



James Donald Laney

July 1, 1947 - October 13, 2012

James Donald "Don" Laney was born July 1, 1947 in Gilmer, Texas to Herbert Peck & Becky Jo (Duke) Laney. He passed from this life October 13, 2012. He is survived by wife Dianne Laney; sons Steve Laney & wife Brandy, Chris Laney; brothers Paul Laney & wife Laura, Harold Laney & wife Donna, Lynn Laney & wife Lisa; sister Debbie White & husband Mike; grandchildren Blake Laney, Zach Mercer; great grandchild Liam Mercer; numerous nieces and nephews.

Tribute Wall



“ Don and my Son, Danny shared a friendship for a good many of years. When our son passed away in 2008, unexspectually, Don gave a very good talk at his funeral, which I will never forget.##imported-begin##Jewell Cromaz##imported-end##

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“ Mrs Laney, Chris, and family,

We are very sorry to hear of Mr Laney's passing. I have fond memories of the stories that I've heard Chris tell about his dad. I hope that time and memories will help lessen the burden of your sorrow, and that you may draw some measure of comfort knowing that others care and share in your loss.

Mr Laney blessed this world by being a great father, husband and person, and by giving us Chris as a friend.

Our sincerest condolences,

The Olsens

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“ Don was one of my treasured friends and golf buddies. He was always chipper a fierce competitor. He never used coarse language and was an encouraging man. He treasured his wife and children/grandchild and spoke of them approvingly on a frequent basis. I played with Don over several years and knew him to be honest in his approach to the game; which, in life generally described the man in all other areas of his life. He will be remembered fondly on a frequent basis in my thoughts.##imported-begin##Ron & Martha Blackwell##imported-end##

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“ Don was a great friend and a great man. We became friends through golf, which then also led to numerous conversations about sports. I will miss you, but I will remember you also buddy. "Hit em straight"##imported-begin##David Hatfield##imported-end##

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