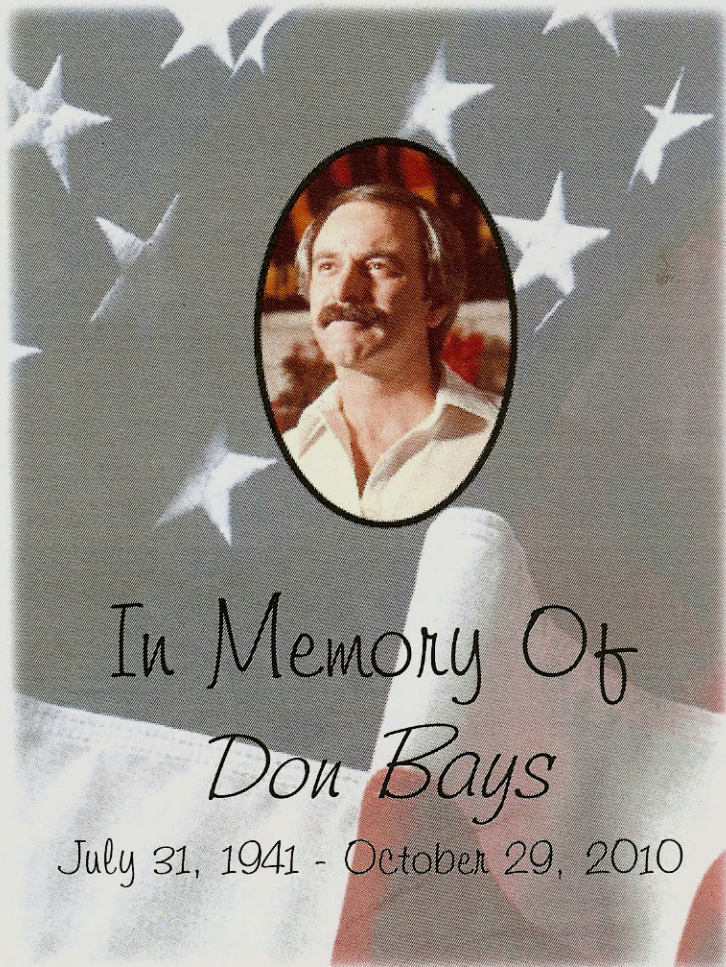


APPRECIATION

On behalf of Don's family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many kindnesses evidenced in thought and deed, and for your attendance at the funeral service.



Donald George Bays, age 69, formerly of Kimberling City, Missouri, passed away Friday, October 29, 2010 at Missouri Veterans Home in Mt. Vernon.

Don was born July 31, 1941, at Lamar, to George and Lela (Wright) Bays. He graduated from Lamar High School in 1959 and attended SMS in Springfield. Don served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War and was a member of Kimberling City V.F.W. Before a brain aneurysm left him disabled in 1991, Don had managed the shoe department at Dillards in Springfield for many years.

Survivors include his brother and sister-in-law, Bob & Ann Bays of Jasper, Missouri; two sisters, Linda Bays of Mt. Vernon and Donna Joan & husband Rex McMillan of Carthage, Missouri; two nephews, Dale and Dan Bays; a niece, Sharon Elliott; and several great-nephews and great-nieces.

IN MEMORY OF

**Don Bays**

July 31, 1941 ~ October 29, 2010

**FUNERAL SERVICE**

1:00 p.m. Tuesday  
November 2, 2010  
Daniel Funeral Home

**OFFICIATING**

Rev. Gerald Powley

**MINISTRY OF MUSIC**

Recorded  
Patriotic Selection

**PALLBEARERS**

Missouri Juliet Honors Team

**AT REST**

Memory Gardens Cemetery

**MILITARY HONORS**

Missouri Juliet Honors Team  
Lockwood VFW