



Donald Coppedge,

February 24, 1960 - November 2, 2008

Donald Coppedge Jr. 48, of Phoenixville, PA, died suddenly Sunday morning at his residence.?

Born in Phoenixville, he was the son of Donald Coppedge Sr. and Redonia Olivia (Barr) Coppedge. Mr. Coppedge was a 1979 graduate of St. Pius X High School, and attended Temple University in Philadelphia. Donald was formerly employed by National Liberty Insurance Co. and the Lauderback Moving Co. In addition he was an entertainment promoter for a company he developed, Phoenix Productions. He was a past member of the Phoenixville Jaycees, he had an avid interest in politics and enjoyed watching old movies. He was a huge fan of all the Philadelphia Sports Teams and was very proud of the Philadelphia Phillies World Championship. Mr. Coppedge loved the family poodle 'Curly', fishing and spending time with his family.?

In addition to his parents Mr. Coppedge is survived by a brother Daniel Coppedge of Phoenixville, a niece Jaylyn Coppedge, 2 nephews Dayon and Dawon Smith Coppedge, and a grandniece Olivia Smith Coppedge, and several aunts and uncles. Relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral service on Saturday, November 8, 2008 at 10:00 A.M. at Bethel Baptist Church, 412 Fairview St. Phoenixville PA. Officiating will be the Rev. George H. Beachum. There will be a viewing on Friday evening from 6:00-8:00 P.M. at the Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home Inc. Main St. at Fifth Avenue, Phoenixville, PA and on Saturday morning, from 9:00-9:45 A.M. at the church. Burial will be in Morris Cemetery. Memorial gifts may be

made to the Donald Coppedge Jr. Memorial Fund, C/O New Century Bank, 513 Kimberton Rd. Phoenixville, PA 19460. Condolences may be offered online at www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com.

Tribute Wall

CB

“ Years turn into days, we remember our friends and loved ones. My heart goes out to the family members. Mr Coppedge senior I remember you at the old Y in town. What a wonderful dad. Your kids had a nice life. The Cascaden playground in the summers had alot for us to keep busy. May you Peace in this new year. I too lost my oldest son, it hurts. Caroline Gephart

Caroline Padgett Gephart - Bestoma@comcast.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

BA

“ My sincere sympathy to the family. Being born and raised in Phoenixville, I remember Mr. Coppedge well, he was Dr. Cobb for my brother's State Championship BRL team and did much for the community, YMCA, etc. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Bud Sutyak

Bud Sutyak - asutyak1@maine.rr.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

HH

“ Don and Redonia, our prayers are with you, stay strong and well, your family needs you. Donnie is in a better place and doing well. Love you, Helen & Roy

Helen Raser & Roy Kramer - helenraser@verizon.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

ML

“ It seems a lifetime ago that Donald was in second grade at Mason Street School. I know he'll be missed. My prayers and thoughts are with you and yours.
Love,
Mrs. Little

Mary Little - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

MM

“ Don and Redonia,
Don was such an inspiration to me. He always made me laugh and never had an unkind word for anyone. The world has lost someone very special. My heartfelt sympathy to you and your family.

Mariann Horan - mhoran4184@aol.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

BB

“ i am so sorry for the loss i know don and his wife very well good people to know my deep and heartfelt sympathys to the family and know you all are in my prayers and thoughts may god be with you at this hard time of the loss of your loved one

becky brunner - brunner610@aol.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

WK

“ Donald, it was with great sadness for you and your family that I learned the news about your son. I hope that your faith and family guide you through this tough time and know that you will be in my thoughts and prayers. Bill

William Kronenberg - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

JJ

“ Don and Redonia,
I have gotten to know Don for the past two years and he will be missed. I enjoyed talking about the Eagles with him. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Judy Gnias - jgnias@fellowshiphr.org - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

TE

“ God Bless You all ... We were deeply saddened to learn of Don Jr's passing. Knowing your family and being neighbors for 28 years seems that you're all part of our Phoenixville Family .We watched Don and Dan grow into fine young men , with respect and pride for both their parents. Only knowing that Donnie is in a much better place ,is our grief lifted.
Again, God Bless You All...

The Wildgust Family - Edierw@aol.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

LW

“ Mr. and Mrs. Coppedge, I was sorry to hear of Donny's passing. I remember the old days when us 'kids' ran the gamut at the old YMCA. I wish your family peace.

Lisa Haines Wolf - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

SS

“ Dear Don and Rodonia,

I can never express the true sadness I feel for your loss of Donald. Having grown up in Phoenixville, with you Don being so involved in my younger life it is like losing one of my own children. God Bless you and your family and know that Donald is with our Father in Heaven awaiting us all someday.

Love, Sam, Sharon, Keith and Scott

Sam Lewis - samule59@yahoo.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

GF

“ *Redonia and Don,
As I read of "Donny's" untimely death this morning, I was deeply saddened by the sad news. I speak of your boys often as do my kids, Rich and Faith.
Donald Jr. was a favorite of mine way back then on Oxford Ave. My deepest sympathy to you and your family. Know that none of you have ever been forgotten.
An Old Friend,
Ginny*

Ginny (Cassey)Korszniak - flpelican@verizon.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

MM

“ *Dear Mr. and Mrs. Coppedge, Danny and Family,

Maurice and I were so sorry to hear about the loss of your son/brother. It was such a shock to us because we thought he was out of the hospital and doing well.

God bless your family as you go through this time of mourning. We pray that all of you will lean on Jesus for your strength.

We will not be able to be there for the funeral but hope to be able to come view early. We both have had dental appointments scheduled for 6 months on Saturday. We are sorry but we couldn't change it. Our prayers will be with all of you.

We love you,

Maurice and Brenda Treadwell*

Maurice and Brenda Treadwell - mltread1@msn.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

BB

“ We're truely sorry to hear about Don's passing. We pray God's peace to you at this time. Barbara went all through elementary school with Don and Bob has worked closely with Don Sr for many years. God bless you at this difficult time.

Bob Noll and Barbara - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

RR

“ Growing up on Oxford Avenue, Is a time that I cherish the most from my youth. I spent many days playing; ball, flashlight tag, hide and seek, riding bikes or building forts back in the "woods" with Dan and Don. Please know that The Coppedge family has always been in my fondest thoughts and that I offer my deepest sympathy for your loss.

Rich Cassey Jr.

Rich Cassey Jr. - richard.cassey@us.army.mil - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

AB

“ Danny,
I was very sorry to hear about the sudden passing of your brother. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family during this trying time.

Alexis Brown - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

MD

“ To family of Donald Coppedge:

I only have known Don, Jr., for a very short time. I cannot express at this time what an impact Don had on me. I was born and raised in Berwyn/Devon area, and just share and remember little "tidbits", of people that he and I knew, is just something that I will never forget. As I am preparing this short message, I can only think of him and just smile. I will always remember how he called me "Main Line Mary", and how I would get mad at him with a smile.

My heartfelt sympathy.

Mary Di Martini

Mary Di Martini - dimartini48@yahoo.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

BB

“ Don, Redonia, Danny and Family

*Please know that our family's thoughts and prayers are with you at this most difficult time in your lives. Please know that God has planted a beautiful garden and he needed one more beautiful soul to fill the center of his design and he chose Don Jr. He is in a better place and at peace with our Lord and he will suffer no more pain, no more medications, no more tears -- God will wrap you and your family in His loving arms and carry you through this sorrowful time. Just remember that God loves you and so do I.
Lovingly, Betty, Vicki and Wendy and families*

Betty(Thomas) Luckett - blluckett@sunocoinc.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

RF

“ Dear Don, Redonia and Dan,
I was deeply saddened to learn of Donald's passing. In his short time with us, he made many friends and created fond memories for all of us who knew him. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time.

Richard Kunsch - rkunsch@phoenix fed.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

PD

“ Don, Redonia and Family,
We offer our sincere sympathy on your loss. Our prayers and thought will be with you at this time.
Pat and Bruce

Pat and Bruce Downs - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

AA

“ Dear Don and Redonia:

Words cannot begin to express how very sorry we are for your loss. Jim and I will continue to keep you and your family in our prayers. May our Lord grant you peace and surround you in His loving arms as you face the days ahead.

With Love,
Allison and Jim Stinger

Allison - astinger@comcast.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

AD

“ To the Coppedege Family: Im so sorry to hear of the sudden loss of Don. He was a wonderful Person and always seemed to make me laugh when I needed a laugh! He will greatly be missed! My heart and prayers are with you and your family at this time of need. May God Bless you and keep you strong. Donald~~its been a while since I saw you last and now It will be longer till i see you again. You will be missed by many. God Bless you Don. Rest in peace...May God Be with you! ~~From a dear friend!

A Friend Of Dons - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

JJ

“ MRS.AND MRS. COPPEDGE & DANNY,
MY MOM AND I WERE DEEPLY SADDEN TO LEARN OF
DONALDS'S PASSING IT SEEMS LIKE JUST YESTERDAY THAT
DONALD & I WERE IN JUNIOR HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL
PLAYING FOOTBALL & TRACK HAVING THE BEST TIMES OF
OUR LIVES . I WILL MISS YOUR SON AND MY TRUE FRIEND
THAT I SPENT MANY GOOD DAYS IN HIS COMPANY.OUR
PRAYERS WILL BE WITH YOU.

JOHN UJOBAL JR. - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

KT

“ Dear Mr. and Mrs. Coppedge, Danny and Family:

My prayers go out to your family for the loss of your loved one, Don Jr.

We all had fun attending Sunday School and growing into mature adults.

I have fabulous memories growing up with your family. Don Jr. looked after me, especially during high school expressing education. Don Jr insisted that I stop by your home each morning for a ride to school. We went to a dance in King of Prussia, and I did not know the latest steps and he said, “Just move we are going to be on TV.” Don Jr and Danny taught me how to ride their mini bike on the Oxford Ave trails. Back then, guys just did not allow females to ride, but they saw how I just wanted a chance to learn, and they permitted it once!

May God continue to confront your family during this difficult time of mourning.

*Love,
Karen, Joshua & Phillip Thompson*

Karen Thompson - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

ZD

“ Donald and Redonia,

I was sadden to hear that you lost your oldest son. There are no words that can express what my heart is feeling for both of you.

I want you to know that John and I will pray for you and your family as well as letting you know that God is holding you in the hallow of his hand.

May God keep you and his goodness and mercy shine around you.

John and Zamelia(Cissie) Doswell

Zamelia and John Doswell - doswellzamelia@hotmail.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

BC

“ *I am saddened to learn of Donald.s passing. My heart goes out to the entire famil.*

Betty Ash - chasbett3@verizon.net - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

TE

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Coppedge*

In the night of death, hope sees a star, and listening love can hear the rustle of a wing.

Our prayers are with you and your family in this very difficult time, and our assurance is that he is on that peaceful shore resting in the shadow of the almighty knowing that he sahl see you again

Terrance - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

ES

“ *Mr and Mrs Coppedge and Dan,
I am so sorry for the loss of your son. I know all that you are going through is rough and there are days it gets easier but there are days that you don't want to get out of bed and that is allowed. I want you to know that you are a great family and I believe that my dad is taking care of your son in a much better place and we will see them again.*

Ellen (Sierzega) Gibson - serg102@aol.com - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM

CF

“ *To Donald's family,
I worked with Donald at Lauderback Transportation. His great personality and sense of humor was always a treat to all. May God be with yoo.*

Carol Evans Friel - July 19, 2013 at 08:38 AM