



Robert J. McDonald Sr

February 5, 1928 - April 12, 2015

Robert J. McDonald Sr., age 87, of Mentor for the past 20 years, formerly of Painesville and Leroy, died Sunday April 12, 2015 at home surrounded by his family. He was born Feb. 5, 1928 in Painesville.

Robert worked at the former Diamond Shamrock in Fairport Harbor for 27 years and was a Realtor in the Lake County Area for the past 55 years.

Robert was a member of St. Mary of the Assumption Church, Mentor and a former member of St. Mary Church, Painesville. He was a graduate of Harvey High School class of 1947. He enjoyed gardening and fishing. He was an avid Ohio State Buckeye fan. He was a US Army Veteran and a member of Fairport VFW.

Survivors include his wife of 62 years, Dorothy H. Sewell McDonald; children, Robert (Sandy) McDonald Jr. of Painesville, Kathy (Bob) Roberti of Painesville, David McDonald of Mentor and Richard (Cathy Matthews) McDonald of Painesville; six grandchildren, Jeffrey McDonald, Kaitlin (Nick) Wilson, Bobby Roberti, Ashley Roberti, Kristen (Steve) Borelli and Ryan McDonald; and a great-granddaughter, Avery McDonald. Preceding Robert in death were his son, Don McDonald; parents, Norman and Helen McDonald; brothers, Norman, Edward, William and Francis McDonald; and dear friend, Mabel P. Barbour.

The family will receive friends 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Friday, April 17, 2015 in the Gathering Center at St. Mary of the Assumption Church, 8560 Mentor Ave., Mentor.

The funeral mass will be 11:30 a.m. Friday at the church. Interment will be in Riverside Cemetery, Painesville.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to your favorite charity or Hospice of the Western Reserve, 17876 St. Clair Avenue, Cleveland, OH 44110.

Arrangements Entrusted to Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, Ohio 44060.

Offer condolences at www.brunners.com

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

385 Riverside Drive
Painesville, OH 44077
(440) 392-3727

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 17. 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Mary Of The Assumption Church
8560 Mentor Avenue
Mentor, OH 44060
(440) 255-3404
<https://stmarysmentor.org/>

Funeral Mass

APR 17. 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Dorothy and family, our hearts are broken to hear the news. We loved Bob and we will miss him so much. We have know Dorothy and Bob for a long time, well over 20 years. We met at the Painesville Oktoberfest and had such a wonderful time with both of them. We have always gotten together at Oktoberfest time and they even came to help us celebrate our 40th wedding anniversary in Hinckley Ohio in 2010. Bob had such a fun and loving personality and always made us laugh. We will never forget him. Bob and Dorothy made such a wonderful impact on our lives. Our daughter Karen & son David enjoyed being with them too. Please know Dorothy that you and Bob were in my prayers everynight and will live in our hearts forever.

Evie and Roger Gedeon Hinckley Ohio 44233

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