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Richard Blair Obituary

Richard L. Blair, 76 of Elyria, died February 18, 2015 surrounded by his loving family. He was born January 10, 1939 in Berea where he lived until at the age of 7 moving to Elyria. Richard was a 1958 graduate of Elyria High School and employed for 32 years at Ford Motor Company, Lorain, retiring in 1993. He was a life member of St. Andrews Episcopal Church in Elyria where he was a former altar boy. Shopping for his remodeling and decorating projects were an enjoyable pastime. Other interests included tending his rose garden, fishing, camping, boating and reading. He was knowledgeable regarding current events and passionate when discussing politics. He loved traveling, his dogs and cooking and entertaining, especially for family gatherings during the holidays. Richard is survived by his wife of 36 years, Karen L. Blair; children Susan (Mark) Blair-McKinley of Amherst and Mark (Jessica) Blair of Perrysburg, OH; stepchildren Katherine Inderrieden, Mary (Randy) Mizen-Bruce, John (Cheryl) McKenna, all of Elyria and Pauline McKenna of Ann Arbor, MI; grandchildren Tiana, Alex, Katie, James, Jacob, Brittany, Paul, Hayley, Julia and Emily; great grandchildren Peyton, Carter, Adam and Aubrianna and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents Lawrence and Gwendolyn Blair and a sister Molly Rader. Friends will be received Sunday, February 22, 2015 from noon to 2:00 P.M. at Dicken Funeral Home and Cremation Service, 323 Middle Ave. Elyria. A service will follow at 2:30 P.M. at St. Andrews Episcopal Church, 300 Third St., Elyria with Reverend June Hardy Dorsey, Rector officiating. A burial service will be Monday, February 23, 2015 at 11:00 A.M. at Sunset Memorial Park, North Olmsted, OH. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Andrews Episcopal Church. For online condolences, visit www.dickenfuneralhome.com



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SF

Scott Blair Rader & Family posted:

I am so, so sorry to hear about Uncle Dick. We were out of town when we received the news, and could not get back in time for the services. Karen and Susan; I am sure glad Heather and I were able to come and see you and Dick last Summer. I am truly blessed to have that memory. We love you all, and ache for your loss. Scott

February 22 at 8:00 PM

KC

Keith Curney posted:

Sorry for your loss, Mr Blair will be greatly missed.

February 21 at 8:00 PM

DJ

Dick & Donna Jones posted:

There are no words that will replace the loss of a loved one. We can only hope that Dick has found happiness and peace. Donna and I send our hopes that happiness returns to your life With Love Dick & Donna

February 20 at 8:00 PM

MM

Michael And Linda Mckenna posted:

Our deepest sympathy for the loss of Dick Blair. Praying for his soul and for the entire Blair family.

February 19 at 8:00 PM

BM

Bill Mckenna posted:

you are home, rest now in the Divine light of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Pray for us.

February 19 at 8:00 PM

JV

Jerry And Elizabeth Vogel posted:

Our sincerest condolences to you all. Love and hugs from Saint Louis. Jerry Vogel

February 18 at 8:00 PM



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Sue Leonard posted:

So sorry to hear of your loss. My best wishes go out to everyone at this difficult time. Love Sue

February 18 at 8:00 PM



Heather Rader Sherwood posted:

Love you Uncle Dick.

February 18 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Richard by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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