



## Donald L. Cramer

August 30, 1938 - August 12, 2022

Donald L. Cramer, 83, of Napoleon, Ohio passed away on Friday, August 12, 2022. He was born in Napoleon on August 30, 1938 to Donald and Bernadine (Bost) Cramer. Don married Janice Ward on June 11, 1960 at St. Augustine Catholic Church, Napoleon.

Don proudly served his country in the US Navy. He then worked as a Chief Electrical Engineer for Automatic Feed Company for over 41 years. Don loved what he did and even continued working on electrical control panels and other projects well after he retired. He loved to listen to the NASCAR races while he grilled chicken for the family, often grilling more than anyone could eat. He also enjoyed following the Ohio State Buckeyes and relaxing at Big Turkey Lake. Don was a member of the American Legion Post 300 and the Elks Lodge # 929. His greatest joy was spending time with his family and spoiling his dogs.

Don is survived by his wife of 62 years, Janice; children, Jody (Brad) West, Michael (Denine) Cramer, and Matthew (Jessica) Cramer; grandchildren, Tyson (Katie Augsbuger) West, Cory West, Brandon (Danielle) Cramer, Chad (Chantelle) Cramer, Kylie Cramer, and Caiden Cramer; great grandchildren, Vivian, Everleigh, and Adalyn Cramer; siblings, Kenneth (Cindy) Cramer, Robert (Carolyn) Cramer, Tony Cramer, Steve (Betty) Cramer, and Roger Cramer; and brother-in-law, Bill Ohus. In addition to his parents, he was

preceded in death by his stepmother, Tanis (Bost) Cramer; siblings, Jim Cramer, Tom Cramer, Sherry Ohus, and Linda (Tom) Taylor.

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at St. Augustine Catholic Church on Tuesday, August 30, 2022 at 10:30 AM with military honors preformed by the American Legion Post #300 immediately after services. Interment will take place at Riverview Memory Gardens at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Henry County Humane Society or the Henry County Dog Shelter. Online condolences and messages may be shared with the family at [rodenbergergray.com](http://rodenbergergray.com). Arrangements entrusted to Rodenberger-Gray Funeral Home, Napoleon.

# Tribute Wall

JS

“ Please accept our sincere condolences on Don’s passing. May God bring you comfort and grant Don eternal rest.  
*Jan and John Stover*

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**Jan Stover** - August 29, 2022 at 09:09 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald L. Cramer.*



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August 29, 2022 at 10:47 AM

LC

“ *Love Doug and Jenny Cramer purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Donald L. Cramer.*



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**Love Doug and Jenny Cramer** - August 25, 2022 at 07:32 PM

RP

“ I had the pleasure to work with Don for many years. We immediately became good friends -- many great experiences and certainly some of the best moments of my life. I learned a lot from Don. He was tough on me a few times (usually when we were late with shipments), but it always ended with that signature smile and a pat on the back. It doesn't get any better than that. He was the best -- there's no match. My condolences to the family. Best wishes to you all.

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**Ron Peterson** - August 25, 2022 at 11:51 AM

AG

“ So very sorry for your loss. My prayers go out to you Janice and the whole family! Ann & Gene Grime

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**Ann R Grime** - August 18, 2022 at 08:45 AM



“ So Sorry for your loss. Just to know all the Harper's hearts and prayers are with you Janice and your family. ❤️

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**Barb Butler** - August 17, 2022 at 04:46 PM

SV

“ Janice & family, so so sorry to hear of your loss. May God sustain you in your grief. It's a different journey for you now & God will be there to walk with you! ❤️

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**Sandy Vocke** - August 17, 2022 at 10:29 AM

JD

“ Oh Janice and family, you have my sympathy and prayers. I know how difficult this is for you and what all you will have to do in the weeks and months to come. I will be thinking about you.

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**Judy Dickmann** - August 17, 2022 at 08:59 AM

DL

“ *Janice and family, Thoughts and prayers are with you all, So sorry for your loss. Love Dave and Deb Leavell and family*



Deb Leavell - August 16, 2022 at 11:00 AM

JS

“ *So sorry for your loss. May he be at peace. Jan and John Stover*

jan stover - August 16, 2022 at 08:27 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donald L. Cramer.*



August 15, 2022 at 07:53 PM

GS

“ *Gail Sloan lit a candle in memory of Donald L. Cramer*



Gail Sloan - August 15, 2022 at 05:54 PM

PT

“ *Janice and family so sorry to hear of your loss. May you be protected by God's hands, watched over by his eyes and surrounded with His love during this difficult time.* ”



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**Pam Thomas** - August 15, 2022 at 02:41 PM

JS

“ *My deepest sympathy to you Janice and family!* ”



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**Jean Schlueter** - August 15, 2022 at 11:43 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Donald L. Cramer.* ”



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August 14, 2022 at 07:27 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donald L. Cramer.* ”



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August 14, 2022 at 05:18 PM

TC

“ *Janice Jody Mike and Matt my deepest condolences for your loss Donnie was a good man and brother I will miss him Take care Tony*

**Tony Cramer** - August 14, 2022 at 05:04 PM

JC

*So very sorry for the loss of Don. Sympathy to Janice and Family. May he have Eternal life with the Lord.*

**judi cotter** - August 17, 2022 at 11:44 AM

MJ

*So sorry to hear about Don ., praying for all of you ,Marty Jackson*

**martin jackson** - August 17, 2022 at 05:56 PM

RW

*He will be missed. Done so much for Automatic feed Rollin*

**Rollin Wanemacher** - August 19, 2022 at 11:47 PM

DB

*so sorry you and don were great frinds of mine dave&carolyn bost*

**dave bost** - August 24, 2022 at 06:39 PM