



## Don Coleman

August 11, 1935 - May 24, 2024

Don Andrew Coleman of Elkton, FL passed away peacefully on Friday, May 24, 2024, following a brief illness.

Together, Don and the love of his life, Eileen (Geiger), were married 67 years and built a beautiful family together with their children: David (Helen), Debra (Robert), and Douglas. Don's pride and joy extended to his 6 grandchildren: Katherine (Richard), Emily, John (Katrina), Lauren (Jake), Christopher (Isabella), Wyatt (Sandra), and his great grandchildren: Caroline and Charlotte, all of whom brought immense happiness to his life. He is also survived by his sister, Margaret.

A man of intellect and ambition, Don graduated from the University of Wisconsin with a degree in chemical engineering and later earned an MBA from the University of Chicago. His esteemed career with Stauffer Chemical Company took him and his family to Chicago, IL, Los Angeles, CA, Westport, CT and Anderson, SC, where he made significant contributions and lasting friendships.

In retirement, Don and Eileen found joy in Anderson, SC and Elkton, FL where they cultivated new passions and friendships. Don's love for music led him to play trombone with the St. Augustine Community Band and the Coquina Crossing Band, enriching the community with his talent and enthusiasm. He

also found fulfillment traveling with Eileen, spending time with family and volunteering at their church.

Don has been a role model to his children by being a hardworking man of character and showing compassion and love to others throughout his life. He was respected and admired by his family and friends. In memory of Don, please hold your loved ones close and cherish your time together.

The family would like to extend their deepest gratitude to the nurses and staff at the Bailey Family Center for Caring in St. Augustine, FL for their professional and compassionate care.

Details about the memorial service will be forthcoming, allowing family and friends to celebrate Don's life and the many ways he touched their hearts.

In honor of Don's life, donations may be made to:  
Lymphoma & Leukemia Society at [LLS.org](http://LLS.org) or  
Saint Augustine Concert Band at [staugband.org](http://staugband.org) or by mail to: 135 Jenkins  
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