



Mr. Donald Edgar Coakley Sr.

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Mr. Donald Edgar Coakley Sr. passed away Tuesday morning, February 1, 2022 at the age of 82. His long fought battle with illness showed his determination and stubborn streak that was well known. Despite the pain, Don continued to enjoy farming until the end.

He was a United States Army veteran. He retired as Major after thirty-seven years of service with the Newport Police Department.

He was preceded in death by his parents Kyle and Agnes Coakley; brothers Max, Holland, William (Bill), Neil, Jerry, Glen and Jeff Coakley and nephews Roger Coakley, David Coakley and Tim Coakley.

Don is survived by wife Anna Sue Barnes Coakley of Newport; children Donna Sue Jones (James) of Greenville, South Carolina and Donald Edgar Coakley Jr. of Newport, and he was a proud grandfather to his beloved granddaughter Ella Jones of Greenville, South Carolina. She was his pride and joy; special brother-in-law Billy Barnes. Additional survivors include many great nieces and nephews.

Family and friends will meet at 12:45 p.m. Saturday, February 5, 2022 at Union Cemetery for the 1:00 p.m. graveside service with Rev. Fred Cagle officiating. Military honors will be provided by Newport American Legion, Post # 41.

In consideration of the health and safety of all those attending the service, Costner-Maloy strongly encourages that all CDC guidelines be followed, including the use of face masks.



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Funeral arrangements entrusted to Costner-Maloy.



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CB

Crystal Black posted:

Sue,\r\nI am very sorry for your loss, and I have you and your family in my thoughts and prayers. May God comfort you during this difficult time.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

RF

Ray Fancher posted:

Sorry for your loss. Don was a fair, but firm officer.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

BD

Bud & Linda Dawson posted:

SINCERE SYMPATHY\r\n\r\n\r\nBud & Linda Dawson

September 23 at 12:07 PM

JS

Jerry & Arzella (Mantooth) Shelton posted:

So sorry for your loss

September 23 at 12:07 PM

GM

Glenda G Mcsween posted:

What a loss for our family. We rest assured that he's in heaven and now at ease. He will be missed and remembered by many.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

SC

Skip And Sheryl Clevenger posted:

So sorry for your loss.

September 23 at 12:07 PM



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EW

Eutha Welch posted:

This message is from Eutha Welch of Chestnut Hill:\r\n\r\nMy prayers and thoughts are with all the family who loved Don so much. May God's presence give you comfort at this very difficult time.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

DK

Debra Robin Keller posted:

Aunt Sue I'm so sorry for your loss and Donnie an Donna Sue . You all are in my prayers I love you all very much ...

September 23 at 12:07 PM

CR

Craig Ramsey posted:

So sorry for your loss. I enjoyed working with Don for many years. Sincere sympathy during this difficult time.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

BL

Bill & Charlotte Leibrock posted:

We send love & sympathy to all the family. Sue, we remember that you & Don provided Mac with a home away from home and the best place to play when the our boys were little. It's a dear memory.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

SD

Sherrie Dillard posted:

Deepest sympathy for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers

September 23 at 12:07 PM

LJ

Louise & Jimmy Hux posted:

Prayers,!

September 23 at 12:07 PM



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JS

J. Maurice Shukts posted:

You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Romans 8:28.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

SB

Susan Ball posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. I enjoyed working with Don. Your family will continue to be in my thoughts and prayers in the coming days. May the Lord give you comfort in this difficult time.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

JR

June Holt Russell posted:

In loving memory of a terrific guy

September 23 at 12:07 PM

KW

Kathy Cody Williams posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. You all are in my prayers.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

MA

Marian Anderson posted:

Sorry for your loss

September 23 at 12:07 PM

RF

Ronnie Landers Family posted:

Our Deepest Sympathy to All

September 23 at 12:07 PM

TM

Tom Mcdonald posted:

Don was a real Gentleman and a professional Police Officer. It was an honor to know him.\r\nMy condolences to his Family and may he rest in peace.

September 23 at 12:07 PM



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IN

Ina Norris posted:

My condolences and prayers are with you.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

TS

Teresa Stephenson posted:

Donald I am so sorry for the loss of your dad. You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

September 23 at 12:07 PM

JF

J.C. And Marilyn Pack & Family posted:

Deepest sympathy from J.C. and Marilyn Pack & Family

September 23 at 12:07 PM

JW

Janyce Westerman posted:

I send my deepest sympathy to Donnie's family. I went to school with him and knew his family most of my life. He was in my sister Sandy's class at Parrottsville and was one of her closest friends. They stayed in contact over the years. My father, Ted Winter, was Donnie's principal, coach and teacher. Donnie was one of his favorite students and ball players. (Donnie never tied his tennis shoes.) Everyone loved Donnie because he was so kind and helpful—a special person, who showed how much he cared. He was well loved and will be missed. Prayers and love, Janyce Westerman

September 23 at 12:07 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Donald by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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