



Donnie Edwin Lindsey

March 30, 1941 - August 9, 2020

Donnie “Don” Edwin Lindsey, age 79, of Newnan passed away August 9, 2020. Don was born in Blakely, GA on March 30, 1941 to the late John and Mary Lindsey. He graduated from Coffee County High in Douglas and went on to complete his engineering degree from Georgia Tech.

Don was a Vietnam Veteran, having served in the 510th Engineer Company of the Army which was tasked with building an airport runway on the beach in Cam Rahn Bay. Upon his return home, Don began his career in earnest at a mechanical engineering firm in Atlanta. He enjoyed a forty-five year long career spent working on a multitude of complex construction projects, including expansions at the Atlanta and Chicago airports and Disney World.

Don enjoyed sports of all kinds all of his life. He played basketball in high school for the Douglas Comets, and in his later years he became an avid golfer, traveling to courses near and far. He also enjoyed traveling with his wife and friends, and spending quality time at the beach with family.

Don is preceded in death by his wife, Carol Lindsey. He is survived by his: daughter, Donna Lindsey; sister, Carol Peeples; brother-in-law, Royce Peeples; niece, Lindsey Peeples; and nephew, Justin Peeples.

The family will receive friends at McKoon Funeral Home, 38 Jackson Street,

on Saturday, August 15, 2020 from 11:00 am until 1:00 pm. During this time, all social distancing guidelines will be followed.

Condolences may be expressed at www.mckoon.com.

In lieu of flowers a donation can be made to Saint Jude's Children's Hospital.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory | 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com
<http://www.mckoon.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **15**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *My Uncle Don was an all around great person. I will always remember the day he drove me all around Atlanta looking for a very specific golf club I wanted. We must have hit every golf store and driving range in the area. When we finally found it he took me to play 18 holes to try it out. I also remember trips to the beach with him and Aunt Carol. He could always make me laugh. Im thankful my wife and daughter got to know him too over the last few years. He was loved by his family will be missed.*

Justin Peebles - August 14, 2020 at 12:24 AM

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“ *The Brothers of Palestine Lodge No. 486 send our deepest condolences to the family and friends of Worshipful Brother Donnie Lindsey, and will be praying for peace and comfort during this time.*

*Kaleb Frady, PM
Secretary, Palestine Lodge No. 486*

Kaleb - August 12, 2020 at 09:55 AM

JC

don and i were close at one time, he was best man in my wedding 42 years ago. he was a good friend.

jim s thomas, jstomas co. - August 12, 2020 at 04:58 PM

DS

Don was an honest hard working man. We worked together many years and I am grateful for the opportunity to get to know him. I am honored to call him my friend.

Doug Suddeth, Player and Company

doug suddeth - August 13, 2020 at 08:53 AM

HR

Don was a very special person. We were high school classmates and I will always cherish the memories we shared together when we were young. He reached high to make basketball goals and continued to do so through out his life.

Helen Regnery - August 14, 2020 at 10:20 AM