



Donald Alan Simpson

November 6, 1947 - July 7, 2021

Donald Alan Simpson, 73 of La Plata, passed away on Wednesday, July 7, 2021 at home surrounded by family and friends.

He was born on November 6, 1947 at Sibley Memorial Hospital in Washington, DC to John F. and Gloria J. (Simmers) Simpson. He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Patricia M. Simpson; their children, Deborah L. and Jason D. Simpson; his brother, David and sister-in-law Debbie Simpson; his nephew and wife, Dennis and Susan Simpson, along with their children Craig and Cody.

He is preceded in death by his grandson, Ryan “ChooChoo” Simpson; his parents; his oldest brother, Jack and sister-in-law, Carol Simpson; and his two younger brothers, Jimmy and Michael Simpson.

After graduating from DeMatha High School in Hyattsville, he went to work for the Defense Mapping Agency as a Lithographic Engraver. He volunteered as a fire-fighter for Silver Hill Fire Dept. where he eventually became a certified fire marshal. While serving in the Air Force Reserves, he was a fire-fighter on Andrews Air Force Base.

Don’s many pleasures included spending time with family and friends, golf, horseshoes, softball, karaoke, and wood-working.

Visitation will be at Raymond's Funeral Home, 5635 Washington Avenue, La Plata, Maryland 20646 on Wednesday, July 14, 2021 from 2-4PM and 6-8PM. (Masks are required for entry). Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10am on Thursday, July 15, 2021 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 201 St. Mary's Avenue, La Plata, Maryland 20646 with burial following at Sacred Heart Cemetery.

Memorial contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society or St. Jude Children's Hospital.

Cemetery Details

Sacred Heart Catholic Church Cemetery

410 St. Mary's Avenue
La Plata, MD 20646

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 14. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel
5635 Washington Ave.
La Plata, MD
business.office@raymondfuneral.com
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

Visitation

JUL 14. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel
5635 Washington Ave.
La Plata, MD
business.office@raymondfuneral.com
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 15. 10:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
201 St Marys Ave
La Plata, MD 20646
(301) 934-2261

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Alan Simpson*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *Donald Alan Simpson*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Was so sad to learn of the passing of Don Simpson. -- Would see he & Patty working together in the yard & around & about the house. Patty hope you & family will remain strong, know that he is resting in peace & y'all will always have your wonderful memories. Take Care & Condolences.....ShaRon J. & Thomas Love*

Sharon Thomas - July 21, 2021 at 02:55 PM



“ *Hi, My Sweetheart!*

*I love you so very much...remember, save my spot next to you!
Hugs a million!*

Your Patty

Patty Simpson - July 19, 2021 at 06:05 PM

MA

“ Yesterday afternoon is when I first heard of the passing of Donnie. I had not seen Him for several years.

Our Thought's and Prayers are with the Simpson Family.

Mike A. ~ Silver Hill VFD

Mike Alfieri - July 16, 2021 at 09:59 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Donald Alan Simpson.*



July 14, 2021 at 07:23 AM

LP

“ *I've known Donnie and Patty since long before they were married. Loving couple and lovely family. They were always together and such a great match. Stay strong Patty...you'll be with your Donnie again some day. Lin*

Linda Pitzer - July 13, 2021 at 02:42 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Alan Simpson.*



July 13, 2021 at 02:36 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Donald Alan Simpson.



July 13, 2021 at 01:11 PM



“ *George and Stefanie* purchased the *Florist Choice Bouquet* for the family of Donald Alan Simpson.



George and Stefanie - July 11, 2021 at 04:32 PM



“ *Our deepest sympathy to all of you. You are in our thoughts and in my prayers. Love and ((BIG HUGS)), Celia, and Chip*



Cecelia Dunay - July 10, 2021 at 03:26 PM



“ *Town of La Plata* purchased the *Emerald Garden Basket* for the family of Donald Alan Simpson.



Town of La Plata - July 09, 2021 at 04:44 PM