



## Donald Mason Brestar

May 11, 1933 - December 7, 2023

Donald M. Brestar (90) of Toppenish, passed away Thursday, December 7, 2023. He was born May 11, 1933 to Henry and Amelia Brestar and was raised in the Toppenish area. On July 10, 1954 he married Rozelia L. Hall. Donald served in the U.S. Army from December 9, 1954 to December 7, 1956. He was a farmer then until 1960. In 1960 he started for the City of Toppenish and worked until his retirement in 1998. Don's hobbies included gardening, he always had a huge garden and was known to give away veggies to all the neighbors and friends.

Donald is survived by his son Gene Brestar (Sherry) of Toppenish, two daughters, Annette Jacobs (George) of Vancouver, WA and Cynthia Guckert (Wayne) of Toppenish, numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife Rozelia and daughter Carrie Brestar. Memorial services are planned for a later date.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Maggie James lit a candle in memory of Donald Mason Brestar*



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**Maggie James** - December 14, 2023 at 11:19 PM

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“ *Bernice Owens lit a candle in memory of Donald Mason Brestar*



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**Bernice Owens** - December 13, 2023 at 07:48 PM

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“ Uncle Don was a very humble and kind person. He was a younger brother to my mom... one of which she cherished. The reason: he was “unselfish” and loved his family , friends, and animals.



Uncle Donnie was a “forever” happy individual ... always smiling. Never unpleasant with a frown. No harsh words from his mouth. Once on a road trip near a bridge along the Yakima River he saw some teenagers throw a helpless dog into the water. That wasn't right, so he immediately stopped. Not saying a scolding word, he showed those individuals what kind of treatment that dog needed. He pulled the animal out of the river, cuddled it, and took it to his car. Yes, to bring it home.... where it had a very loving home there after. ❤️ Thank you Don for being a very good role model for all of us. Bless you.

Love and prayers,  
Karen Lommers

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Karen Lommers - December 13, 2023 at 02:46 PM