



Donald John Maus

December 29, 1956 - December 25, 2019

Donald "Don" Maus entered eternal life on December 25, 2019. His spirit will be carried on by his husband, Joe Welsh, his brothers Tim, Dan, and Dave, his sisters, Cindy, Paula, and Diane, his many nieces and nephews, and countless friends and loved ones. Don has been reconnected eternally with his mother and father, Bill and Pat Maus, his brother Tom, his sister Mary Pat, and his many furry friends which he had rescued and provided endless love to over the years. He received his BA from Gannon University and his Masters in Social Work at The University of Pittsburgh. He 'carried on' and worked at the VA Hospital as a social worker for many years retiring just last year. Don was an extremely passionate and generous person filled with immeasurable kindness. He put immense love into everything he did from cooking and creating beautiful art to using his green thumb in the garden, traveling, and supporting those he loved with his encouragement and time. The greatest gift he gave to everyone was his presence of his being because he has an irreplaceable soul, and he will be incredibly missed by all he touched throughout his life. There will be no formal viewing or service at this time. Please make any donations to any animal rescue of your choice or Pressley Ridge children's foster and community based services <<https://www.pressleyridge.org/>> .

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald John Maus*

October 09, 2023 at 09:55 AM



“ *Donald John Maus*

October 06, 2023 at 11:36 AM



“ *While searching for Joey's phone number I found this. My heart breaks for those whose lives you touched. When I last saw you, you and Joey gleamed of love and ease. It was summer and I remember the joy that you both took in the blooms that surrounded your home. I am certain that you left many with broken hearts. I send my thoughts and prayers to you all. With love. Dot*

Dot DeAngelo - July 20, 2023 at 08:33 AM



“ *I worked with Don at larche Erie and he was always so kind and gentle. Prayers for his husband and family. Rev Mark Debrizzi*

Reverend Mark Debrizzi - July 04, 2023 at 03:02 PM



“ *I worked with Donald while at L'Arche Erie, Pennsylvania. He was always very kind to me and always greeted every day with a smile. God bless his family with peace as they continue to grieve this great loss; especially his husband/*

REVEREND MARK DEBRIZZI - December 04, 2022 at 08:29 AM

DM

“ Don, my heart is broken. I just don't know the words. You were such a vital part of our family. You made Joe so happy, so perfect for each other. Things will never be the same. I know, we need to 'carry on'. I love you so

Diane Maus - January 03, 2020 at 12:52 AM

DM

“ I will miss you, Don. You made all of us very proud, and Mom and Dad would have been very pleased. You made a great impact on the world and cared for our veterans. I wish we'd have spent more time together. I bet the gardens in heaven are already blossoming...

Dave Maus - January 02, 2020 at 11:17 AM

FK

“ Dear Tim,

You may remember me as your freshman religion teacher at Cathedral Prep.

I extend to you and your family my prayerful condolences on the death of your brother, Don. He died on Christmas, a day of great joy, but a day of great sorrow for all of you. May our Catholic Faith console you; the Christ Child born on that day came to offer us re-birth to an eternal life. Your brother almost made it to another birthday and a New Year, but we believe in something even better. May God reward him for all his kindness and service to veterans over the years.

Fr. Dan Kresinski

Fr. Dan Kresinski - December 29, 2019 at 11:13 AM

TE

“ *Terri lit a candle in memory of Donald John Maus*



Terri - December 29, 2019 at 07:58 AM