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Donald Carl (Daddy Don) Steiger, 92 passed away on January 28, 2017. He was born on October 27th, 1924 in Oshkosh Wisconsin to the late Carl E. and Ruth (Storm) Steiger. He was married to Mary Patricia (Speier) on November 20th, 1954. He was preceded in death by a granddaughter Katelyn Ruth Myhill. Don served in the US Army in the European Theatre during World War II. He was a graduate of the University of Wyoming and a beef cattleman. He owned and operated the JH Ranch at Hulett, Wyoming and Steiger Charolais/Dairy in Bentonville Arkansas as well as served as a longtime herdsman for JACS Ranch in Bentonville. He was a well-respected, innovative seedstock breeder of Hereford and Charolais beef cattle. He raised and showed champion steers at the National Western Stock show and at other national shows. He was an early adopter of technology in ranching, performance testing and beef cattle improvement. Don had a lifetime of active leadership in his community. Serving on the boards of Schools, Farm Bureaus, Cattleman s associations and was a 50+ year 4H leader. He was a Christian and served on the Vestry boards of The Church of the Good Shepherd in Sundance, Wyoming, an Elder at First Presbyterian Church in Bentonville and was a long time Community Group leader at Fellowship Bible Church NWA. Don also helped lead the fledgling Republican Party in Benton County starting in 1970. He was Country chair and enjoyed volunteering as a poll worker and at the Samaritan Community Center in Rogers. His surviving family includes his wife Mary Patricia of the home. His six children; Donald Carl JR (Rocky) Steiger of Rich Hill, Mo., Fritz (Francis) Steiger of Bentonville, Ark., Katherine (Donald) Myhill of Chesapeake, Va., Donna (Scott) Winn of Bentonville, Ark., Lamar (Shari) Steiger of Bentonville, Alex (Shelly) Steiger of Cuba, Mo. He is also survived by eighteen loving grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren. Two sisters, Connie Dempsey of Albuquerque, NM and Mary Garman, Sundance, Wyoming. Many nieces and nephews also survive him. Don was



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also preceded in death by his brother, Congressman William A. Steiger and his sister, Ann Haberstroh. The family would like to thank the staff at Jamestown Nursing Home in Rogers for their many years of care as Daddy Don's Alzheimer's continued to take its toll on him. A Memorial Service will be at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday January 31st, 2017 at the Training Center Chapel at Fellowship Bible Church NWA in Rogers, AR with Pastor Mickey Rapiere officiating. Interment will be at a later date at Fayetteville National Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Fellowship Bible Church NWA, 1051 W. Pleasant Grove Road, Rogers AR 72712. Arrangements have been entrusted to Stockdale-Moody Funeral Services of Rogers. Words of comfort may be expressed at stockdalefuneral.com



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WC

Wanda Coffee posted:

A candle was lit by Wanda Coffee on January 29, 2017 12:38 AM

April 23 at 5:07 AM

KW

Kathy Whelchel posted:

Our most heartfelt and deepest sympathies. With love. Zena Beth Hastings and Kathy Whelchel

April 23 at 5:07 AM

ES

Expression Of Sympathy posted:

A Feathery Palm Plant was ordered on January 29, 2017

April 23 at 5:07 AM

BK

Beverly Keenen posted:

Praying for your family.

April 23 at 5:07 AM

ES

Expression Of Sympathy posted:

An A Garden Path was ordered on January 30, 2017

April 23 at 5:07 AM

JM

Joe Maimone posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Steiger family. Joe, Georgia, and Joseph Maimone

April 23 at 5:07 AM

AK

Anna M. Koelling posted:

A candle was lit by Anna M. Koelling on January 30, 2017 9:14 PM

April 23 at 5:07 AM



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AK

Anna Mason Koelling posted:

Dearest Marypat and family. Your Dad was such a wonderful man. He was kind and patient and loved you all so much. Please know you will all in my thoughts and prayers tomorrow.

April 23 at 5:07 AM

DI

Don Ivey posted:

A candle was lit by Don Ivey on January 30, 2017 11:46 PM

April 23 at 5:07 AM

BS

Bob Shilts posted:

I haven't seen Don in a long time. I remember when I was in his presence he was a man with a smile and the love of God would show through his smile.

April 23 at 5:07 AM

GY

Grover Youngblood posted:

Don and I both were born October 24, 1924. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

April 23 at 5:07 AM

DP

Debra Parnell posted:

A candle was lit by Debra Parnell on February 1, 2017 7:58 PM

April 23 at 5:07 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Donald by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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