



Donald C. Diers

February 16, 1929 - September 19, 2017

Donald C. Diers, 88, of Grand Island passed away on Tuesday, September 19, 2017.

Memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Monday at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. Rev. Dr. Robert M. Lewis will officiate. All Faiths Funeral Home is entrusted with arrangements.

Donald was born February 16, 1929 in Fremont, NE, the son of Walter and Philomena (Rump) Diers. He grew up on the family farm in Fremont and graduated from Fremont Senior High School. Donald then furthered his education at Midland College and the University of NE Lincoln.

He enlisted in the United States Army on November 1950, serving during the Korean War, and was honorably discharged November, 1952. On November 29, 1952, Donald was united in marriage to Virginia L. Johnson. They made their home and raised their family in Grand Island. Donald owned and operated Diers Motor Company.

Donald was a member of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church and a 50-year member of the Grand Island Rotary Club. He served on the boards of directors at Lutheran Memorial Hospital, Boy Scouts of America, YMCA, Grand Island Chamber of Commerce, and was past president of Nebraska New Car Dealer Association. He was also a Shriner.

He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Virginia; two sons, Donald Jr. "Chuck" (Cassandra) Diers of Wichita, KS and Matthew Diers of Vail, CO; brother, Charles (Mary Lou) Diers of Fremont; sister, Joan (Jim) Lee of Deforest, WI;

two grandchildren, Justin (Ginger) Diers and Nathan (Amber) Diers; and three great-grandchildren, Brooke, Nathan Jr. and Spencer.

He was preceded in death by both parents; brothers, Dale and Paul; and brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Robert and Wanda Lambourn.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to St. Stephen's Episcopal Church.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP **25**. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Stephens Episcopal Church
422 West 2nd St.
Grand Island, NE

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald C. Diers*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. You were both so important to my parents (F.A. and Helen Clark) for many many years. My thoughts are with you. Kathleen Clark Jackson*

Kathleen Clark Jackson - September 24, 2017 at 05:48 PM



“ *Condolences sent from Randall Roenfeldt and I. We are so very sorry for your loss.*

Mary McDonald and Randall Roenfeldt - September 21, 2017 at 07:56 PM



Our sympathy, thoughts and prayers are with you, Matt.

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