



Richard A. Dix

January 9, 1930 - October 10, 2015

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RACINE-Richard A. Dix, age 85 passed away Saturday, October 10, 2015. He is survived by his cherished wife Donna and loving family. This year, he and Donna celebrated 64 years of a blessed marriage. Richard was a long time resident of Racine, more than 50 years.

He was born and grew up in Chicago, IL. He graduated from the University Of Illinois at Urbana with high honors and was a member of the Gama Sigma Delta honor society.

A thirty three year veteran of the Case Company he served a dozen years as International Advertising Manager traveling extensively worldwide. He also served on the board of directors of the International Advertising Association, Midwest Chapter.

He always said there is nothing more important than family. They were the joy of his life: his three daughters, Deborah Yugo (Daniel), Paula Spratt (Dean), and Laura Roeth (Rhett), seven grandchildren, one great grandchild, nephews, nieces, cousins and their wonderful husbands and wives.

On Saturday, October 17, 2015 a visitation will be held at Sturino Funeral Home from 10 a.m. until the time of the funeral service at 12 noon. Luncheon will follow. Burial will be at Greenwood Cemetery in Rockford, IL on Sunday, October 18, 2015 at 11 a.m.

Memorials to Racine Habitat for Humanity or charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

1011 Auburn Street
Rockford, IL 61103

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 17. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Sturino Funeral Home
3014 Northwestern Avenue
Racine, WI 53404
(262) 632-4479
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Funeral Service

OCT 17. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard A. Dix*



Sturino Funeral Home - October 14, 2015 at 01:42 PM

JH

“ *When I was a 23 year old graduate student, Richard offered me my first job working for him at J.I. Case in Racine. In the years working for Richard, I learned many valuable lessons that served me well for the remainder of my working life. From Richard, I learned the importance of being an honest, thorough, organized, and hard working employee. And I learned the value of always keeping my personal priorities straight. Unlike Richard, my career took me to many different jobs at many different companies; but his lessons served me well at each and every one of them. I am now retired, but I can honestly credit most of my business success to Richard Dix. Thank you, Richard. Sincerely, Jack Harris*

Jack Harris - December 02, 2015 at 08:48 AM

AJ

“ *Paula, thinking of you and your family with deepest sympathy. Your Dad is the first man you ever loved.....treasure the memories*
Ann
Touch of Elegance Hair Salon

Ann Johnson - October 17, 2015 at 05:38 PM

KY

“ So sorry for your loss. Even though we had only met him a few times, you could tell he took great pride in the kind and loving family he had raised. I am sure he must be taken comfort in knowing you all have friends and family that are here for you.

Kris Young and Troy Holkestad

kris young - October 17, 2015 at 05:28 PM

BE

“ May He who watches over all bring comfort and strength to you in your sorrow... I worked my last years at Case for Richard... I learned so much through him. A kind and gentle man, he was always of the same spirit and good character. So many good memories... He gave my children a huge tent when we lived in Burlington, the country, on thirteen acres... the only time the tent was down was in the winter... such fun we all had around that tent... I told Richard several times the only thing that saved me, working for him, was that he was surrounded by four women at home, example, if I had an 'incident' at work, he always had a closed door and a box of tissue while I 'shared'... I could go on but I'll stop for there are so many memorable times I could recollect over the years we worked together... Happy Home Coming Richard... A Friend, Barbra Eschmann, 3 Pine Tree Terrace, Foxfire Village, NC.

Barbra Eschmann - October 16, 2015 at 05:57 AM

DF

“ Our deepest sympathies on the loss of your dear loved one. Our Grand Creator promises to bring back to life those in his memory to perfect health on a paradise earth. Rev21: 3,4 John5: 28,29.

Dawson Family - October 15, 2015 at 03:49 PM

BE

“ Thinking of all of you at this time, with the loss of your Dad, Grand-Dad, and Great-Grand-Dad. Our prayers are with your Mom and every one of you this week and beyond. oxo

beth elzinga - October 14, 2015 at 09:46 PM

LB

“ So very sorry for your a special member of the family. May the God of all comfort help you endure during this difficult time with his promise to end all sickness sorrow and death. Again my sincerest condolences.

Louise Brown - October 12, 2015 at 05:30 PM