



## Richard Joseph Hentges

August 8, 1938 - February 10, 2025

Hentges, Richard (Dick), age 86, passed away peacefully on February 10, 2025. Dick was surrounded by loving family the week preceding his death and will be missed by all. Dick was born on August 8, 1938, to Stan and Eileen Hentges and grew up in Sleepy Eye Minnesota with his 4 brothers (Tom, Mike, Jim and Pat). He attended the University of Minnesota and was an active member of Phi Sigma Kappa fraternity. On December 29, 1962, Dick married his college sweetheart, Carol Jean Meyer. They had 62 wonderful years together, raising 4 children (Kathy, Patty, Pete, Matt) in Edina Minnesota. Dick enjoyed both playing and watching sports and spend many hours watching his children and grandchildren play hockey, baseball, softball and soccer. Dick worked for many years in the manufacturing sector, ending his career at Foley-Belsaw Company as the President/COO. Dick and Carol loved to travel. Their many trips included Russia, China and South Africa. During retirement years, Dick and Carol purchased a cabin on Potato Lake and spent many summer weekends entertaining friends and family and building wonderful family memories for their children and grandchildren. Dick is survived by his wife Carol, his 4 children, Kathy (Pat) Tobin, Patty (Andy) Jeschke, Pete (Janae), Matt (Amber), 15 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. A visitation will be held on Thursday, February 20 at 9:30am followed by a Mass at Our Lady of Grace Catholic church 5071 Eden Ave, Edina. Donations in lieu of flowers to St Jude's Children's Research Hospital ([stjude.org](http://stjude.org))



# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **20**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church  
5071 Eden Avenue  
Edina, MN 55436

## Mass of Christian Burial

FEB **20**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Dick was always smiling and extremely interested in what you had to say. He has a fantastic wife and kids His priorities were in the right place and his family was his #1 priority. We'll all see you someday again. Rest in peace.

*Brad & Maria Atol*

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**Brad Atol** - February 13, 2025 at 03:11 PM

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*To Fr Jim and family; to Richard and his family, we send our condolences and prayers over the loss of Richard. As The obituary expresses the love, values and care of Richard to his own, with Fr. Jim here in Saskatchewan's Blessed Sacrament Parish where he is our pastor, we are fortunate to receive identical blessing.  
RIP*

*Terry and Debby O'Malley  
Regina, Canada*

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**T O'Malley** - February 13, 2025 at 03:49 PM

TK

*Dick, please know you will truly be missed. The following is not mine but says everything that is Dick Hentges; There is deep loss and sorrow in times like this but then there couldn't be a lot of sorrow, unless there was a lot of happiness! Every time you think of Dick, you WILL Smile! God Bless you Richard. You've been like a brother to me. Farewell my Friend. I will miss you!*

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**Tom kelly** - February 16, 2025 at 10:35 AM

TJ

*Dick's family has my sympathy. I was Dick's classmate for all 12 years we spent at St. Mary's. Knew him and his brother, Tom very well. Sorry to hear of Dick's passing. Tom Johnson, La Mesa, CA.*

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**Tom Johnson** - February 19, 2025 at 05:15 PM