



Donald Coleman

February 11, 1958 - April 28, 2023

Donald Gene Coleman was born February 11, 1958, in England, Arkansas to the late Susie “Bizzell” Coleman and L.C. Coleman Sr.

Don accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at Springfield Baptist Church (Bare Skinnd Lake) Seaton (Dump) Ark., under the pastorship of Rev. Reins.

Don attended public school in England, Arkansas and graduated high school in 1976. Don was adventurous and got the nickname “AxeMan” from dominating the field as a full back on his high school football team. Don was always a sharp dresser, winning Best Dressed in High School in 1976.

After Don graduated High School, worked at Remington Arms and then joined the Navy. He loved to tell people that he “travelled the world twice and saw the same people three times!” He served on the USS Carl Vinson.

Don made California his home and made it clear that’s where he wanted to live and die. Don worked as Parts Manager for AmPorts for over 10 years then with the support of his wife he obtained his commercial driver’s license and retired as a Transportation Supervisor at Bauer’s Intelligent Transportation at the Chevron Refinery in Richmond, Ca. Don also did part-time work as a Marshall at Paradise Valley Golf Course.

He was always up for a good time and lots of laughs. He enjoyed going on cruises with his wife and loved all sports, was an avid golfer, loved shooting pool with the fellas and his wife, he bowled in several leagues and although a die-hard Dallas Cowboys fan, supported his wife “Raider Ang” at every Oakland Raiders home game, except one, for eight years.

Don leaves to cherish his funny and loving memory, his wife Angie who cared for him until he took his last breath, Father L.C. Coleman Sr., daughters Amy (Vernon), Rebecca

(Toby) and Reneeka (Justin), son Erik, Brothers' James Long (Linda), James Coleman, Raymond Coleman(Beverly), Terry Coleman, Jerry Coleman, George Coleman, John Coleman(Brenda) and Sister, Vernita Coleman. He also leaves behind his beloved grandchildren, Kiera from California, Alexis from Arkansas and Archie and Alexis from Australia. He also leaves a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews. Special thanks to his mother in law; Lillie, Daughter in Law; Dawn and friends; Sam & Nicole who helped care for him and keep him encouraged during the that months of his struggle.

He is preceded in death by his mother Susie, brothers' L.C. Jr (Von), Bo Bo, Charles and Sammy. Children Bryan, Tasha and Monica.

His funeral services will be held on Friday 19 May 2023 from 5pm-7pm at the Fairfield Funeral Home at 1750 Pennsylvania Avenue, Fairfield. After Party/Repast Don Coleman Style immediately following services.

His family and friends from across the globe who can not be at his celebration of life in person can participate via Zoom on:

1. Join Zoom Meeting – 5pm – 6pm

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/78335967411?pwd=jUUpAM9u4QJ9DbIFPN3luAM28zJ0x6.1>

Meeting ID: 783 3596 7411

Passcode: MYbe4D

2. Join Zoom Meeting – 6pm – 7pm

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74595747526?pwd=ctAdrhpWNHETNx6O7xfXZ20Uuj35mk.1>

Meeting ID: 745 9574 7526

Passcode: FDUpl6

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY 19. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (PT)

Fairfield Funeral Home
1750 Pennsylvania Ave.
Fairfield, CA 94533
(707) 425-1041
info@fairfieldfuneral-home.com
<http://www.fairfieldfuneral-home.com/>

No food or drinks allowed inside Chapel

Tribute Wall

LS

“ *Unc I just LOVE YOU so much, words can't express how losing you has made all of us feel. I miss you more than I ever thought I could miss anyone. The FUN we had..... OMG !!!*

Please tell Daddy I said hello and that I love and miss him so much. If yall get a chance, just party 1 more time for me, and I promise to do the same for you two. I will not pour, nor will I sprinkle anything on the ground, because that's NOT what we would do. I will take it ALL IN JUST FOR YOU... 🤔🥹 I Love You Unc



LaShunna Coleman Stovall - May 19, 2023 at 08:04 PM

KB

“ *Keith and Earlene Bryant will truly miss you we were friends to the end*

Keith Bryant - May 19, 2023 at 07:39 PM

SS

“ *Uncle Don!!! Hollywood is what I called you and you called me Niecy and no one will be able to fill your shoes. I love when you came home to Arkansas. I know I could always get a good laugh when you was in town. My dad (peanut) birthday just passed, and I just knew you was going to be in town but God had other plans for you. You will truly be missed. I know you Grandma Susie and Uncle June having a ball up in Heaven. Only if Heaven had a phone so! Save a seat for me at the table Unk. Love always your Niece Shenetha.*



Shenetha Shepherd - May 18, 2023 at 12:02 PM

BC

“ *I do not know where to start Brother N Law! We could sit on the phone and laugh for hours. I was the only one who could call you in the weeee hours of the morning without getting cursed out. I would not have never thought our last time seeing one another would be our last time. I know I was your favorite Sister N Law! LOL! Don you will be missed dearly, I love you always until we meet again, your loving Sister N Law Beverly Shepherd-Coleman.*



Beverly Coleman - May 18, 2023 at 11:53 AM

CH

“ Carmen Hays sent a virtual gift in memory of Donald Coleman



Carmen Hays - May 17, 2023 at 11:27 AM

RP

“ Hey honey aka step dad aka heavy d.first off I love you and miss you terrible I'm sorry I didn't get to say goodbye in person but you are for ever in my heart. You still make me laugh to this day when we all went camping and we were in the lodge, I was sleeping on the floor. My mom was next to me on the bed and you were next to her and then the middle of the night without skipping a beat. You jumped over my mom and Superman landed on me, and I wiggle as hard as I could.and my mom woke up and yelled"Don WHAT ARE YOU DOING" and you stood up disorder oriented then my mom finally helped you to a bathroom after you tried the closet and somewhere else . I love you forever and ever please watch over us. Rip



Raneeka Pittman - May 16, 2023 at 05:19 PM



You are special!!! That was hilarious, what a great memory! There are so many to keep me going but I'm sure gonna miss him. Love You

Raider Ang - May 16, 2023 at 07:32 PM



“ Raider Ang sent a virtual gift in memory of Donald Coleman



Raider Ang - May 15, 2023 at 02:55 PM



“ Raider Ang lit a candle in memory of Donald Coleman



Raider Ang - May 15, 2023 at 02:54 PM

TP

“ *The Passini's purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Donald Coleman.*



The Passini's - May 15, 2023 at 02:49 PM

LA

“ *Love, Rebecca, Toby, Archie and Alexis purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Donald Coleman.*



Love, Rebecca, Toby, Archie and Alexis - May 15, 2023 at 02:39 PM