



Richard J Dick Bren Jr

August 17, 2013

Bren, Richard J., Jr. "Dick" of Eden Prairie, born March 31, 1933, passed away peacefully on August 17, 2013, surrounded by his loving family. Preceded in death by parents, Richard and Martha, and infant son, Jimmy, brothers including his twin Evan, and Gregory. Dick graduated from Eden Prairie High School '51 and the University of Minnesota '55. He was Athletic Director for the City of St. Louis Park for 8 years followed by a lengthy career in real estate. His love of the outdoors included hunting, fishing and playing town baseball and softball for many years. He also enjoyed coaching youth baseball in St. Louis Park and Eden Prairie, He and his wife Bev enjoyed traveling, spending time at their children's cabins, and wintering in Arizona where they made many life-long friends. His greatest love was spending time with his family, especially with his adored granddaughters and great-grandchildren. In his retirement years, he especially enjoyed following and supporting Eden Prairie H.S. sports and American Legion baseball. Dick is survived by his wife, Bev; daughter, Joni (Ralph) Teschner; son, Jerry (Loree) Bren; granddaughters, Krissi (Kevin) Green, Lauren, Alyssa and Jenny Bren; great-grandchildren, Grace and Robbie Green; brother, Bruce (Kaye) Bren; sister, Barbara (Ike) Eigen; nieces, nephews, cousins and many dear friends. In lieu of flowers, memorials to Faith Presbyterian Church or donor's choice. Funeral service 11 AM Wednesday, August 21 at Faith Presbyterian Church, 12007 Excelsior Blvd, Minnetonka with visitation 1 hour before service and Tuesday 4-8 PM at: www.Washburn-McReavy.com Eden Prairie Chapel 952-

975-0400 7625 Mitchell Road (1 blk N of Hwy 5)

Tribute Wall

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“ Richard (Dick) Bren was one of 10 of us who started first grade at Eden Prairie in Sept. 1939 & attended continuously until graduation in June 1951. There was a total 17 in our 1951 EPHS graduation class. The others were Janice Barney, Betty Berger, Ross Clark, Ronald Holasek, Lois & Lorraine Kocosrek, David McConnell, Phyllis Peterson, & myself, William J (Bill) Toensing. Richard (Dick) Bren was one of the top players in our EPHS basketball & baseball teams. We were too small a school back then to have a football team. To my knowledge, Dick was the first of the boys in our class although I know 3 of our girl classmates have passed on. As a real estate agent, Dick Bren was involved in the sale of my parent's Eden Prairie home. Dick, you will be badly missed by me as you were the best source of information on my fellow classmates & I think you were one of the few if not the only one of our classmates that lived in Eden Prairie for practically your whole life.
Bill Toensing
Nevada City, Calif.

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“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Richard J Dick Bren Jr.



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“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Richard J Dick Bren Jr.



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