



## Donald Eugene Wilson

October 11, 1946 - August 17, 2011

Donald Eugene Wilson, age 64, of Huntington, died at 2:02 p.m. Wednesday (August 17, 2011) at his home.

Don was born October 11, 1946, in Huntington, to Lloyd “Jack” and Caroline (Crocesi) Wilson. He was a 1965 graduate of Huntington High School and attended two years of business school. Don was a veteran of the United States Army serving in the Vietnam War. He married Linda Sue Williams on October 22, 1976, in Roanoke.

Don worked for Dana Spicer Axle of Fort Wayne for over 30 years and 19 years at Norwood Golf Club in Huntington. He was a member of the Norwood Golf Club and the Thursday Night Church League at Rainbow Lanes. He loved to golf and bowl.

Don is survived by his wife - Linda Sue Wilson of Huntington; two daughters - Tina (Dale) Pelton of Howard City, Michigan and Melissa (Sam) Shivley of Fort Wayne, two sons - Chad M. Wilson of Huntington and Scott C. (April) Wilson of Huntington, one sister - Janet S. (Ted) McElhaney of Roanoke, seventeen grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. His parents, a brother - Lloyd Douglas Wilson, and granddaughter - Casey Rayne Wilson preceded him in death.

Visitation will be from 2 - 7 p.m. Monday (August 22, 2011) at Bailey-Love Mortuary. Funeral Services will be at 10 a.m. Tuesday (August 23, 2011) at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Pastor Bilson Davis officiating. There will be no burial.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **22**. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary  
35 West Park Drive  
Huntington, IN 46750  
(260) 356-1710  
wecare@baileylove.com  
<https://www.baileylove.com>

## Service

AUG **23**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - August 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ Dad, I still miss you every day, I'm not sure how long it will take, if ever, to not cry when I think of you. I love you! Tina

Tina Pelton - March 07, 2012 at 10:28 AM



“ Missy Shively lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



Missy Shively - August 29, 2011 at 10:44 PM

AW

“ April M Wilson lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



April M Wilson - August 29, 2011 at 04:24 PM



“ Tina Pelton lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



Tina Pelton - August 29, 2011 at 03:50 PM



*I miss my dad so much, though we didn't see each other every day, we had a special relationship. I love you and miss you Dad!!*

Tina Pelton - August 29, 2011 at 03:51 PM



“ Christina Marie Wilson/ pelton was added to the Family Tree.

Tina Pelton - August 29, 2011 at 03:45 PM

BD

“ Brenda Diaz lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



Brenda Diaz - August 22, 2011 at 07:19 PM

DO

“ Dawn Ogle lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



Dawn Ogle - August 22, 2011 at 10:07 AM

DM

“ *David Mcelhaney lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**david mcelhaney** - August 21, 2011 at 09:08 PM

CS

“ *Casey Scher lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Casey Scher** - August 21, 2011 at 10:41 AM

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“ *I AM SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT DONNIE. MY FAVORITE MEMORIES ARE HOW HAPPY HE AND LINDA WERE. THEY ALWAYS MADE ME SMILE OR LAUGHS. I THOUGHT OF THEM OFTEN. EVEN THO YOU DON'T SEE OLD FRIENDS THEY ARE YOUR MEMORIES, THAT YOU NEVER FORGET. JIMMY AND I HAD ALOT OF FUN WITH THOSE TWO. MY LOVE TO THE FAMILY. L JOYCE (ASHER) FLOOD*



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**L JOYCE (ASHER)FLOOD** - August 21, 2011 at 10:37 AM



“ *Josh Miller lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**josh miller** - August 21, 2011 at 12:02 AM



*Looks like Payne Stewart finally has some real competition up there. You were one of a kind Uncle Vinnie. You will be sadly missed. Hug Dad for me and tell Grandma i love her.*

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**josh miller** - August 21, 2011 at 12:19 AM



“ *Patricia Lesh lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Patricia Lesh** - August 20, 2011 at 08:03 PM



“ *Uncle Donnie will be greatly missed by many...and im sure its a wonderful reunion going on above with great grandpa, great grandma and my grandpa Doug!*



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**Nichole (Brinneman) Williams** - August 20, 2011 at 01:15 PM

MR

“ *Melissa Roberson lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Melissa Roberson** - August 20, 2011 at 01:18 AM

 Ann Dailey

“ *Ann Dailey lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Ann Dailey** - August 19, 2011 at 10:46 PM

BJ

“ *Barb Jackson lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**barb jackson** - August 19, 2011 at 09:02 PM

BJ

“ *it was all a the family gatherings and parties that i will remember most and just a good guy and friend with a good sense of humor. i will miss you dearly friend! ps- i will try my best to help keep scott in line lol!*

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**barb jackson** - August 19, 2011 at 09:00 PM

RF

“ *RENEE MOEZELLE FALCONE lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



RENEE MOEZELLE FALCONE - August 19, 2011 at 08:48 PM

RF

*I THOUGHT OF YOU TODAY, BUT THAT IS NOTHING NEW. I THOUGHT ABOUT YOU YESTERDAY, AND DAYS BEFORE THAT TOO. I THINK OF YOU IN SILENCE, I OFTEN SPEAK YOUR NAME. ALL I HAVE ARE MEMORIES, AND YOUR PICTURE IN A FRAME. YOUR MEMORY IS A KEEPSAKE, FROM WHICH ILL NEVER PART. GOD HAS YOU IN HIS ARMS, I HAVE YOU IN MY HEART!!!!!!*

RENEE MOEZELLE FALCONE - August 19, 2011 at 08:52 PM

JB

“ *I'll miss you...*

Jennifer Bickel - August 19, 2011 at 08:45 PM

KG

“ *Kimberly A Geyer lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



Kimberly A Geyer - August 19, 2011 at 08:26 PM

JD

“ *Jim & Lee Davidson lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



Jim & Lee Davidson - August 19, 2011 at 07:29 PM

KV

“ *Kim Clabaugh Voght lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



kim clabaugh voght - August 19, 2011 at 06:48 PM

NF

“ *Nikki Farris lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



Nikki Farris - August 19, 2011 at 05:56 PM

HS

“ *The first time I met Don, I nearly wet myself from laughing so hard. He told the funniest jokes and was a wonderful loving man. He treated my children, husband, and myself just like family and we love him for it. He will be in my heart forever and we will all miss him.*



Heather Smith - August 19, 2011 at 05:52 PM



“ *Dan Whitesell lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Dan Whitesell** - August 19, 2011 at 05:51 PM



“ *Darlene Tippett lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Darlene Tippett** - August 19, 2011 at 05:47 PM



*Thank You So much Darlene!!*

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**Missy Shively** - August 29, 2011 at 10:46 PM



“ *Alicia Wittke lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Alicia Wittke** - August 19, 2011 at 05:30 PM

HF

“ *Heather Foster lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**heather foster** - August 19, 2011 at 05:26 PM

CC

“ *Cynthia Cameron lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Cynthia Cameron** - August 19, 2011 at 05:21 PM

KB

“ *Kelly Boland lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Kelly Boland** - August 19, 2011 at 05:17 PM

CC

“ *Chad, my thoughts are with you in your time of need.*

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**Cynthia Cameron** - August 19, 2011 at 05:16 PM

 Chad  
Wilson

“ Chad Wilson lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



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**Chad Wilson** - August 19, 2011 at 05:05 PM

 Nicki  
Fordyce

“ Don was an amazing man when scott and I dated in high school he would always give me a rough time with a smile on his face I will miss that smile. Much love to all of the family my thoughts and prayers are with you.



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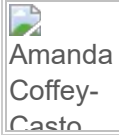
**Nicki Fordyce** - August 19, 2011 at 04:42 PM

JM

“ When I was knee high to a grasshopper my two older brothers, ( Doug and Don) would let me play baseball with them. I was so thrilled. It wasn't until I was older that I realized why. They let me play outfield so I could go chase the balls they were hitting. lol The good thing about that, I learned how to catch a fly ball so I wouldn't have to go and chase them so far. Thanks to them, I held the position of short stop on the Huntington College softball team one summer and traveled the state playing. Thanks for a good time guys!  
Love you lots,  
Sis

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**Janet McElhaney** - August 19, 2011 at 03:28 PM



Amanda  
Coffey-  
Casto

“ *Amanda Coffey-Casto lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Amanda Coffey-Casto** - August 19, 2011 at 02:48 PM



“ *Kerry Wilson lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**kerry wilson** - August 19, 2011 at 02:35 PM



“ *Will keep you in my prayers during these times.*



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**Cindy McKinzie** - August 19, 2011 at 02:09 PM



“ *Mary Whitesell lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Mary Whitesell** - August 19, 2011 at 12:46 PM

SS

“ *Sandy Shaw lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



Sandy Shaw - August 19, 2011 at 11:51 AM

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“ *Sandy Shaw lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



Sandy Shaw - August 19, 2011 at 11:50 AM

DT

“ *Denise & Lonnie Thayer lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



Denise & Lonnie Thayer - August 19, 2011 at 11:30 AM

BC

“ *Beckie Collins lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



Beckie Collins - August 19, 2011 at 11:25 AM



“ *Jean Larkey lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Jean Larkey** - August 19, 2011 at 11:10 AM



“ *Ann Chestnut lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Ann Chestnut** - August 19, 2011 at 10:00 AM



“ *Tammy Berry lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Tammy Berry** - August 19, 2011 at 09:58 AM



“ *Tammy And Bart Berry lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Tammy and Bart Berry** - August 19, 2011 at 09:58 AM



“ I was with you when you came home sick and took care of you the best I could. I stayed by your side until the end and even helped prepare you for the funeral home. I will never forget when I asked if I was making you proud and doing a good job caring for you, and you said "Baby, you are doing it" and I will never forget the feeling of relief that came over me at that moment. I will miss you dearly, but know that the tears I cry are for me , not for you cause you are in a better place now daddy. I love you!! xoxoxoxoxoxox

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**Missy Shively** - August 19, 2011 at 09:56 AM



“ Missy Shively lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



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**Missy Shively** - August 19, 2011 at 09:46 AM

SB

“ Stacy And Kasey Geyer, Carla Berry lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



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**Stacy and Kasey Geyer, Carla Berry** - August 19, 2011 at 08:36 AM

TP

“ *Tina Wilon Pelton lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Tina Wilon Pelton** - August 19, 2011 at 08:30 AM

LN

“ *Lisa Nash lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Lisa Nash** - August 19, 2011 at 08:20 AM


KW

“ *Kim White lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Kim White** - August 19, 2011 at 08:17 AM

 Alyssa Justice

“ *Alyssa Justice lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Alyssa Justice** - August 19, 2011 at 08:02 AM



“ *I Love that old man! He was the best father-in-law a girl could have! He made feel so loved and so much apart of this family! He will always be treasured in my heart!* ”

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**April Wilson** - August 19, 2011 at 08:01 AM



“ *April Wilson lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson* ”



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**April Wilson** - August 19, 2011 at 07:58 AM



“ *Amanda Casto And Family lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson* ”



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**Amanda Casto and family** - August 19, 2011 at 07:57 AM



“ *Tina Stout lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson* ”



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**Tina Stout** - August 19, 2011 at 07:55 AM

TJ

“ Timothy Jones lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



Timothy Jones - August 19, 2011 at 07:54 AM



“ Scott Wilson lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



Scott Wilson - August 19, 2011 at 07:51 AM



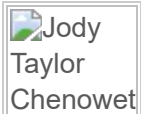
*I love you and miss you dad, I think about you every day. Although it still seems so surreal that you are gone, I know there is no more pain and that you are happy and playing golf..I LOVE YOU!!!!*

Scott Wilson - August 19, 2011 at 07:53 AM

TS

*Your family is in my prayers. Love all of you.*

Tina Stout - August 19, 2011 at 07:56 AM



“ Jody Taylor Chenoweth lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson



Jody Taylor Chenoweth - August 19, 2011 at 07:51 AM

SW

“ *Scott Wilson lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Scott Wilson** - August 19, 2011 at 07:50 AM

BC

“ *Bill Chapin lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**bill chapin** - August 18, 2011 at 09:43 PM

CW

“ *Cheryl (Dalrymple) Warner lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Cheryl (Dalrymple) Warner** - August 18, 2011 at 07:43 PM

AC

“ *Art & Nancy Chenoweth lit a candle in memory of Donald Eugene Wilson*



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**Art & Nancy Chenoweth** - August 18, 2011 at 04:35 PM



“ *Im so sorry to hear about Don. Went to school with him and had a lot of good times. MY prayers go out to all of his Family. Sally (Ward) Gamble*



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**Sally A Gamble** - August 18, 2011 at 03:29 PM



“ *Donald Eugene Wilson*

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 February 25, 2005 at 04:09 PM



“ *Donald Eugene Wilson*

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 February 25, 2005 at 01:15 PM



“ *Donald Eugene Wilson*

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 February 25, 2005 at 07:33 AM



“ *Donald Eugene Wilson*

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 February 24, 2005 at 04:58 PM



“ *Donald Eugene Wilson*

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 February 24, 2005 at 11:15 AM



“ *Donald Eugene Wilson*

February 24, 2005 at 08:37 AM



“ *Donald Eugene Wilson*

February 23, 2005 at 11:19 AM



“ *Donald Eugene Wilson*

February 23, 2005 at 07:37 AM



“ *Donald Eugene Wilson*

February 23, 2005 at 07:37 AM



“ *Donald Eugene Wilson*

February 23, 2005 at 07:04 AM