



Richard Lee Hancock

October 14, 1947 - April 24, 2017

Richard Lee Hancock, age 69, passed away peacefully at his home on Monday, April 24, 2017. Mr. Hancock was born October 14, 1947 in Danville, Illinois to Ernest Vernon and Etta Eunice Hancock.

A memorial service is scheduled for Wednesday, April 26, 2017, at 1:00 p.m. at Shelton Funeral Home with Dr. Doug Ripley officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday, April 25, 2017 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a son, Matthew Craig Hancock; brother, John Hancock; two sisters, Lena Mae Cox and Wilma Shelato.

His survivors include his wife of 46 years: Sylvia Lee Hancock; son Christopher John Hancock (Susan); daughter, Candice Hancock McClanahan (Wesley); two beautiful granddaughters who called him "Pop", Macy Claire Hancock and Aubrey Kate McClanahan; and three sisters Jeannie Ardire, Betty Lee (David), and Diana Jumps (Richard).

Richard graduated from North Vermillion High School and joined the U. S. Army in June, 1965. He was awarded the Purple Heart while serving in Vietnam on May 12, 1966. Mr. Hancock is retired from Delphi and a member of Decatur Baptist Church.

Pallbearers will be family members.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to American Cancer Society or St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital.

Tribute Wall

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“ Sharon Kost Truskosky lit a candle in memory of Richard Lee Hancock



Sharon Kost Truskosky - April 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ Diane and family, So sorry to hear of Dick's passing. I remember all the good times we had growing up together. May God hold you in His arms and give you comfort at this hard time.



Sharon Kost Truskosky - April 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ A TABLE BASKET was sent on April 25, 2017 God's Goodness, Grace, and Mercy. From sister Betty and all her family.



Expression of Sympathy - April 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ A TRADITIONAL FUNERAL BASKET was ordered on April 25, 2017



Expression of Sympathy - April 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ Chris I am so sorry for your loss. I met your dad only one time, but you are a GREAT man so that is a reflection of him. I know he is proud to have you as a son! You are a great friend and I love you!



Floyd Graham - April 24, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ A SPATHIPHYLLUM was sent on April 24, 2017
Coach Hancock,
We are thinking about you and your family during this difficult time.



Floyd and Jen Graham

Expression of Sympathy - April 24, 2017 at 12:00 AM