



Donald Eugene Ormsby

November 25, 1928 - September 11, 2015

Donald Eugene Ormsby, age 86, of Fort Wayne, formerly of Huntington, died at 7:38 p.m. Friday (September 11, 2015) at his home.

Graveside services will be held at 9 a.m. Friday (September 18, 2015) at Marion National Cemetery, 1700 East 38th Street, Marion, Indiana, with military graveside rites performed by VFW Post #2689 of Huntington.

Don was born on November 25, 1928 in Wells County, Indiana, the son of Earl Ray and Mable (King) Ormsby. He graduated from East Rock Creek High School in 1947 and served in the U.S. Army as a Corporal during the Korean War. In 1976, Don began Ormsby Appliance in Huntington as owner and dealer for over 33 years. He was a member of VFW Post #2689 in Huntington and American Legion Post #7 in Roanoke.

Survivors include a son - Mark R. (Amy) Ormsby of Chesterton, Indiana; two daughters - Lee Ann (Jim) Hughes and Lori (Kevin) Allred, both of Huntington; eight grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents and three sisters - twins Gertrude Williams and Eilene Thorne, and June Pressler.

Cemetery Details

Marion National Cemetery

1700 E. 38th St.
Marion, IN 46953

Previous Events

Service

SEP **18**. 9:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TS

“ We always enjoyed dealing with Don at Lehmans and his store. It was fun visiting with him as we shopped .
Sympathies to all. Terry and Sue

Terry E Scher - September 22, 2015 at 02:32 PM

RR

“ Randy Ray lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Ormsby



Randy Ray - September 20, 2015 at 07:54 PM

RR

I grew up in the same neighborhood and have lots of very good memories. My thoughts and prayers to Lori and Lee Ann

Randy Ray - September 20, 2015 at 07:56 PM

MM

“ I will never forget that you gave me my first television set when I moved into my apartment in 1970. It would get fuzzy and you said to "Smack" it. You will be greatly missed in this community.



Marsha E. {Rice} Martin - September 17, 2015 at 05:53 PM

MR

“ Donald was a good friend and loyal customer at Tuffy Auto Center at Times Corners in Fort Wayne, IN. His smiling face will be missed by Marv and Scott. Thank you for your service. Msg. Marvin M. Rice Ret.



Msg. Marvin M. Rice Ret. - September 17, 2015 at 05:51 PM

SK

“ Shirley Kiefer lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Ormsby



Shirley Kiefer - September 17, 2015 at 05:04 PM

JF

“ Joyce Fryman lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Ormsby



Joyce Fryman - September 17, 2015 at 01:51 PM

NE

“ Our family would like to take this opportunity to Thank God for the time He allowed us to know Mr. Ormsby. He was a very caring and giving person, never was to busy to lend a helping hand. Just knowing we won't be able to see him again saddens us. We pray that the Lord gives his family peace and strength during this time. The NEELEY-PULLIAM Family

Neeley-Pulliam - September 17, 2015 at 11:23 AM

NF

“ *Neeley - Pulliam Family lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Ormsby*



Neeley - Pulliam Family - September 17, 2015 at 10:58 AM

SS

“ *Prayers for the family!*



Stacey Stetzel - September 16, 2015 at 08:59 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donald Eugene Ormsby.*



September 15, 2015 at 08:52 PM

DW

“ *Words can not express how caring Don was....even up until the last month, he visited my dad (a former employee of his) and mom. Through my dad's illness, Don was at the hospital more than once a week. His thoughtfulness and loyalty towards my dad will be forever be remembered.*



Don and Courtney Whitney - September 15, 2015 at 06:56 PM

MB

“ *Mary Branscomb lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Ormsby*



mary branscomb - September 15, 2015 at 04:58 PM

MB

“ *Don always found a way to visit Donnie during his hospital stay and had visited 3 weeks ago. Our family sure will miss Don and feel truly bless that we got to know him.*

mary branscomb - September 15, 2015 at 04:58 PM

NM

“ *Nancy McCoart lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Ormsby*



Nancy McCoart - September 15, 2015 at 02:51 PM

DM

“ *Lee Ann and Lori, very sorry to hear about the loss of your father. We bought a lot of appliances from Don and he helped us on several occasions to DIY fix an appliance in a rental at not cost. I always enjoyed shopping at Ormsby's.*

You and your family have Jim and I's deepest sympathy.

Deanna Mills - September 15, 2015 at 02:20 PM