



## Donald R. Hobbs

March 26, 1949 - September 30, 2018

Donald R. Hobbs, 69, of Indianapolis, passed away September 30, 2018. He was born March 26, 1949 to the late Woodrow and Juanita Hobbs. Donald proudly served his country in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War where he received the Meritorious Service Commendation Medal in connection with his military operations against a hostile force. He married Georgian Mandon, and was a pipefitter for Amtrak for 40 years.

Visitation will be Friday, October 5, 2018 from 4:00 p.m. until the time of the Memorial Service at 7:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington Street.

Donald is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Georgian Hobbs; children, Keith Hobbs, Sophie Campbell and Jessica Fleehearty; siblings, Judy (Bob) Endsley, Ginny Kerr, Brian (Chris) Hobbs and Kevin (Cindy) Hobbs; and grandchildren, Austin Hobbs, Kya Campbell and Jack Featherson. Two brothers, Tommy Hobbs and Ricky Hobbs; and two sisters, Paula Walker and Barbara Russell, preceded him in death. Memorial contributions are suggested to the American Cancer Society.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 5. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel  
9606 E. Washington Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46229  
(317) 897-9606  
<https://shirleybrothers.com/>

## Memorial Service

OCT 5. 7:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



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**Shirley Brothers Mortuaries & Crematory** - October 08, 2018 at 02:53 PM



“ *What to say about a man I worked with daily for the last 25 years. He was my co-worker, my mentor and above all I called him my friend. He was one of the most amazing person I ever met. Until we meet again. Love you my friend.*

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**Tim Zeigler** - October 05, 2018 at 09:50 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Donald R. Hobbs.*



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October 04, 2018 at 07:05 AM

RM

“ Don was a man of many characters. On one day or moment he could be extremely introspective and deep into the lyrics or a song and in the next incredibly funny with his humor.

We wrote letters weekly when he was in Viet Nam and I still recall the letter when he told me the latrine got blown over..with him in it! That was Don. In harms way and yet seeing irony and humor in all situations. He detailed the whole experience of course.

The world will miss this character.

Rick M.

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**Rick M** - October 03, 2018 at 07:20 PM

DS

“ I worked with Don at Amtrak for 33 years. I enjoyed working with him and loved his dry sense of humor. I had a lot of respect for Don for the love that he had for his family. Don was a good worker and fun to be around. So sorry for your loss, I know he will be missed by many.

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**Darrell Short** - October 03, 2018 at 11:27 AM

KG

“ Kathy Gannon lit a candle in memory of Donald R. Hobbs



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**Kathy Gannon** - October 02, 2018 at 06:49 PM

RH

“ Graduated from School #78 & Howe HS with Don & I have too many memories to write down. Playing baseball, football, skate boarding down Irvington driveways, & basketball in his backyard. I always was always thinking of Don & our memories. Prayers for Don & his family.

*Ray Hollenbaugh*

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**Ray Hollenbaugh** - October 02, 2018 at 08:14 AM

JW

“ I did not know Don "Doug" very long but I did know him enough that I saw he was a kind, funny and loving man. He absolutely adored his wife, Georgeann, and his beautiful daughters, Sophie and Jessica, and his son. The love for this man was very apparent and strong by his family and I'm sure he will be missed. I am so glad I was able to care for and get to know this man and his family. I will never forget this wonderful family that touched my life so deeply. Please accept my sincere condolences.

*Jane, RN*

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**Jane Wood** - October 02, 2018 at 08:04 AM

TK

*Georgeann; so sorry to hear this.  
tom kuntz*

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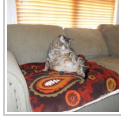
**tom kuntz** - October 02, 2018 at 08:20 AM

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*Georgeann, I am so very sorry to hear about this. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Amy Miller** - October 02, 2018 at 04:56 PM



*RIP Don, you were a great union brother and a great person. It was a great privilege to have known and worked with you for near 30 years.*

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**Donald Henry** - October 03, 2018 at 11:06 PM