



## Donald Francis Kelly

February 22, 1924 - January 20, 2010

Donald F. Kelly died at his home on Wednesday, January 20, 2010. He was 85 years old.

Born in Trenton, NJ on February 22, 1924, he was the son of the late, Joseph A. and Helen Kuhn Kelly. He served in the Navy in the Pacific during World War II. Mr. Kelly then worked for Parsons Brinckerhoff Engineering Consultants until his retirement. He has resided in Chincoteague, VA, and Easton, MD.

Mr. Kelly was a member of VFW Post #5118 and the Elks Lodge #1622 in Easton, MD, and the American Legion Post #0159 of Chincoteague, VA.

Mr. Kelly is survived by three step-children, Wendy Diggs of MA, John Worob of Easton, MD and Thomas Worob of Denton, MD; a brother, Richard V. Kelly and his wife, Johanna, of Tinton Falls, NJ; two sisters, Regina Dougherty, and her husband, Robert, of Buckingham, PA, and Margaret Henry, and her husband, Joseph, of Eatontown, NJ; a sister-in-law, Mrs. Joseph V. (Mary) Kelly, of Strousburg, PA; seven grandchildren, Courtney, Kip, Brooke, John, Brittany, Shannon, and Tip; five great-grandchildren, Kaya, Jade, Liam, Oliver and Aubrey; and several nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, June Kelly, and his siblings, Joseph V. Kelly, William Kelly, Gerald Kelly, Mary Gamo, Helen Kroske, and Ann

Maloney.

A memorial mass will be held at 12:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 30, 2010 at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home in Easton, MD, where friends may call one hour prior.

Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home  
200 South Harrison Street, Easton, MD 21601  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Francis Kelly*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Donald Francis Kelly*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Donald Francis Kelly*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Mr. Don was the epitome of the word "Gentleman". He was a quiet, proper and gentle spirit who always had a conversation awaiting me. Our love of the musical "South Pacific" started our friendship and his nickname for me was "Nellie", the leading character which I have played. I often joked with the play on words that both he and Don Flugharty were my Don "Pair-A dons"-just like the fine wine.*

*Don always knew he had a seat at my dining room table and that I would phone just to check up on him. We often talked about his children, his years in the service, my job and school kids, or which book we were reading. He was always proud of helping to delivery blankets and personal items to our veterans. We also talked about June. Don dearly missed the love of his life, June, and I can't help but think that they are walking the beach, hand-in-hand, as they reunite.*

*I was "out of commission" for a few days having taken a fall on black ice in my school parking lot and had not been around the Elks to meet up with Don. When I received a phone call that Don had passed, I cried and smiled at the same time. I cried for me because I will miss my dear friend. I smiled joyfully because I knew God had gained an incredible servant.*

*Blessing to your family. I extend my thoughts and prayers; especially to Wendy whom Done introduced to me several years ago.*

*and Don,...James will take good care of me because you gave him the charge to stay in line. We will never forget you!*

*Debra Stahl##imported-begin##Debra##imported-end##*

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January 28, 2010 at 10:17 AM