



Donald G. Scanlon

March 21, 1928 - December 1, 2025

Donald G. "Buddy" Scanlon, age 97, of Shadyside, passed away peacefully on December 1, 2025. Beloved husband of the late Marita; loving father of Joan Lundy and the late Donald G. Scanlon II and John Scanlon; grandfather of Elizabeth (Jeremiah) Blasik, Emily (Jake) Brett and Julie (Jason) Barbee; great grandfather of Lucas, Asher, Felix, Sage and Wren; brother of Bob (the late Audrey) Scanlon, Patricia (John) Larkin and the late John Scanlon, Francis Scanlon, Louise Scanlon, Eddy Scanlon and Billy Scanlon. He also leaves behind nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

Donald served in the US Army during WWII. When he came home from the service he started his lifelong career working on the Conrail Railroads. He rarely missed the Price is Right and loved watching the Pittsburgh Pirates. He was a regular member of Sacred Heart Church in Shadyside.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, December 18, 2025 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm at the D'Alessandro Funeral Home & Crematory Ltd; 4522 Butler Street Pittsburgh, PA, 15201 (Lawrenceville). Funeral Mass will be held at 11:00 am on Friday, December 19, 2025 at St. Jude Parish, Sacred Heart Church in Shadyside. Everyone is to meet at church. His burial will follow in Calvary Cemetery with Military Honors.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Catholic Cemetery

718 Hazelwood Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15217

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 18. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

D'Alessandro Funeral Home and Crematory Ltd.
4522 Butler St.
Pittsburgh, PA 15201

Mass

DEC 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Church
310 Shady Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15206

Tribute Wall

BB

“ *Bob, MaryLou & Mark, Susan & Bobby purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Donald G. Scanlon.*



Bob, MaryLou & Mark, Susan & Bobby - December 12, 2025
at 06:07 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Donald G. Scanlon.*



December 10, 2025 at 10:22 AM

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“ *Love, Katie Destro & Bob Milnes planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donald G. Scanlon.*

Love, Katie Destro & Bob Milnes - December 10, 2025 at 10:22 AM