



Richard E. Mulford Sr.

March 8, 1942 - April 20, 2015

Richard E. "Dick" Mulford, Sr. 73, of Bonita Springs died April 20, 2015 at his residence after waging a valiant battle with cancer for the past 7 years. Dick had been a resident of Bonita Springs since 1989 coming from Lima, OH. He was born March 8, 1942 in Amherst, OH a son of the late Dr. Robert J. and Mildred (née Jones) Mulford.

He was a graduate of the Marion L. Steele High School in Amherst and later attended Miami of Ohio University. Dick spent most of his career with the Westfield Insurance Company in Westfield Center, OH as a Senior Claims Adjuster. He retired in 1989 after 25 years.

He was very active in his sons' lives serving as an official at AAU sponsored Track, Swimming and Diving Competitions. Always at peace on the water or a golf course, two of his greatest loves were fishing and golf. He was also an avid cook.

Dick is survived by his loving wife of 51 years, Gayle A.; two sons, Richard E. "Rick", Jr. and his wife, Julie of Edwardsville, IL and Robert J. "Rob" and his wife, Jennifer of Mt. Juliet, TN; his twin brother, Robert J. and his wife, Sandy of Athens, GA, his sister, Janice Gargas and her husband, Michael of Amherst, OH; 4 grandchildren, Sam, Anna, Chloe and Brady and numerous nieces and nephews.

As per Dick's wishes, a private family memorial will take place at a later date.

To honor his memory, the family asks that donations be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or online at www.stjude.org/donatenow

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard E. Mulford Sr.*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Dick and Bob were my earliest and thus longest of friends, classmates, and occasionally golfing partners. I remember my last meeting with Dick at Westfield's Country Club in Medina, OH. He and I had a good time. Ginny and I offer our sympathy and thoughts of comfort to Gayle and their family.*

Les Kreeger - May 15, 2015 at 08:18 AM



“ *Gayle,
My heartfelt sympathies for your loss of Dick. If there's anything I can do to help, let me know.*

Ann Louise - April 25, 2015 at 09:19 AM