



Don Lee Reber

October 19, 1927 - March 19, 2016

Don Lee Reber, 88, of Alliance, died on Saturday, March 19, 2016, at 12:05 p.m. at Mercy Medical Center in Canton.

He was born on October 19, 1927 in San Diego, CA, had lived in Alliance most of his life and was a 1945 graduate of Alliance High School.

A veteran of WWII, he served our country in the U. S. Navy and he was a member of the American Legion Post #166.

Don retired as owner of the former Jay's convenience store.

Mr. Reber was a member of the B.P.O. Elks, Past President of Alliance Exchange Club, Past President of Alliance High School Booster Club and Past Commissioner of the Alliance Slo-Pitch Association.

Don played softball and had coached a girls softball team. He was also inducted into the Slo-Pitch Hall of Fame.

In his past-time, he enjoyed fishing on Lake Erie, bowling, golfing and held season tickets for the Mt. Union Raiders Football. He was a licensed pilot and enjoyed flying his Cessna.

He is survived by his children, Nancy & Steve Ohman of Alliance, Lynn & Charles Ring of Alliance, Don & Sue Reber of Mishawaka, IN, Mike Reber & Cheryl Mills of Sevierville, TN, Tammy & Rick Frank of Marlboro, Gail & Brook Haidet of Alliance, and Judy Wyss & Rich Summers of Alliance; grandchildren, Kristin Charron & Ashley Ohman, Tony Venables, Kelly Ring & Kim Sands, Jenny & Amy Reber, Jill Savage, Alicia Hoffman & Emily Buck, Dustin, Shane and Colton Haidet, Zack & Molly Wyss; ten great-

grandchildren; and a step-sister, Joyce Hoffman of FL.

Preceding him in death was his wife, Helen J. Reber on April 16, 2003, whom he married on May 7, 1949; his father, Lee Reber, mother Dorothy (Albright) Montgomery; and step-father, Adam Montgomery.

The family will receive friends at Walton-Schrader Funeral Home on Wednesday, March 23, 2016 from 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. His funeral service will begin at 7:00 p.m. An Elks Service will held at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home.

Private Interment, with military honors will take place at Fairmount Memorial Park on Thursday.

Memorial contributions may be made to www.woundedwarriorproject.org . Arrangements are by the Walton-Schrader Funeral Home, 1131 West State Street, Alliance, Ohio 44601. This obituary may be viewed and condolences may be sent to the family online at www.wsfuneralhome.com .

Cemetery Details

Fairmount Memorial Park

4199 South Union Avenue
Alliance, OH 44601

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 23. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Walton-Schrader Funeral Home
1131 West State Street
Alliance, OH 44601
(330) 823-9169

Service

MAR 23. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Don Lee Reber*

October 04, 2023 at 05:05 PM



“ *To the family of Don reber:*

Sorry to hear of the loss of Don! He was ALWAYS a pleasure to be around and I really enjoyed his company on the golf course! We left many stories and a few choice expletives in the Tannenhauf Wednesday League! I was fortunate to have him as a friend!

Paul Addams

Paul Addams - March 24, 2016 at 07:39 AM



“ *To the children of Don Reber...sorry to hear about the loss of your dad...he will be missed... with sympathy... Colleen (Kennedy) Close, your friend at Heggy's.*

Colleen Kennedy Close - March 23, 2016 at 04:18 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for the Reber family. Don was like my 2nd childhood Dad. You'll be in my thoughts forever and tell Helen hi. God Bless. Shelly Tuel-Mileti*

shelly Tuel-Mileti - March 23, 2016 at 10:10 AM

LH

“ *My sincere sympathy goes out to all of your family. I have many fond and fun memories of Don and Helen. We shared great times together and I always will cherish the friendship we had for so many years! Sincerely, Linda (Marconi) Hoiles*

Linda Hoiles - March 23, 2016 at 08:52 AM

MW

“ *Wishing the family peaceful memories. My condolences to the family.*

Margaret Wallace - March 22, 2016 at 08:03 PM

JF

“ *Jill Savage and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Don Lee Reber.*



Jill Savage and family - March 22, 2016 at 06:07 PM

JB

“ *I have known the family for many years. They are a wonderful and loving family. I offer my deepest sympathy to all of them. Just feel better knowing Don and Helen are together again.*

Jennifer Brocklehurst Baylor - March 22, 2016 at 03:51 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Don Lee Reber.*



March 21, 2016 at 07:29 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Family*



Walton-Schrader Funeral Home - March 21, 2016 at 04:40 PM