



Robert Donald "Don" Rolland

October 10, 1945 - January 25, 2025

Robert Donald "Don" Rolland, 79, of Carmel, Indiana, passed away peacefully in his home on January 25, 2025. He was born October 10, 1945 to the late Charles and Isabel (Bueno) Rolland. Don married the love of his life, Elizabeth Ann "Betty" Ryon on September 7, 1968, at the First Christian Church of Chico. Don was a 1963 graduate of Sunset High School and a 1968 graduate of Chico State. He proudly served in the U.S. Army from 1969-1972. Don received his CPM while working for Paper Manufacturers in California. Later, he worked with Midwest Metal Products in Muncie and retired after 25 years with the family-owned company. Don believed in the work hard/play hard adage. He was an avid racquetball player and deeply involved in INSRA. Don is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Betty Rolland of Carmel; daughter, Brandy (Brian) Schneider of Indianapolis; and son, Casey Rolland of New Jersey; and grandchildren, Sarah Schneider of Indianapolis, Mark Schneider of West Lafayette, and Seth and Alex Rolland, both of new Jersey. A Celebration of Life gathering will be held Wednesday, February 5, 2025 from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at the Venture Christian Church Student Center, 14501 Hazel Dell Parkway, Carmel, IN 46033. Final arrangements and care are entrusted to Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

FEB 5. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Venture Christian Church
14501 Hazel Dell Parkway
Carmel, IN 46033

Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Robert Donald "Don" Rolland.

February 14, 2025 at 10:45 PM



“ Sweet Snacks Gift Crate was purchased for the family of Robert Donald "Don" Rolland.



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“ Don was a truly wonderful man. I had the privilege of knowing him through racquetball, where he patiently mentored me in the sport. Who else was lucky enough to receive a pair of E-Force glasses, a sweatband, a listening ear, a great tip to improve their game, or share countless laughs both on and off the court?

I cherish those memories and think about them often. I always wanted to play just one more game with you because you had a way of making everyone feel welcomed, loved, and included. I am so grateful to have met you and Betty.

You will be deeply missed, my friend.

- Kory Marks

Kory Marks - February 05, 2025 at 04:01 PM

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“ Love, Dennis & Donna Andrade purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Robert Donald "Don" Rolland.



Love, Dennis & Donna Andrade - February 02, 2025 at 10:42 PM

BS

“ Brandy Schneider lit a candle in memory of Robert Donald "Don" Rolland



Brandy Schneider - January 31, 2025 at 08:58 PM