



## Don Lies

March 23, 1950 - February 18, 2025

Donald Allen Lies, 74, died on Tuesday, February 18, 2025, at his home in Cedar Falls.

He was born on March 23, 1950, in Waterloo, Iowa, the son of Robert and Viola (Ackerman) Lies. He graduated from Columbus High School in 1968. He married Christine Choplin, together having two sons, Jeremy and Scott. They later divorced.

On May 1, 1999, Don married Cameon Latusick at the UAW Hall in Waterloo. Don was employed as a plasma cutter for O'Neal Steel from 1972 to 2016, also serving as chairman of the shop committee and a member of the UAW Grievance Committee for many years. He was an avid softball player for several local sponsors for over 20 years.

Don is survived by his wife, Cameon; son, Jeremy (Tammy) Lies of Cedar Falls; stepchildren, Chelsea (Arnold) Thompson of Waterloo and Shawn Rice of Cedar Falls; grandchildren, Austin Meyers, Scott Lies, Ashley Lies, and Maggie Lies; step grandchildren, Jaydn Ramsay, Gabriel Thompson, and Novalie Thompson; and sister, Diana (Dennis) Mingus of Evansdale.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a son, Scott Lies.

A family directed celebration of life will be held at UAW Local 838 on Sunday, March 9th from 1:00 –3:00 p.m.

Memorials may be directed to the family.

# Previous Events

## Family directed Celebration of Life

MAR 9. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

UAW Local 838  
2615 Washington Street  
Waterloo, IA

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Cameon, and family so sorry for your loss. Sending prayers for strength and comfort.* ”

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**Lynn Kramer** - March 02, 2025 at 07:25 PM

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*Thank you*

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**Cameon Lies** - March 08, 2025 at 05:50 PM

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“ *Our deepest sympathy to Don's family and friends.* ”



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**Columbus High School Alumni** - February 28, 2025 at 01:31 AM

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*Thank you*

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**Cameon Lies** - March 08, 2025 at 05:50 PM

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“ *Most of the time, we're not ready when a loved one leaves us. The experience is far from what we could imagine. What we have left are memories that we shared with the departed. May you be strengthened by the Holy Spirit (The Comforter) of God during this time and may this also be an opportunity to bring the rest of the family closer, to Love and cherish each other more, to celebrate and remember the life of the deceased.*

*To the Family and Friends of Ms Cameon, stay strong! We're together with you in prayer and Spirit. May God be with you all, Amen.*

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**Steven** - February 20, 2025 at 01:58 PM

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*Thank you*

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**Cameon Lies** - March 08, 2025 at 05:50 PM