



Donald Sanborn McBride

July 23, 1937 - December 14, 2023

Donald S. McBride, 86 of Bonita Springs, FL passed away Thursday, December 14, 2023 at Joanne's House at Hope Hospice. He had been a resident of Bonita Springs since 2000. Don was born July 23, 1937 in Honolulu, HI a son of the late Col. Ret. Clyde R. and Mary Darrow (O'Neil) McBride.

Mr. McBride was a veteran of the United States Army, proudly serving his country from 1957 – 1959.

Don met his wife and earned his bachelor's degree in finance at San Diego State University. His work as a CPA took him to the far corners of the earth, living in seven separate countries, including Saudi Arabia. He retired as the Chief Financial Officer of Overseas Operations for General Electric.

As an avid golfer, Don played the game he loved all over the world. He also had passion for sailing and traveling. In retirement, he enjoyed volunteering in the Hispanic Community doing taxes at H&R Block.

Survivors include his sons, Donald (Nancy) McBride of Fairfax, VA, Bryn (Leora) McBride of Fort Worth, TX; granddaughters, Alison and Andrea; companion, Shirley Gorman; brother, James "Scotty" (Barbara) McBride of (city, state); and sisters, Patricia McBride of York, PA and Heather Leffler of

Camarillo, CA. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Ruth M. McBride.

Funeral services will be private. He will be laid to rest at El Camino Memorial Cemetery.

Online condolences may be offered by visiting www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home, Family Owned and Operated Since 1978.

Cemetery Details

El Camino Memorial Park

5600 Carroll Canyon Road
Sorrento Valley , CA

Tribute Wall

LC

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Linda Collier - January 08, 2024 at 08:31 PM

RH

So sorry to learn of Don's passing. It was always a delight to see Don and Shirley at Holy Cross. We will remember his smile, friendship, and generosity. I offer my sincere condolences to all who created his loss. May his memory always be a blessing.

Robyn A. Hill - January 09, 2024 at 08:03 PM

LC

“ We always enjoyed seeing Don at Holy Cross, Carlsbad, when he visited California every year. May his memory be a blessing to all who knew him.

Linda Collier and the Holy Cross family



Linda Collier - January 07, 2024 at 03:40 PM

JW

“ While just learning of Don's passing this week, we are reminded of our BB neighbor that filled his life with purposeful service. Sharing the same scenic Marsh Course view, Don and Ruth bought in Oakwood just months after we did. (One of those early winters I remember Ruth helping me successfully 'jump' a car battery and just smiling when I thanked her.)

Over many years Don was a knowledgeable volunteer accountant for our Oakwood community, and soon we became aware of his accounting volunteer services to others. We extend sincere sympathy to each of his loved ones. Shirley and Don shared the journey of losing Ruth and John as they successfully supported each other in these later years.

Jan (and Tim) Whiteman

Jan Whieman - January 03, 2024 at 06:51 AM

DM

“ Dear Don McBride/address=HEAVEN I WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER YOU FOR YOUR EXTRAORDINARY KINDNESS FOR EVERYONE WHO YOU KNEW. YOU WOULD ALWAYS SMILE AND HAVE SOMETHING GOOD TO SAY ABOUT EVERYBODY YOU DID BUSINESS WITH, ESPECIALLY AFTER A HARD-FOUGHT GOLF GAME. THANK YOU, DON, FOR ALL THE GOLF LESSONS YOU GAVE ME. GOD HAS BEEN GOOD TO YOU, WITH RUTH AND SHIRLEY. I PRAY WE WILL SEE YOU IN HEAVEN. ALL MY LOVE, DON MCLEAN, BONITA BAY BONITA SPRINGS FL

DON MCLEAN - December 21, 2023 at 06:07 PM

DC

“ *Don McBride: a leader (of our golf group; I am his successor, second removed, of sorts), a challenging, but never hostile, competitor, father of Don the Stronger (some of our foursomes were four Dons), a medical marvel with his collection of cardiac stents and artificial joints, raconteur of "Jack and me" stories, a man of principle and a good friend. We missed him the last couple years and we mourn him now. Bonita Bay and, I am sure, the many places he touched were better because of him. (Special praise to Shirley for being so supportive of Don in recent time.) Mac, wherever you are, hit them long and hit them straight! Don Christl*

Donald J Christl - December 21, 2023 at 08:55 AM