



Donald J. Oomens

December 27, 1937 - April 14, 2026

Donald J. Oomens, 88, of Huntley, formally of Chicago, passed away peacefully in his sleep on Tuesday April 14, 2026.

Don was an active longtime member of St. Charles Borromeo Church and a member of the Knights of Columbus Council 13034.

He is survived by all of his 17 children, 25 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and 1 great- great grandchild, his sister, and many nieces, and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents; and his wife, Rita on January 9, 2011. The Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at 11 am Tuesday, April 21, at St Charles Borromeo Catholic Church, 297 E Jefferson St, Hampshire. Private burial will be held at St Borromeo Cemetery. Visitation will be held at St. Charles Borromeo Church from 4-8pm on Monday, April 20. In lieu of flowers, memorials in his name may be directed to St. Charles Borromeo Church.

Cemetery Details

St. Charles Borromeo Cemetery

Getzelman Road
Hampshire, IL 60140

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 20. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church
297 E. Jefferson Ave.
Hampshire, IL 60140

Wake Service

APR 20. 7:30 PM (CT)

St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church
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Hampshire, IL 60140

Mass of Christian Burial

APR 21. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Eighteen years of knowing you Dad Don (Father-in-law) will always matter to me. You were family, and that never changes. I'm grateful for the time and vast, beautiful memories we shared. Rest peacefully. Love always. ❤️🙏



Kelly Oomens - April 22 at 12:56 AM

JT

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Although I never had the chance to meet Don, Tom has shared such meaningful memories of him, and it's clear he was a truly special person.



Sending our deepest condolences to you and your family during this difficult time. Love Jessica and Amanda ❤️

Jessica Torres - April 20 at 08:26 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donald J. Oomens.*



April 20 at 11:05 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Donald J. Oomens.*



April 20 at 10:32 AM



“ *Lauren & CJ, Todd & Catherine Oomens purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Donald J. Oomens.*



Lauren & CJ, Todd & Catherine Oomens - April 20 at 09:19 AM



“ *Lisa, Matthew, Kevin, Stefan Carter purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Donald J. Oomens.*



Lisa, Matthew, Kevin, Stefan Carter - April 20 at 09:05 AM

LC

“ Lisa, Matthew, Kevin, Stefan Carter planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald J. Oomens.

Lisa, Matthew, Kevin, Stefan Carter - April 20 at 09:05 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Donald J. Oomens.



April 19 at 11:36 PM

SD

“ To have a wonderful Father in Law, is to have Don be that man. He was a Very special person who was very close to my heart. He had so much inspiration and wisdom that he shared so freely. A man of God who never wavered. He will always be my FIL and forever loved. Don, may you rest peacefully in the arms of our Lord.

Sharon DeCianni - April 19 at 08:02 PM

SN

“ Sharon & Tony DeCianni, Bryan & Nick planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald J. Oomens.

Sharon & Tony DeCianni, Bryan & Nick - April 19 at 07:57 PM

SN

“ Sharon & Tony DeCianni, Bryan & Nick purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Donald J. Oomens.



Sharon & Tony DeCianni, Bryan & Nick - April 19 at 07:57 PM

KF

“ Kathie Flosi and Family purchased the Beautiful i n Blue for the family of Donald J. Oomens.



Kathie Flosi and Family - April 19 at 07:52 PM

KF

“ Kathie Flosi and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald J. Oomens.

Kathie Flosi and Family - April 19 at 07:52 PM

TX

“ Tobin Family xoxo purchased the Crystal Cross B ouquet for the family of Donald J. Oomens.



Tobin Family xoxo - April 17 at 04:12 PM

KL

“ I served with Don for several years while I was a member of the Knights. I can say he was a mentor. Don, may God smile upon you.

Ken Labuda - April 17 at 01:10 PM

AH

“ Don was always very kind to me, and I greatly appreciated his gifts of various rhubarb jams and spreads from his garden. Always a pleasure to run into him at various church and diocesan events, even if only for a quick hello. Amanda Hudson

Amanda Hudson - April 17 at 10:57 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Donald J. Oomens.

April 17 at 10:52 AM



“ Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald J. Oomens.



April 17 at 10:52 AM

JT

“ I have very early memories of Don and his family coming to our farm in Wisconsin many summers for relaxation in the woods, swimming, camping, bonfires and games. I remember the many years of his Boy Scout leadership and popcorn sales, various cruises (in fact I learned from Don that one could order multiple dinners, deserts, etc. ;) as long as we cleaned our plates), and visits to Phoenix & Palm Desert. I'm thankful he can finally go to his eternal rest with his beloved wife Rita and many others who have preceded him in Christ.

Jenny Tobin - April 16 at 10:07 PM

DG

“ Prayers and condolences from Dolores Tasch and Herman and Donna Gnuechtel. Eternal rest grant unto him!

Donna Gnuechtel - April 16 at 06:18 PM