



Donald B. Potter

January 16, 1934 - August 19, 2016

Potter, Donald B.,
Bridgeport Twp., Michigan

Passed away Friday, August 19, 2016, at Covenant Medical Center. Age 82 years. Don was born on January 16, 1934, in Saginaw to the late Bruce and Evelyn (Palm) Potter. He married Colleen Kane on June 5, 1954, in Gulfport, Miss. She survives him. Prior to his retirement, Don had worked at Werth Engineering. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Bridgeport.

Surviving besides his wife, Colleen, are their children and spouses, David (Dana) Potter, Bob (Cindy) Potter, Tim Potter, John Potter, Diane Otte, and Laurie (Ron) Boyke; the most important thing in his life were his grandchildren, Kelsey, Nikole, Allison, Madison, Stephanie, Shannon, Erin, Corey, Kelly and Amy; two sisters, Joann Goslin and Shirley Irish; many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a sister, Barb Brown.

Funeral and committal services will take place 11:00 a.m. Saturday, August 27, 2016, at First Baptist Church of Bridgeport 2400 King Rd. Dr. R.B. Ouellette will officiate. Private burial will be in Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly, Michigan at a later date. Friends are welcome to visit with the family at the Wakeman Funeral Home, Inc., 1218 N. Michigan Ave., Saginaw, on Friday from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m., then at the church on Saturday from 10:00 a.m.

until the time of services. Memorials may be given to First Baptist Church for the Wilderness Camp Fund. Memories and sympathies of Donald may be shared with the family on his memorial website at WakemanFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

4200 Belford Road
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 26. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wakeman Funeral Home, Inc.
1218 N. Michigan Ave.
Saginaw, MI 48602
(989) 752-8531
wakemanfh@charter.net

Visitation

AUG 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church
2400 King Road
Saginaw, MI 48601

Funeral and Committal Services

AUG 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Saginaw, MI 48601

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald B. Potter*

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



“ *Donald B. Potter*

September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *I remember Don when he was alittle boy, he lived across the street from me on 14th ST,. I will remember him always. joanne (Dargie)mERTZ*

JjOANNE DARGIE MERTZ - August 27, 2016 at 07:38 AM



“ *Well DON, we did good at Arthur Hill Trade School, now look after we left they tore the place down. It was very nice to have had you for a friend for all these tears.
60-plus years is a very long time.
Ron De Shone.*

Ronald De Shone - August 23, 2016 at 04:35 PM



“ *Yes, Don was a fun Loving guy to be around and I'm glad I met him & his wife Coleen. We had a lot of fun at are cook out with him & Coleen & my Family. Sorry for your loss. He will be Missed. My Prayer with the family. God Bless! Sherry Czapp*

sherry czapp - August 23, 2016 at 09:09 AM

DA

“ *It was so nice that I have had the chance to know Don. We had a good laughs when Bob and Cindy brought Don to my family's many cookouts. He always rant and raved about my Mothers baked beans. We even got to enjoy the company of Coleen. My family and I's thoughts and prayers are with your family. Denise Ayotte*

Denise Ayotte - August 22, 2016 at 10:48 PM