



Donald Christopher Downer

December 26, 1929 - February 18, 2008

Donald Christopher Downer age, 78 of Newport passed away Monday, February, 18, 2008. He was a faithful member of the Woodlawn United Methodist Church and was preceded in death by his mother, Ida Kay and his father, two sisters, two brothers and brother in law, Johnny M. Swagerty, mother and father in law, Luther and Adelaide Swagerty.

He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Peggy Downer of Newport, three brothers, one sister, brother in law, Luther Swagerty, Jr, brothers in laws and sisters in laws, Richard Burl and Julia Swagerty of Grand Rapids, MI, Freddie and Nellie Swagerty of Shelbyville, Tn, special niece, Melody Earl of Upper Marlboro, Md and special friends, Renea Hannon and Charles Stewart of Newport and several other nieces nephews and friends.

Funeral service will be 12:00 Saturday, February 23, 2008 at the Manes Funeral Home Chapel with interment in Resthaven Memorial Gardens. Family will receive friends 11:00 till 12:00 Saturday prior to the service.

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Christopher Downer*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Peggy my friend: I was so sorry to read about the death of your beloved Donald. I wish Tn. wasn't so far away because I would love to give you a big hug. My Beau has been in heaven for 9 years (1/17/99) and I know he'll show Donald around. May God bless*

Jessie Bourbeau - February 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers are with you. if you need anything don't hesitate to call. Your Friend, Melinda*

Melinda Wheeler - February 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Donald may you rest in peace. Love, Rose*

Rose Wright - February 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Donald Christopher Downer*

Buster and Sylvia Gray - February 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Donald, I've been missing you for quite sometime and extremely sadden to not be able to give you a big hug like I used to. Donald, I extend a big spiritual hug full of Love from me to you that will hold you tight until I see you again. Love your God Da

Jacqueline Wright - February 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ Peggy, You have my deepest sympathy in the lost of your husband and my friend Donald. I love you. Mary Jennings Hartford Connecticut

Mary Jennings - February 21, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ Donald Christopher Downer

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