



Richard R. Smigelski "Dick"

September 9, 2022

Formally of Greenfield, WI, passed away September 9, 2022 at the age of 81 years.

Dick was born in September 1940 in Milwaukee, WI to Casimir and Carol Smigelski. He graduated from Rochester Agricultural High School in 1958 and attended Milwaukee Area Technical College.

Dick married Judy Warda in 1959. Together they raised three children: Karen (Ray) Smigelski Hughes, Brian (Barb O'Brien) Smigelski and Robert (Laura) Jacobi-Smigelski.

After several occupations, Dick partnered with Joe Gresser and together they successfully grew Select Machining Corporation. Dick retired as President of Select Machining in 1999.

Dick enjoyed perch fishing, playing cards with his friends, polka dancing and gardening. Greenfield recognized his gardening talent with an award for best residential landscaping.

Richard is survived by his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. He is also survived by his brother, Eugene(Sarah) Smigelski , additional sisters-in-law, Carol Bindas, Sandy Blessinger and Donna Johnson and special friend, Mary Trainor.

Special thanks to the caregivers at Silverado Memory Care and Brighton Hospice.

Private Services will be held in the future.

Tribute Wall

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“ *It was an absolute pleasure getting to know my great country friend Dick over the years. I will always smile when thinking of all the great nights singing and watching him and Mary, laughing, dancing and enjoying themselves. With a smile, he would come up, ask for a little Johnny Cash and then follow it up with a fun Yee-Haw! You will be greatly missed and thank you for making the world a better place. I know you are surrounded by many special angels. Rest well and we will all see you once again and go down that country road together. GOD Bless, Jeff Hagenau*

Jeff Hagenau - September 28, 2022 at 05:47 PM

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“ *My Dear Dick,
I miss you with all my Heart. So many memories. Your beautiful Dahlia flowers. The pizza from Vinchi's. Your crock pickles, the special seed tomatoes for BLT's, your home made turkey soup always in the freezer, your meatloaf sandwich. I will miss you my chef! The Saturday nights dancing to our favorite country songs played by our friend Jeff Hagenau the Country Music musician. I miss you my dancing partner! When tomorrow starts without you, don't think we are far apart, for every time I think of you, you'll be right here in my Heart! Love, Mary*

Mary Trainor - September 24, 2022 at 05:49 PM