



Don R. Thursby

August 17, 2023

Don R. Thursby, age 85 passed away on August 17, 2023 after a short illness. He is preceded in death by his parents Robert and Grace Thursby, first wife Francis Phillips Thursby of 22 years, and brother Jack L. Thursby.

He is survived by his wife Carol R. Thursby of 41 years of Cambridge, Ohio, son David (Debbie) Thursby, daughter Allison L. Woods, and brother Lee W. (Rhoby) Thursby all of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, step-daughters Sherry (Damon) Voros of Waldorf, MD., Juli L. Jacobs of St. Louis, MO., step-son Timothy E. Filing Jr. of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, many grandchildren and great-grandchildren and nephews.

He was a graduate of Hudson High School in Hudson, Ohio.

Don was a retired excavator, licensed sewer, septic, and water line contractor where he ran his own business for over 30 years.

He was a US Coast Guard Captain and ran fishing charters on Lake Erie and in the Gulf of Mexico at Chokoloskee Island, Florida. Don's favorite pastime was fishing and woodworking.

To help further science to save lives of others, he chose to donate his body through the wholebody donation program.

Monetary donations may be made to a local hospice center or a charity of your choosing.

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“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

May your memories of Don R. Thursby, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.

*My thoughts
and prayers to the family of*

US Coast Guard Veteran, Don R. Thursby, is “A True American Hero” God Bless†

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †

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