



## Earl Donald Proffit

September 2, 1929 - July 5, 2012

Son of C.H. and Evelyn Proffit; loving husband of the late Hermencia Proffit; father of Carlos, Cline T. Proffit; brother of C.D. "Penny" Proffit and Joyce Proffit; grandfather of Sara Amelia, Megan Amanda, Sean Carlos and Gemma Santos.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Earl Donald Proffit*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *Carlos & Cline, My condolences. We've not met (at least not as adults - may have as children). Your mother was my confirmation sponsor when I was a child. Hermencia and my mother (Elida Wilson Aleman) were close friends and taught school in McAllen, TX when they were both single women. I last saw your mother about 30 years ago when she visited me in Austin while my parents were also visiting. I often think about your mother. May they all rest in peace.*

September 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM



*Just now saw this. I hope all is well.*

**Cline Jose Proffit** - August 11, 2022 at 08:01 PM



“ *May the wonderful memories you have help bring some comfort during this very sad time. Our love to you all, MSA Staff*

July 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dearest Joyce and Family, We are deeply sorry for the loss of your loved one. Our prayers and love go out to you during this time and always. The Schoens*

July 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Penny, I was very sorry to hear about Don. My condolences to you and your family in this time of grief. It was 58 years ago that I worked for you guys, my first job. Nick

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July 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



*Just now saw this. Penny and Janey are gone now. I hope all is well.*

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**Cline Jose Proffit** - August 11, 2022 at 08:04 PM



“ I consider it a great privilege to have met Mr. Proffit. His integrity, strength of character and tenacity were of a calibre to inspire towards.

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July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Kathy and I send our heartfelt condolences to Don's family; several years ago Don welcomed me back to the tennis courts and our friendship was renewed; a true gentleman on and off the court; a wonderful attitude regarding life; and a solid tennis player. For such a blessed human being, I offer these words in Hawaiian: "Kulu ka waimaka, uwe ka 'opua - the tears fall, the clouds weep." We shall miss you.

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July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



*Thanks from their youngest Tee.*

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**Cline Jose Proffit** - August 11, 2022 at 08:11 PM



“ *Godspeed, Mr. Proffit. Love, Mary*

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July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Carlos and Don's family, I had known Don since the early 1970s, when we shot international skeet together. More recently I occasionally saw him at the P.G. County Shooting Center. He always asked about our mutual friend Byron "Corky" Corcoran who was my colleague in The Army Band, and also a devoted shooter. I'll miss his wit and contagious enjoyment of shooting. John and Peggy Taylor*

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July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Rest in Peace - Bobby Kidd July 8, 2012*

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July 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Joyce and Penny. I just saw Donnie's obituary in the Post this morning. Betty Lou and I send our condolences and prayers. He will be very much missed by so many, many people, including me. We are now at Ocean City through July 18. I am going to make every effort to attend the funeral, but just in case I don't make it, please know that we are thinking about you, and remembering Don. JoAnn Griffith is here as a house guest, so Betty Lou will not be able to come. All our love, Jerry and Betty Lou.*

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July 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ I would like to extend my condolences to the Proffit family on the passing of Don. I know Don from the P.G. Skeet and Trap Range where he loved to shoot sporting clays. We shot together many times over years. He was a favorite of all the guys and renown for his story telling. We couldnt wait to hear the joke of the day for he always seemed to have one. His comedic timing was impeccable. Although his hands often quaked with a kind of palsy, he was remarkably accurate with a shot gun. He rarely missed a shot or a punch line. All those who knew him at the range will deeply miss this cheerful and friendly man.

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July 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Joyce and Penny My sincere condolences

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July 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ God Bless you all, his loving family and friends, in this time of loss. So many great memories of Donny over the years. I'll always remember his smile and the glint in his eye. Love to you all and with you in spirit as you celebrate his life. John & Robin Pifer & kids

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July 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM