



Donald Decker

January 2, 1937 - April 26, 2016

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KD

“ I've always thought of myself as a very fortunate person. Great family, great friends, great life! I especially love my parents. Through thick and thin, they've always been there for their children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, family and friends. You couldn't ask for more loving parents than Don and Sandy Decker. None of their children were ever too old to receive the benefit of my parents' sage wisdom and advice. I will truly miss my Dad! He was quite a character. Sharp as a tack, nothing ever got past my Dad. Now I don't know who is going to regale me with hilarious stories. Or argue with me about politics. Or explain the finer points of baseball, football, and all the other sports that I don't understand. No one can replace my Dad, but at least I have a lifetime of memories to see me through those times when I'm grieving from missing him so much. Thanks, Dad, for all you did for your family! We truly love and miss you!

Kay Decker - May 27, 2016 at 04:04 PM

AH

“ My grandfather was a brave, strong, and wonderful man!! He always knew what to say, even if it was nothing at all!! He sure did love his sports!! I know he is in heaven watching the Cardinals play!! Not a day goes by that I don't think of him or see a cardinal!! It is so sad to loose someone so amazing, but I am glad that he is no longer in pain! We love you grandpa!!!

Ashley Huber - May 26, 2016 at 07:41 PM

JD

“ We are so sorry for your loss. We are so blessed to have been embraced by your family and the loss of Don has made our hearts heavy for all of you. Love to you all. Jenny and Dave

Jenny and Dave - May 11, 2016 at 10:05 PM

LW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I think of you all often and you are in my prayers.

Lisa Watson - May 03, 2016 at 07:02 PM

KG

“ \”Perhaps they are not starts in the sky, but rather openings where our loved one shine down to let us know they are happy.\” Don is your angel above and will forever guide and protect all of his family. Much love, Kim & Greg

Kim & Greg - May 03, 2016 at 09:41 AM

CT

“ I met Don about 7 yrs. ago when I started dating his daughter Terri. We hit it off great from the start, he knew a lot of the same crowd I grew up with, the poker crew guys. We would always talk about those people. Boy he had a story for every one of them. He had a story for everything, good storys!!! One thing he didn't lack in, were his storys. We had great times at the family gatherings, he was a great guy and will always be remembered even if he was a Cardinals fan. Rest in peace my friend. Chris Truax

Christopher truax - May 02, 2016 at 08:05 PM

TE

“ Our father was a loving man who loved his wife, children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. Don served his country briefly as a member of the U.S. Army, stationed in Korea. He worked at the Pentagon and then went to work as a civilian repairing typewriters. He started a career with the United States House of Representatives and worked there as Supervisor of the Typewriter Shop. He had many passions: Budweiser beer, the St. Louis Cardinals, playing and dealing poker, camping, fishing, and visiting Las Vegas, among some of them. He loved spending time with his son Joey, fishing, playing cribbage, and watching sports. He enjoyed arguing politics with his daughter Kay and it was always comical listening to them! He would talk with his other daughter Terri often about NASCAR, baseball, her children and their significant others. Don was an intelligent man who loved watching Jeopardy and knew the answer to many of the questions. His children often told him he should try out for the show. Don was a man of integrity and honor. He always kept his word and did what he said he would. He will be missed by his family and friends but will forever be in our hearts.

Terri - May 02, 2016 at 05:43 PM

TE

“ I had the great fortune of being able to have the best Dad ever. My father was a great Dad who was always there for me. I always looked forward to our early morning talks on Saturday mornings. We would talk about NASCAR or his Cardinals, depending on what time of year it was, among many other things! He was always a great story teller and had MANY to tell! My Dad loved my girls and his great-grandchildren. He was also very proud of them and their significant others. He was a man of great integrity and always kept his word. I am going to miss him tremendously but will always be grateful that I was able to have him as my Dad. \r\n Love you forever, \r\n Terri

Terri - April 30, 2016 at 08:53 PM