



Donald James Turner

October 6, 1923 - December 25, 2013

Donald J. Turner

Age 90, of Braidwood, IL, passed away Wednesday, December 25, 2013 at RML Specialty Hospital in Hinsdale, IL. Born October 6, 1923 in Dwight, IL to the late James and Clara (nee Corrigan) Turner. Donald retired from Uniroyal in Joliet, IL. Veteran of the United States Army Air Forces, having served valiantly on the European fields of battle during WWII. Member of the Immaculate Conception Church and The Knights of Columbus #1574, both in Braidwood.

Surviving are his wife, Isabelle (nee Mulligan), whom he married April 12, 1951 in Braidwood; four children, Dennis (Susan) Turner of Cleveland, TN, Maureen (Frank) Perruca of Braidwood, Timothy (Kimberly) Turner of Chicago, IL, and Kathleen Turner of Naperville, IL; one brother, Kenneth (Joann) Turner of Geneseo, IL; seven grandchildren, Melissa (Brad) Wagner, Megan (Will) Martin, Kelly Stevens, Dylan Turner, Vanessa (Mark) Prinz, Sara (Tony) Heiserman, and Dr. Amanda Marma; seven great grandchildren; brother and sister-in-law, Hugh and Judy Mulligan of Coal City, IL; and numerous nieces and nephews. Preceding him in death was one brother, John Turner; and one sister, Margaret Harper.

Funeral services will be from the R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd. & Crematory, Braidwood Chapel, Tuesday, December 31, 2013 at 10:30 a.m. to

the Immaculate Conception Church for Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Steve Bondi will officiate. Interment with military honors will be at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood, IL. The visitation will also be Tuesday, from 9-10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts in his name may be directed to the National MS Society or the Donor's Choice. For more information and to sign his online guestbook, please log onto www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com.

R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd.

401 E. Main St., Braidwood, 815-458-2336

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Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 W. Hoff Rd.
Elwood, IL 60421

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **31**. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

R.W. Patterson Funeral Home
401 East Main St.
Braidwood, IL 60408
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Service

DEC **31**. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (CT)

Immaculate Conception Church
110 South School Street
Braidwood, IL 60408

Tribute Wall

BW

“ I never met Mr. Turner, but my father and uncle worked for him at the arsenal. They really liked Mr. Turner and they both appreciated and respected him. I am the youngest son of Bill Weaver who lives in Arizona. My father asked me to sent his condolences to the Turner family.

Bob Weaver - Florida

Bob Weaver - January 04, 2014 at 07:55 AM

EV

“ Our deepest sympathy to the family. You are in our thoughts and prayers now and in the days to come.

Ernie and Barbara (Weidner) Viano

Ernie & Barbara Viano - January 03, 2014 at 10:58 AM



BB

“ My deepest sympathy to you and your family. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Betsy Beauchamp

Betsy Beauchamp - January 02, 2014 at 08:59 AM



 Dawn
Martel

“ *To the Turner Family,
Please accept my condolences on the loss of Donald James Turner,
beloved father, grandfather, brother, husband, and uncle. You are in
my thoughts and prayers.
Sincerely,
Dawn Martel*

Dawn Martel - January 02, 2014 at 08:42 AM

JT

“ *Dennis, Sue, and Family:*

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you during these difficult times.
May be the Lord's gentle touch be with you in the coming weeks
and months and may he provide you with love and guidance in the
days ahead.*

Joel, Christy and Emma Trevino

Joel Trevino - December 31, 2013 at 05:51 PM

SE

“ *We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to the entire family. Our
thoughts & prayers are with you.
Chris, Sheree, Brian & Courtney Earley*

Sheree Earley - December 30, 2013 at 07:59 PM

CR

“ *To Dennis And Sue:
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
Curt and Nancy Richards*

Curt and Nancy Richards - December 30, 2013 at 11:01 AM

SC

“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



Susan Conn - December 29, 2013 at 02:24 PM

SM

“ *God Bless ALL of my cousins and your families and we are so sorry for your loss. He was a great man and now he is with my mother father and brother. Love You ALL very much!*



Susan Cobb and Motta's - December 29, 2013 at 02:18 PM

LM

“ *Kathleen,
We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during these difficult times.
Lori, Chip, Bob & Scott McAleavy*

Lori McAleavy - December 29, 2013 at 12:19 PM

DW

“ *Maureen, Frank, Vanessa, Sara, Mandy, Kathleen,
There's an Irish Proverb which states, "Death leaves a heartache no
one can heal;
Love leaves a memory no one can steal." At age 90, your father,
(grandfather) left you with wonderful, heartfelt memories &
therefore, will be always with you as he is so much a part of you and
within you. Dave says he will truly miss knocking on the front door
and getting a warm welcome and smile from Don. He so enjoyed
sitting and talking with him.
We can't help but remember him with a smile. God bless, Dave and
Diane*

Diane Wisniewski - December 27, 2013 at 06:23 PM

JT

“ *Dennis, Sue & Family...We are very sorry for your loss. May your
memories and the love of family and friends carry you through this
difficult time. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Jerry, Fran & Tiffany Tutor - December 27, 2013 at 05:29 PM

DK

“ *Dear Maureen, Frank, girls, and Kathleen,
We want to extend our sympathy to you all on the passing of your
Dad and Grandpa. May he always be remembered in your heart in
the form of wonderful memories. God bless you all.
Jim and Debbie Krugler*

Debbie Krugler - December 27, 2013 at 09:56 AM