



Donald M. Koprin

May 30, 1935 - June 3, 2025

Donald M. Koprin, age 90 of Lexington, passed away peacefully at home with his family by his side on June 3, 2025. He was born on May 30, 1935 in Detroit to the late Alexander and Mary Koprin.

He retired from Trac Tech of Warren, Michigan. He worked in the skilled trade division as a operator/leader for the Teamsters Local #337.

Don served honorably in the United States Army, serving in the Korean War. While there he was assigned to firefighter school in Etta Jima, Japan. He was also stationed at West Point and was part of the 588th battalion. He received a national defense service metal for his expertise in sharp shooting using a M.I. carbine rifle.

He enjoyed vegetable gardening and cooking. He loved his pets, both cats and dogs, and enjoyed feeding the fish on the canal where he lived in Clay Township, before residing with his daughter and son-in-law, Debra and Richard York. He had an extensive pop bottle collection and also a vintage tube radio collection, that he enjoyed tinkering with.

Don is survived by his children; Debra (Richard) York and Christopher Koprin, grandchildren; Brandi (Mike) Dotson, Ashley Hickman, Josh Cook, Christin Baulch-Koprin, Katie Baulch-Koprin, Cortez Koprin, Ceazar Koprin and Cervantas Koprin, lifelong friend of 84 years, Mark Dorais, along with many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Patricia Cook and a son, David Koprin.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Carsonville Humane Society.

Private family services will take place.

Arrangements in care of Jowett Funeral Home – Port Huron.

Tribute Wall

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“ Don was a very special person. I would have to write a book to relate all of our experiences. We were next neighbors for about 11 years, but a lifetime as friends, about 84 years. He had a special charisma, a leadership style that made him a very interesting person to be around. Don, thank you for your life, rest in peace, dear friend. 🙏



Mark Dorais - June 07, 2025 at 08:57 PM

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“ Grandpa I will never forgot all of our 42 years of wonderful memories. I will definitely miss our conversations about sports,espically the Detroit Tigers. I know you are with all the family and they are thrilled to see you....oh and even all your little cats and dogs... please watch over me and I will see you soon... love always Brandi



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