



Dan Irvin Machovina

June 7, 1942 - October 13, 2011

Dan Irvin Machovina, 69, of Salisbury went to be with his Lord on Thursday, October 13, 2011 at Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center, Winston-Salem.

Born June 7, 1942 in Columbus, OH, he was the son of the late Anne Rosada Weaver Machovina and Paul Everet Machovina .

He was educated in the Columbus, OH schools, and graduated from Sioux Falls Seminary, Sioux Falls, SD with a Masters Degree in family counseling.

Mr. Machovina was a veteran of the US Navy for 18 years and served during the Vietnam War.

He was employed for the W. G. Hefner VA Medical Center before retiring and had a total of 39 years in government service.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of China Grove, the Williams Sunday School Class and the China Grove Civitan Club. Mr. Machovina was an avid hunter and fisherman, had many hobbies and was active in his church and the community.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife, Sharon Jennings Machovina,

whom he married December 24, 1991; sons, Scott Daniel Machovina and wife Michelle Lynn of Sanford, FL, Paul Allan Machovina and wife Lisette of Apopka, FL; step-daughter, Crystal Cook and husband Randy of Salisbury; brother, William "Bill" Machovina of Scottsdale, AZ; sister, Ann Corfman of Urbana, OH; grandsons, Hunter and Connor Machovina; 3 step-grandchildren and 3 step-great grandchildren. He also leaves behind his dog, Wheezer.

Funeral services will be conducted 4:00 PM - Tuesday (Oct. 18) at the First United Methodist Church of China Grove with the Rev. George Yates, officiating.

The family will receive friends from 3-4:00 PM Tuesday at the First United Methodist Church of China Grove.

Memorials may be made to the Salvation Army, 620 Bringle Ferry Road, Salisbury, NC 28144

Tribute Wall



“ Dearest Sharon and Machovina Family,
So terribly sorry to hear of your great loss. My thoughts, prayers,
and well-wishes are with you and yours during this time of grieving.
May your faith sustain and heal during your time of
grief.##imported-begin##Ayla Carrick##imported-end##

October 24, 2011 at 01:40 PM



“ Our meetings with Dan were few, but each time Ruth & I
commented how much love Dan showed for his Family.##imported-
begin##William & Ruth Mangan##imported-end##

October 22, 2011 at 09:00 AM



“ I am so sorry to learn about your loss. Please know that you are not
alone. God will be with you to comfort and strengthen you. Keep his
promises close to your heart. His Word assures us that our loved
ones will truly be remembered and soon they will be brought back to
life. (John 5:28,29) Please accept my deepest sympathies and my
prayer for peace for you and your entire family.##imported-
begin##G.FORD##imported-end##

October 18, 2011 at 03:28 PM



“ Dear Family:
Thinking of you at this difficult time. Dan was a considerate and
giving person. Sharon you were a blessing to him and your family.
May God bless you.##imported-begin##Andy Roberts##imported-
end##

October 18, 2011 at 11:09 AM



“ Sharon and family,
Our deepest condolences for your loss. Although we never met Dan, it sounds as if he was one of God's prized emissaries during his time here. May God grant you peace and healing through His never ending love.

Lexia Frasher-Quintana and Steve Quintana##imported-begin##Lexia Frasher-Quintana & Steve Quintana##imported-end##

October 17, 2011 at 02:14 PM



“ So sorry for your lost. I pray that God the Father will comfort you and your family.##imported-begin##Lanell Otey##imported-end##

October 17, 2011 at 11:05 AM



“ Sharon,

Please accept my most heartfelt sympathies for your loss... my prayers are with you and your family... Wishing you strength to sustain you during this difficult time and healing that soothes both mind and spirit. May God wrap his arms around you keeping you safe and giving you the much peace needed... Patti Fike##imported-begin##Patti Fike##imported-end##

October 17, 2011 at 10:40 AM



“ Sharon and family of Dan, I am sorry to hear about the loss of Dan. Remember the good times you shared.##imported-begin##Linda H. Knox##imported-end##

October 16, 2011 at 11:42 PM