



## Donald R. "Don" Wallenfelsz Sr.

May 3, 1936 - March 13, 2022

Donald R. "Don" Wallenfelsz Sr., age 85 of Mentor passed away Sunday, March 13, 2022 at Maple Ridge Senior Living with his family by his side. He was born May 3, 1936 in Cleveland, OH.

Don was a graduate of Mentor High School, Class of 1955. He was a veteran of the US Marine Reserves. Out of High School Don was employed by the Addressograph Multigraph Corp. in Euclid until 1982 and finished his career at Feedall Automation (Willoughby) as an Inventory Control Manager. As a side hustle that started in High School for countless years, Don was passionate of auto body repair and restoration in which he exercised his considerable skills and was no doubt a perfectionist. Don also enjoyed model building, coin and stamp collecting.

His greatest satisfaction came from his grandchildren growing up and his involvement with all their activities. He will certainly be remembered for his sense of humor and willingness to always offer a helping hand.

Surviving Donald are his children: Joyce "Joy Ann" Maikut, Jackie (Patrick) Smith and Donald R. (Karen) Wallenfelsz Jr.; grandchildren: Charles "Chuck" (Carley) Bolden III, Joann Maikut, Emily, Andrew and Megan Smith, Kelly (Dan) Humphrey and Donald R. Wallenfelsz III and great-grandchildren: Charles Bolden IV and Theodore Ross Humphrey.

Preceding Donald in death are his wife of 33 years: Joan Wallenfelsz, parents: Otto and Margaret Wallenfelsz and sisters: Dorothy Lee Barner and Mary Margaret "Marge" Wilson.

The family will receive friends 5:00 – 8:00 pm Thursday, March 17, 2022 at Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060.

The funeral service will be 10:00 am Friday, March 18, 2022 at the funeral home.

Interment will be in Mentor Cemetery, Mentor, OH.

The family is requesting contributions may be made to Hospice of the Western Reserve, P.O. Box 72101, Cleveland 44192, donate online at [www.hospicewr.org](http://www.hospicewr.org)

Send flowers and offer condolences at [www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Mentor Cemetery

6881 Hopkins Rd.  
Mentor, OH 44060  
(440) 974-5733

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 17. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center  
8466 Mentor Avenue  
Mentor, OH 44060  
(440) 255-3401  
ajs@brunners.com  
<https://www.brunners.com/>

## Funeral Service

MAR 18. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Donald R. "Don" Wallenfelsz Sr..*



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March 17, 2022 at 08:57 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Donald R. "Don" Wallenfelsz Sr..*



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March 16, 2022 at 01:28 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Donald R. "Don" Wallenfelsz Sr..*



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March 16, 2022 at 08:21 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Donald R. "Don" Wallenfelsz Sr..*



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March 15, 2022 at 05:42 PM



“ *Tender Tribute* was purchased for the family of Donald R. "Don" Wallenfelsz Sr..



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March 15, 2022 at 12:37 PM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Donald R. "Don" Wallenfelsz Sr..



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March 15, 2022 at 11:47 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Donald R. "Don" Wallenfelsz Sr..



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March 15, 2022 at 11:13 AM