



Richard W. Eder

October 15, 1945 - June 20, 2020

Richard W. Eder, 74, of Hanover, passed away peacefully on Saturday June 20, 2020, at home surrounded by family.

Born on Monday, October 15, 1945 in Baltimore, MD, he was a son of the late Emil W. and Josephine Niedzwick Eder. He is also preceded in death by a brother, Timothy Eder. A proud US Army Reserve veteran, he was a 1963 graduate of Overlea High School in Baltimore and received his Bachelor's degree in Geography from the University of Maryland. Richard worked as a computer programmer for the Social Security Administration for 40 years before retiring in 2008.

In addition to his life partner of 17 years JoAnn Kneller, survivors include three very special ladies: Kristina Kneller, and her daughters, Courtnee and Gabby; a beloved neighbor, Tom Albaugh; three siblings, William Eder and his spouse, Elaine, of Baltimore, MD, Robert Eder and his spouse, Linda, of Pennsylvania, and Dorothy Akehurst and her spouse, Lauren, of Baltimore, MD; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services for Richard will be held privately.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to VNA of York and Hanover, 440 N. Madison St, Hanover, PA 17331.

Comments



“ I have so many good memories of Richie (he called himself RTR - Richie the Ref). He and I worked for many years together as lacrosse officials and made countless road trips together. During our drive time, I got to know him better where regaled me with stories of his trips to Scotland. Joanne, I remember sitting next to you at Hopkins where we watched Richie officiate a championship lacrosse game. He was always a lot of fun to be around.

Lea Kusner

Lea Kusner - June 29 at 12:16 PM



“ I was in programming class with Rich. We were partners for the final few weeks. He was a gentle person that I truly enjoyed working with during our class. I saw him occasionally after we got out of class and always wished him well. I am so sorry to hear that he passed away.

Bev Ibbott

Beverly Ibbott - June 29 at 07:58 AM



“ Rick and I worked in Sytems. I met him first when I worked N/S back in the late 70s as a peripheral equipment operator. I'd have to work offsite at the old Woodlawn Drive Building; Rick would be one of the late-working people. In 1981 i was promoted to programmer into his division. We would bumped into each other many times in our careers with SSA. And on the outside, too. I would see him as a soccer ref at Ridgely MS near me. I liked him, as you can tell. My sincere condolences to his friends, and family. Peace to you all. Gregory Stec, Lutherville, MD.

Gregory Stec - June 28 at 10:01 AM