



Richard H. Popp

March 8, 1935 - November 20, 2020

Popp, Mr. Richard H. (Dick),
Saginaw, Michigan

Richard passed away peacefully Friday, November 20, 2020, at Covenant Medical Center – Harrison, at the age of 85 years. Richard Harold Popp was born on March 8, 1935, in Bridgeport, Michigan, to the late William J. and Elsie A. (Butzin) Popp. He was married to Yvonne A. (Kusch) Popp on November 6, 1954, in Bridgeport, and she predeceased him on February 8, 2007. Years after Yvonne's passing, Richard reconnected with his high school sweetheart, Loretta (Lori) Prentice, they spent his remaining years happily enjoying life. Richard enjoyed the outdoors, cooking and several activities. He was an avid bowler, who participated in multiple leagues. He was Past Master and a 60 year member of Bridgeport Masonic Lodge #258. He especially enjoyed cooking for their corn beef dinners and the company of his friends. Prior to his retirement in 1997, Richard was employed as a production supervisor at General Motors for 36 years.

Surviving are his daughter, Virginia Campbell, Saginaw; his granddaughter, Kelly (Mitch) Clark; great grandsons; Dakota and Maxwell Clark; grandsons Jeffrey Cox and Benjamin (Krissy) Cox; special friends, John and Jean Cummings of Hemlock and several nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family members and dear friends. Richard was also predeceased by his

daughter, Kathryn Cox; his son, Rick Popp; his grandson, Adam Campbell; his brother, Ronald Popp and his sister, Jean Morrison.

Due to the on-going health crisis, distancing is requested and masks are required. Richard's committal service will be held at 1:00pm on Monday, November 30, 2020, at graveside in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Saginaw Twp., Michigan. The Rev. Charles F. Buckhahn will officiate. Memorial contributions may be given to the Bridgeport Masonic Lodge #258, 6186 Dixie Hwy, Bridgeport, MI 48722. Memories and sympathies of Dick may be shared with the family on his memorial website at WakemanFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

950 N. Center Rd.
Saginaw, MI 48638

Previous Events

Graveside Committal Service

NOV 30. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Richard H. Popp*

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



“ *Richard H. Popp*

September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *Poop Family: Sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. I worked for Dick and he was one of the fairest supervisors I worked for. Shared many jokes back and forth. Very nice man. Henry and Renie Prueter.*

Henry Prueter - November 27, 2020 at 09:40 AM



“ *Ginger—you dad was very special to us—just like having another brother—we will miss not being able to talk to him every day—hugs and lots of love to you and your family-like I said before call me if you want to have some one to talk to— lots of hugs to you*

John & Jean Cummings - November 24, 2020 at 07:21 PM



“ *Dick and I cooked a lot of corned beef together and I got to know him well. Dick was one of the finest men I ever met. He will be greatly missed.*

Ed Savage

Edward Savage - November 24, 2020 at 06:23 PM

RK

“ I called Dick last week to see how he was doing. Of course, like always, he was up-beat and positive. I really think that was more for my benefit than his, because, as others have said, he’s just about the kindest, most thoughtful gentleman I’ve ever known. He thanked me for the card and well wishes from our bowling league at Stardust. I told him to take care and I would call again. I had planned to do that today! Farewell, my fine friend.

We’ve been teammates on “The Happy Seniors” bowling league for the last several years. Vi, who used to be on our team, and I, have gone to several of his corn beef dinners at the lodge. She and I send our deepest sympathy to all of his family and those who have had the pleasure of knowing such a wonderful, first class, guy. He will be greatly missed.

Ruth King (The Optimists)

Ruth King - November 24, 2020 at 05:35 PM

JB

“ I cannot express how much Dick’s friendship meant to me. He was the most caring and loving person I ever knew. He took such joy in helping everyone and enjoyed life so much. The love he had for his Family was so evident and showed. I will miss my dear friend.....and my thoughts are with the whole Family.

Jan Beckman

Jan Beckman - November 24, 2020 at 03:41 PM

JR

“ To Richard’s Family Dick was the best cook for the Corned Beef dinners he was very dedicated to the work. He will be missed! Our sympathy for your loss..

John & Tammy Rivett

John & Tammy Rivett - November 24, 2020 at 01:01 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard H. Popp.*



November 24, 2020 at 12:49 PM



“ *The members of Bridgeport Masonic lodge #258 will miss one of the finest men we have ever had the pleasure to know. When something needed to be done, he was always first in line to volunteer his help. As master of the lodge, he was loved and respected by all. Soft and safe to you my brother.
Ron Huston Chaplain pm*

ron huston - November 24, 2020 at 10:54 AM



“ *Dear Ginger and family: We are so sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. Your dad was truly the nicest most genuine man I have ever met. We loved bowling with him and enjoyed his friendship tremendously. He was such a kind soul. Know that he loved you and your family with all of his heart. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. With Love, Kim & David Thomas*

Kim & David Thomas - November 23, 2020 at 10:08 PM



Like all of his friends, you can bet i'm missing him a lot. He was my first boyfriend when i was 16, then my parents sent me away to college. i am so happy that he was a part of my life in recent years.much love for him in my heart. Lori Prentice

Lori Prentice - November 30, 2020 at 05:03 PM