



Richard Henry "Dick" Simon

October 31, 1927 - March 10, 2011

Richard Henry Simon

RACINE – Richard ‘Dick’ Henry Simon, 83, passed away on Thursday, March 10, 2011 at Wheaton Franciscan Healthcare – All Saints. Dick was a lifelong resident of Racine, born on October 31, 1927, the son of the late Theodore and Louise (nee: Kaplan) Simon. He was united in marriage to Beverly Jean Johnson on February 4, 1950 at St. John’s Nepomuk Church.

Dick worked in research and development and had been a glass blower at S.C. Johnson Wax for more than 49 years. He was a member of St. Mary by the Lake Catholic Church, Order of Foresters and a founding member of the Racine Curling Club.

Dick is survived by his wife of 61 years Beverly; son, Chuck (Kathy) Simon of Merrill, daughters, Sue (Ben) Weitzel Sr. of Racine, Dawn Simon of Burlington and Jeanne (Randy) Lambrecht of Merrill and sister, Helen Westrich of Niagra. He is further survived by grandchildren, Chris Simon, Brian (Jackie) Simon, Nicholas Simon, Ben (Esther) Weitzel Jr., Gretchen (Matt) Talsma, Joe (Stephanie Czosenek) Weitzel, Dustin (Katy) Herzog, Michael (Janelle) Herzog and Samantha Simon; great grandchildren, Madeline, Scarlet, Logan, Joshua, Samuel, Tegan and Corbin. Dick is also survived by other relatives and friends including lifelong friend Bernie Kupper.

He was preceded in death by two sons, Peter James Simon in 1992 an infant son, Joseph Simon, brother, Bill (Geraldine) Simon; brother-in-law, Henry Westrich and in-laws, Marie (Charles) Griese.

Mass a Christian Burial for Dick will be celebrated at St. Mary by the Lake Catholic Church, 7605 Lakeshore Dr., on Monday, March 14, 2011 at 11 a.m. with Rev. Steve Stradinger officiating. Dick will be laid to rest at Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery with full military honors following mass. Visitation will be at Sturino Funeral Home on Sunday from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. and at church on Monday from 10 a.m. until mass time.

Memorials to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, 4125 N. 124th St. Unit A, Brookfield, WI 53005 have been suggested.

A special thank you to the staff on 2D, ITC, and the Cancer Center staff at Wheaton Franciscan Healthcare- All Saints, also to Dr. Choi and his staff.

Cemetery Details

Holy Cross Catholic Cemetery Hwy 32

5600 Holy Cross Road
Racine, WI 53402

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Sturino Funeral Home
3014 Northwestern Avenue
Racine, WI 53404
(262) 632-4479
info@sturinofuneralhome.com

Visitation

MAR 14. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary by the Lake Catholic Church
7605 Lakeshore Drive
Racine, WI 53402

Funeral Service

MAR 14. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard Henry "Dick" Simon*



Sturino Funeral Home - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM