



Donald Paul Wenzel

December 13, 1942 - April 3, 2021

Don Wenzel, 78, of Needville, a long-time business owner and philanthropist in Fort Bend County, passed away on April 3, 2021.

Don was the founder and owner of Uticon, Inc., a general contracting business in Rosenberg, for more than 30 years. His red company trucks donning a white stripe became a staple around town for decades. He was a former board member of the George Foundation, Needville Harvest Festival and Needville High School Scholarship Fund. Don was a proud, long-time supporter of the Rosenberg Railroad Museum, the Fort Bend County Fair and Rodeo, Sacred Heart Catholic Church and St. Michael's Catholic Church, where he was a member, along with many other projects to give back to Fort Bend communities. He received the Lifetime Achievement Award from the Needville Chamber in 2018 and was honored by the railroad museum in 2004 for his philanthropic contributions.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Casper and Judith Wenzel, his first wife Elizabeth, and second wife Sandy. He is survived by his wife Lorrell; daughter Angie Davlin and husband Terry, of Burnet; son Dustin Wenzel and wife Kerri, of Spring, brother Casper Wenzel and wife Emily, of Corpus Christi; brother George Wenzel and wife Bobbe, of Victoria; sister Genevieve of Tuscaloosa, Alabama; and sister Deborah and husband Frank, of Schulenberg. He leaves behind two grandchildren, Elizabeth and Cooper. He is also survived by his stepson Lane Teykl, his wife Gina and their three children, and stepdaughters Kristie Warr and Kori Sury from his second

marriage, along with their spouses and children.

Visitation will be held on Friday, April 9 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at St. Michael's Catholic Church, 9214 Main Street in Needville, with a rosary to follow at 1:30 p.m. A funeral mass will be held at 2 p.m. at the church, with burial services following at Davis-Greenlawn, 3900 BF Terry Blvd. in Rosenberg. . In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Needville Harvest Festival, Inc., P.O. Box 1101, Needville, Texas 77461, the George Foundation, or St. Michael's Catholic Church.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Memorial Park

3900 B.F. Terry Blvd.
Rosenberg, TX 77471

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 9. 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM (CT)

St. Michael's Catholic Church
9214 Main
Needville, TX 77461

Rosary

APR 9. 1:30 PM (CT)

St. Michael's Catholic Church
9214 Main
Needville, TX 77461

Service

APR 9. 2:00 PM (CT)

St. Michael's Catholic Church
9214 Main
Needville, TX 77461

Tribute Wall



“ *Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald Paul Wenzel*



Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries - April 07, 2021 at 10:40 AM

CM

Well documented video. The life well lived of a quiet country boy, Don Wenzel who accomplished much in his life time.

Carol Moore

Carol Moore - April 09, 2021 at 02:40 PM

LS

“ *All we have are memories such as state basketball in 1961. We'll miss you friend.*

Les

les beyer sr - April 09, 2021 at 10:43 AM

CM

“ *Our sincere sympathy to Lorrell and family. Don's passing is a great loss to the community and his family. May his family be comforted knowing what a great person he was. May the good Lord bless him for all his good deeds on earth. May he rest in eternal peace. God bless his family.*

Carol & John Moore - April 08, 2021 at 08:07 PM

DA

“ *My Daddy, Daniel Zahradnik Sr, worked at Uticon for Don years ago. I remember how kind he was to our family after my father passed away over 18 years ago. Don was a kind man.
Denise Abbott(Daniel's oldest daughter)*

Denise Abbott - April 08, 2021 at 09:43 AM

GZ

“ *Lorrell & family,*

I'm so sorry to hear of Don's passing, he'll be missed by many! My condolences and prayers for you all! Sincere sympathy, Gloria Zacek



Gloria Zacek - April 07, 2021 at 09:31 PM

DS

“ *Condolences to the Wenzel family from the Sinclair's. Good man employed many people and kept food on many tables. God bless.*

Dale Sinclair - April 07, 2021 at 04:59 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Donald Paul Wenzel.*



April 06, 2021 at 07:37 PM

AH

“ Sorry for you loss Lorrell and family. Our prayers are with you at this time. Alice and Harry Hughes

Alice Hughes - April 05, 2021 at 10:07 PM

DC

Lorrell,
Don was most generous to open his ranch to us and he ALWAYS made us feel welcomed . I really liked and respected Don . I know you will miss him so much as will WE all .
A very nice man whom accomplished SO much in his life .
Love . David

David Clark - April 06, 2021 at 12:49 PM

BJ

Lorrell,
I'm sorry for your loss. My prayers and love are with you and the family.

Bernadette Janicek - April 06, 2021 at 12:56 PM

GH

So sorry to hear of Donnie's passing Lorrell. Our thoughts and prayers to you and your family. He will be missed by the people in Needville.

Gary& Joyce Hurta

Gary&Joyce Hurta - April 07, 2021 at 07:13 AM

DB

Lorrell,
We express our sincere sympathy to you and the family. He will be missed by so many.
Keith and Diana Beck

Diana Beck - April 09, 2021 at 05:35 PM