



Donald Studebaker

November 24, 1963 - April 25, 2024

Donald Martin Studebaker Sr, known to most as Don, passed away on April 25, 2024, in Joplin, Missouri at the age of 60.

Donald was born November 24, 1963 in Grand Rapids Michigan, son of John and Corrine Studebaker, the youngest of seven Children.

Donald spent most of his days looking after his chickens, or working on his carpentry projects that he loved to do. He was a very loved and looked up to man by all those who knew him. From those who would call him brother, dad, uncle, papa, or most importantly - friend.

Donald is survived by his lifelong partner - Amy Phillips; 4 siblings- John Studebaker Jr, Jim Studebaker, Sue Balcom, and Connie Connor; 4 children - Donald Jr, Scott, Amie, and Nathan, all carrying the Studebaker name; and 5 grandchildren - Matthew, Ariel, Lilibeth, Magnolia, and Brooklyn; as well as a very large family of nieces and nephews that he loved dearly.

Although he has moved on from this earth, his spirit will live on in everyone that knew him. May he rest in peace knowing that he will be deeply loved and missed by all of his loved ones, and never forgotten as the amazing person he was.

As per his wishes, there is currently no service or memorial planned.

Tribute Wall

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“ Don was a good friend of mine. I've known him since I was 6 years old. We lost each other through time but started talking again. I was working for Amazon and he would give me so much shit but who else would I expect it from. Only Don...lol I would get stuck in the snow and he wouldn't me forget it. He woulsend me videos of the Amazon trucks showing up at the same time. We would mess with each other about having to name a band or a song & see who could do more. He actually beat me on that but we had so much fun doing it. We would essayed each other for hours just talking bullshit. I remember when he got Toby and got his hair did...lol. I gave him so much shit about it and told him he had a barking cat. My oldest brother had passed 12-1-23 and Don was there for me on messenger. Then I was busy taking care of my Dad & I lost track of time. I'm sorry Don that I wasn't able to say goodbye. Give my brother Rick Hudson and my Dad a hug and kiss. I love you buddy ❤️

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