



Donald D. Saltzman

December 12, 1932 - October 1, 2022

A Funeral Service will be held for Donald on Wednesday, October 5, 2022 at 10:30 a.m. at Salem Mennonite Church in rural Shickley, Nebraska with Pastor Ben Schlegel presiding.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, October 4, 2022 at Farmer & Son Funeral Home in Geneva, Nebraska from 1:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. with family present from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Graveside Service will be conducted following the funeral service in the Salem Cemetery in rural Shickley, Nebraska.

Memorials are to be directed to Salem Mennonite Church or Salem Pass The Bread Basket Mission.

A Livestream Video of the Funeral Service for Don will begin on October 5, 2022 at 10:30 a.m. It will be on the Salem Mennonite YouTube page. Click on this link or copy and paste it to your web browser. <https://m.youtube.com/channel/UC0KXkUim2-i83xArj6mHCmw>

Donald Dee Saltzman was born on December 12, 1932 to Benjamin Saltzman and Gertrude (Schweitzer) Saltzman in a farmhouse near Shickley, Nebraska and passed away on October 1, 2022 in Henderson, Nebraska at the age of

89 years. Don was the 5th child of 9 siblings. Don grew up on the family farm helping with farm duties. He attended rural school, graduating from the Eighth grade.

In his youth, he accepted Christ as his Lord and Savior, was baptized and became a faithful member of Salem Mennonite Church until his death.

Don served his country in alternative service at Denver General Hospital in the bakery department. Since then he has always been a great cook, cooking and serving his family members great tasting foods.

As a young adult, in addition to working on the family farm and livestock, he worked for Lichti Bros Oil Co, working in heating and air conditioning installation. Then in the evening hours he hauled cattle with his GMC cabover. In 1958, he and his brother Roland began trucking livestock and rock with their straight truck. Don also hauled fertilizer. The name Saltzman Bros. was established with three more brothers eventually joining the company. For the next 47 years he spent many hours and approximately 5 million miles on the road. Don trained many drivers, getting them ready for over the road trucking. He was never a stranger to anyone, greeting and speaking kind words to all he met. He was a comedian also, telling a joke or a making a wise crack, bringing laughter and smiles to many people.

A fun time in his life was going with Lawrence Lichti and his 1940 LaSalle Coupe in the Great Race, which began in Washington and ending in New York. He, his brother Roland, Lawrence, and Jerry Krause were on the road for a 2 week excursion in 1998, enjoying many fun experiences along the way.

On September 11, 2011, Don was married to Pat Huebert, Dick. Don and Pat enjoyed nearly 7 years together and attending many of Pat's grandchildren's activities. Pat passed away June 15, 2018. After Pat's death, Don continued

living at Legacy Square in Henderson until his death, October 1, 2022.

Don was preceded in death by his wife Pat, his parents Benjamin and Gertrude Saltzman, brothers Gaylord and Roland Saltzman, sister Ruby and husband Mahlon Kennel, sister Bonnie and husband Don Stutzman, brother-in-law Don Kuhns and nephews Kevin Stutzman, Darreld Stutzman and Brian Saltzman.

Don is survived by his brothers, Darreld and (Rhonda) Saltzman, Aubrey and (Glenda) Saltzman, Gary and (Donna) Saltzman, sisters, Mattie Kuhns, Barbara and (Larry) Eichelberger, sister-in-law, Leona Saltzman, Pat's children Cory and Stacy Dick and Scott and Patrice Gaines, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Cemetery Details

Salem Cemetery

820 Rd V
Shickley, NE 68436

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 4. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Farmer & Son Funeral Home
242 N 10th Street
Geneva, NE 68361
(402) 759-3617
<https://farmerandsonfuneralhome.com>

Family Present for Visitation

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Funeral Service

OCT 5. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service Livestream

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Link: <https://m.youtube.com/channel/UC0KXkUim2-i83xArj6mHCmw>

Tribute Wall



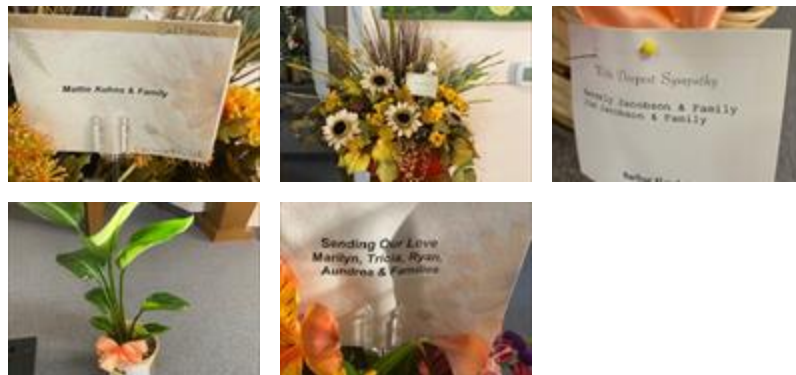
“ Farmer & Son Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald D. Saltzman



Farmer & Son Funeral Home - October 03, 2022 at 09:31 AM



“ 26 files added to the album Flower Arrangements



Farmer & Son Funeral Home - October 05, 2022 at 01:05 PM

JS

“ A very heartwarming service - thankful for live streaming. I have to think Leonard and Don are having a great time visiting and sharing stories!

Jan Steider

Jan Steider - October 05, 2022 at 12:25 PM

RB

“ Rick & Jody Bailey send thoughts & prayers to Don's family. Rick has always said Don taught him how to drive a truck. He was a special man and he will live on in our hearts & memories. We are so sorry we are not able to attend but we will be there in spirit.

Rick & Jody Bailey - October 04, 2022 at 11:09 PM

SS

“ I'll always remember Don as a kind, caring and generous person. I especially enjoyed the time he visited our home in Florida for a few days. He had a great sense of humor and was a joy to have around. He was a good person!

Sharon k Schrock - October 04, 2022 at 10:27 PM

GB

“ G.I. Trailer, Inc. Ed, Tim, Matt & Beth purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Donald D. Saltzman.



G.I. Trailer, Inc. Ed, Tim, Matt & Beth - October 04, 2022 at 12:40 PM

JK

“ Condolences to Don's family. I haven't lived near him for many years, but I remember that he was a fun person to be around. May you that were close to him experience God's peace and comfort.

Joan Kulp - October 03, 2022 at 10:57 AM