Richard J. Zilka Sr.

September 30, 1928 - January 28, 2016

Richard J. Zilka Sr. Beloved Husband of Marie nee Grupenhagen . Loving Father of Patty (Dale) Biniewicz, Michael (Kristen Reed) Zilka and Rick (Mary Eklund) Zilka. Proud Grandfather of Michael (Jenny) Zilka, Robert (Diana) Biniewicz, Daniel (April) Biniewicz, Amy Biniewicz and Lauren (Matt) Humbrecht. Great Grandfather of Michael, Quinn, Ben, Owen and Miles. Fond Brother of Georgian Kunde. Uncle of many Nieces and Nephews. President and current Executive Director of the Clearing Civic League, Midway Garden Society and St. Rene Senior Club. Funeral Monday 9:30 AM from FORAN FUNERAL HOME 7300 W. Archer Ave. (55th St. just west of Harlem) to St Rene Goupil Church for a 10 AM Mass of Resurrection. Interment Resurrection Cemetery. Visitation Sunday 3PM to 9PM. For information 708-458-0208.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **31**. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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Prayers

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Tribute Wall

Foran Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard J. Zilka Sr.

Foran Funeral Home - January 30, 2016 at 01:31 PM

EF

I am sorry to hear about Dick's passing. I have many nice memories of him and the rest of your family growing up as your neighbor.

Eric
Fudala

eric Fudala - February 02, 2016 at 06:18 PM

LP

So truly sorry for you loss...May memories of good times help you heal....Warm regards. Lorraine & Stan Pasinski

Lorraine Pasinski - February 01, 2016 at 01:31 PM

DE

We are so sorry to hear about Richard. I just found out about 10 minutes ago and feel bad that we have missed the wake and the funeral. My prayers will all of you.

Debra and Kevin Esler

Debra Esler - February 01, 2016 at 09:51 AM

JK

Our condolences to Marie and the entire Zilka Family. Rich was a good friend and mentor. He was a strong advocate for our community and his never ending dedication to that end will be missed.

Good bye old friend, John Kurtovich

JOHN KURTOVICH - January 31, 2016 at 09:30 PM

EC

So sad to hear of Rich's passing. I met Rich and Marie many years ago at the Marquette Midwest Garden Society. He was always one to take on the leadership role in any organization. I'm sure Heaven will welcome his assistance! Take care, Marie! Eleanor Cohn

Eleanor Cohn - January 31, 2016 at 04:51 PM

NH

Dear Zilka Family,
My husband and I are very sorry for your loss. We got to know RIchard when we moved next to Barbara Suda. He was always looking out for her after her husband passed away. He was a kind and sweet man. God Bless Richard and your family.
Nancy Howard and Walter Kozlowski

Nancy Howard - January 31, 2016 at 02:12 PM

SE

Thank you for all the help you provided when I worked in the Clearing area. Best regards, Sheila Elliott

Sheila Elliott - January 31, 2016 at 10:34 AM

RD

RAY AND KIM DESPARROIS purchased the Divi ne Peace Bouquet for the family of Richard J. Zilka Sr..

RAY AND KIM DESPARROIS - January 30, 2016 at 01:47 PM

43 files added to the album LifeTributes

Foran Funeral Home - January 30, 2016 at 01:28 PM

RK

Dear Patty, Dale and Zilka Family,

So sorry to hear about the loss of your Dad. You will all be in our thoughts and prayers. God bless you all!

Rich and Sue Krcik

Rich and Sue Krcik - January 30, 2016 at 11:21 AM

Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Richard J. Zilka Sr..

January 29, 2016 at 04:00 PM