Condolences to all of  
you, we are very sorry for your loss. Don was quite a guy, always a  
pleasure to hear his stories. May He R.I.P. Sincerely, Jane and  
Dennis McNamara*

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**Dennis** - November 07, 2020 at 02:36 PM