



Dr. Don Sheridan Mueller

November 4, 1927 - January 8, 2015

Fort Gratiot- Dr. Don Sheridan Mueller, age 87, formerly of Carsonville, went to heaven Thursday January 8, 2015, following an extended illness.

Don was born on November 4, 1927 in Cleveland, Ohio, the son of the late Rev. Dr. Don and Selma Mueller. In 1947 he married Vivan Santrock Mueller. Together they enjoyed 46 years of marriage. She sadly preceded him in death on October 27, 1993.

Dr. Mueller was a graduate of Baldwin-Wallace and Mount Union Colleges, the University of Michigan, Michigan State University and Clayton University. Don was a devoted educator for 47 years who taught in Benton Harbor and Okemos. He was the High School Principal at Dansville and DeWitt. He retired after serving as Superintendent of Schools at Carsonville-Port Sanilac for 27 years. Dr. Mueller was member of MEA, NEA, the Michigan Association of School Administrators and the River Area Superintendent's Association. Don was active in the Carsonville United Methodist Church, Port Sanilac Baptist Church and the Colonial Woods Missionary Church.

He has two children, Carl F. Mueller of Fort Gratiot and Cathy A. Galligan (Mueller) and husband Alexander Galligan of Deckerville. There are three grandchildren Veronica (Nicci) Susan Hendrix (Mueller) of Dallas, Tyler Santrock Mueller and Coltin Jerome Mueller of Fort Gratiot. Don's great grandson Desmond Jones Hendrix lives in Dallas.

"Dads" family would enjoy you company at the Pomeroy Funeral Home in Carsonville, Wednesday January 14, 2015 from 2-9 PM. Funeral services are

scheduled for 11 AM Thursday at the Port Sanilac Baptist Church, with visiting at the church from 10-11. Pastor Paul Slivka will officiate.

A special memorial will be created for students of Carsonville-Port Sanilac High School.

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Tribute Wall

JK

“ Don was a very caring man. I was a close friend with this lovely family. I remember Don's wonderful collection of grandfather clocks, and trips to the mall with Cathy, Carl and Vivian. I was impressed with his musical talent too. He's playing his clarinet with the angels!

Joyce Knight-Coyne - January 13, 2015 at 10:49 AM

DC

“ Mr. Mueller was a great man and an outstanding educator. His work at C.P.S. will always be remembered and appreciated. I was just a Jr. High student when he retired and he was the nicest, most caring and truly sincere person in that school. R.I P. Mr. Mueller. Douglas Csizmadia

Douglas Csizmadia - January 12, 2015 at 10:12 PM

SB

“ Mr. Mueller, you will be missed. Such a pleasant soul. My condolences to all that have known your smile and kind heart.

Stephanie Burch - January 12, 2015 at 08:28 PM

TJ

“Joan and I were so sorry to hear of your dad's passing. He was a big part of our lives for many years and responsible in a large part for the fact that we have lived near CPS for the past 44 years. When he became superintendent at CPS, he took a school that many thought would disappear and turned it around. Joan and I never planned to stay more than a year or two but then Don arrived. It was an exciting time for a young teacher, building a new high school and developing programs. We were made to feel that our opinions mattered and that we were truly creating something that would serve the community. Joan and I feel very fortunate to have been part of the CPS family throughout our careers. Thanks Don and may you and Vivien find peace together.

Tim & Joan Juhl - January 12, 2015 at 02:38 PM

SM

“What can anyone say about our Mr. Mueller? Other than he was a kind and caring and generous man, who would give out of the kindness of his heart and not for acknowledgement. He will be truly missed. Rest in peace, Mr. Mueller.

Staci Morgan-Woods - January 12, 2015 at 11:55 AM

TB

“Dr. Don Sheridan Mueller

tim barr - January 12, 2015 at 07:30 AM

TG

“So sorry for your loss. He was a great man that touched many lives.

todd goodwine - January 12, 2015 at 01:05 AM

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“ MR Mueller was Superintendent at Carsonville where I went to school in the 70's - I Remember Him Because he was always such a kind man. Praying Gods comfort for his family.

Dolly Goldman (Robison) - January 11, 2015 at 11:23 PM

JP

“ Mr Mueller was well loved and admired by so many. He set a wonderful example of an educator and mentor for generations of students and teachers and his memory will live forever in our hearts. Many people were blessed and honored that he shared his life as an educator with us. J Perez

Jodi Handley Perez - January 11, 2015 at 08:34 PM

C(

“ Carsonville - Port Sanilac class of 1995. I remember him coming to my open house, he was always very nice and cared for the students.

Carrie Ike (Smith) - January 11, 2015 at 08:07 PM

SH

“ Thoughts and prayers to the family! I have fond memories of Dr. Mueller, as I was a student at Carsonville Port Sanilac.

Stacy Hill - January 11, 2015 at 07:50 PM

JS

“ A joyful man always ready to help. Thoughts are with you all at this time.

Judi smiley - January 11, 2015 at 07:33 PM

MS

“ I have fond memories of Mr. Mueller during his time with Carsonville schools. He remembered everyone's name and face which really makes you feel special. I know this from personal experience. I am sorry for your family's loss. Mr. Mueller will live a rich heavenly life now. God bless.

Mindy (Molinik) Steff - January 11, 2015 at 06:56 PM

AR

“ Rest in peace, Mr. Mueller. Your attentive kindness inspired many.

Ani Richards - January 11, 2015 at 12:47 AM

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“ Ani Richards has sent this Expressions of Sympathy card.

Ani Richards - January 11, 2015 at 12:09 AM

SR

“ Mr. Mueller was a great educator always serving others. I still have the trumpet pin he gave me when I graduated. He was a thoughtful, caring man. The CPS community was lucky to have him.

Shannon Rogers - January 10, 2015 at 11:51 PM

MI

“ I am one of the many many students that "grew" up with Mr. Mueller, I saw and talked to him just about every day for my entire education at C.P.S. He was also my neighbor for many years. Such a great man that did a ton for his school and community, you are missed by many.

Michelle - January 10, 2015 at 11:06 PM