



Donald Lee Majors

April 8, 1935 - June 6, 2024

Donald Lee Majors, 89, of Lakeland, FL, born April 8, 1935, passed away on June 6, 2024.

Donald was a beloved husband, father, and grandfather. He is survived by his spouse Glenda Majors, sons David Majors (Jani) and Craig Majors (Kim), daughter Shelia Linville, and grandchildren Steven Taylor, Michael Bennett, Christopher Bennett, Danny Linville II, and David Linville. He was preceded in death by his parents Kenneth Melvin Majors and Eva Rosetta Stein, wife Lucy Henschen, and daughter Lisa Taylor.

Donald had a distinguished career that started at Meissner in Mt. Carmel, IL. He then worked as a fireman on NYC Railroad when diesels replaced steam engines, before moving on to work as a Draftsman at various companies in Indianapolis, IN. He served in the U.S. Army at Ft. Richardson, Alaska, and was honorably discharged on 03/31/1964. Following his military service, he worked at the Alaskan Highway Dept. helping design bridges after the Alaskan earthquake and was present for Alaska's induction as the 49th state. He then returned to Indianapolis, IN, where he retired as a Drafting Supervisor after 37 years at Peerless Pump.

In his free time, Donald enjoyed big game hunting in Alaska, attending country music concerts, collecting photos and autographs from his favorite stars, and exploring different restaurants to indulge in various cuisines.

A funeral service will be held on Friday, June 14, 2024, at 10am at Gentry-Morrison Funeral Home, Serenity Gardens Chapel, in Lakeland, FL, with

visitation on Thursday, June 13, 2024, from 6-8pm.

Contributions in Donald's memory can be made to Cornerstone Hospice.

Donald Lee Majors will be dearly missed by all who knew him, and his memory will live on in the hearts of his loved ones.

Cemetery Details

Glen-Abbey Memorial Gardens

2198 K-Ville Avenue
Auburndale, FL 33823

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - Serenity Gardens Chapel
3350 Mall Hill Drive
Lakeland, FL 33810
(863) 858-4474
t.hall@gentry-morrison.com
<https://www.gentry-morrison.com/>

Funeral Service

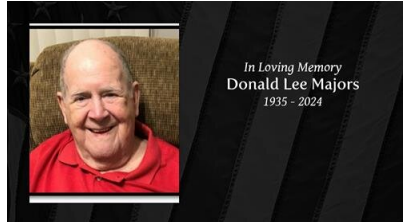
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Tribute Wall



“ *Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald Lee Majors*



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - June 12, 2024 at 03:09 PM

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“ *He called me his daughter. It was an honor to be your daughter and you as my father. I will always cherish the memories we made. You were the father I never had and you told me things my father should have. To David and Craig I thank you for sharing your father with me. What a wonderful man. Rest in heaven.*

Love Shelia

Shelia Linville - June 12, 2024 at 06:40 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Lee Majors.*



June 11, 2024 at 10:17 PM

DB

“ Debe & Kevin Lowe /Brenda & Terry Bailey planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald Lee Majors.

Debe & Kevin Lowe /Brenda & Terry Bailey - June 11, 2024 at 10:17 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Donald Lee Majors.



June 11, 2024 at 02:51 PM

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“ 88 CS/SCSW planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald Lee Majors.

88 CS/SCSW - June 11, 2024 at 02:51 PM

JF

“ Janet leeman and Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Donald Lee Majors.



Janet leeman and Family - June 11, 2024 at 11:19 AM

JL

“ *Glenda, and all of Don's family,
We send our deep condolences. So hard to say
goodbye to your dear loved one. Don certainly
had a remarkable life. We are honored to have
known & visited him - in your home and other
gatherings.*

*Regret not being able to make his arrangements- as he was my
dear cousin! But will be sending prayers to you for peace & comfort.
Julie Stein Long & Randy*



Julie Long - June 09, 2024 at 02:31 PM