



Richard O'Leary

January 18, 1936 - February 15, 2018

Richard "Dick" Paul O'Leary, 82, of Nashua, NH passed into eternal life on February 15, 2018. [L L L]
[SEP SEP] He was born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to Thomas and Elizabeth "Bessie" O'Leary on January 18, 1936, the youngest of ten children.

He was raised in Pittsburgh and attended Central Catholic High School. Richard joined the United States Army in 1955 and was stationed in Germany, before being honorably discharged in 1958. He then attended and graduated from Penn Technical Institute in Pittsburgh.

Richard married Patricia Sperling of Pittsburgh on June 16, 1962 in Oklahoma City, OK. [L L L]
[SEP SEP] He started work as an electronics technician with the Federal Aviation Administration in April 1962. His career with the FAA brought him initially to Fairbanks and Galena, Alaska, then to Elmira, New York, then Houlton, Maine, and finally to Nashua, where he retired in 1997. [L L L]
[SEP SEP] He served in several volunteer leadership roles with the Boy Scouts of America and was recognized with the Silver Beaver award by BSA's Katahdin Area Council. He also served as a youth baseball coach. [L L L]
[SEP SEP] He was a communicant at Immaculate Conception Parish in Nashua where he served on the building committee for the new church. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus.

Richard was preceded in death by his son, Daniel, brothers Thomas, James, and William, and sisters Helen Sheehan, Henrietta Robbins, Dorothy Riley, and Elizabeth Konrad. Richard is survived by Patricia, his wife of fifty-five years, daughter Debra of San Francisco, California, son David and daughter-in-law Lisa of Springfield, Massachusetts, sister Patricia Wells, brother John "Jack", sister-in-law Mary, sister-in-law Claire, and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Thursday, February 22 at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Nashua. Burial will be private. Contributions in lieu of flowers may be sent to the Immaculate Conception Building Fund, 216 East Dunstable Rd. Nashua, NH 03062.

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard O'Leary*

October 06, 2023 at 08:13 AM



“ *Richard O'Leary*

September 27, 2023 at 04:05 AM



“ *Rest in peace Uncle Dick. We have lost another great O'Leary, but your legacy will live on. Godspeed to you and those you have temporarily left behind, for we shall meet again.*

John O'Leary - February 21, 2018 at 08:25 AM



“ *Remembering Uncle Dick with much fondness in particular the year my family spent nearby in Amherst, NH. Always a giving man whose faith, family and community were of great importance. Deepest sympathy to Pat, Debra, David and Lisa. May he rest in peace.*

Vicki Nash - February 20, 2018 at 03:22 AM