



## Richard K. Nelson

June 25, 2014

Nelson, Richard K. Age 59, of Blooming-ton. Rick passed away peacefully at home of cancer on June 25, 2014 Preceded in death by father, Leonard; mother-in-law, Marilyn Frellsen. Survived by loving wife of 30 years, Susan; sons, Matthew, Michael, David; mother, Evelyn; brothers, Don (Linda), Jim (Margie); sisters, Joni (Bruce) Larson, Sue (Scott) Hough; father-in-law, Ray Frellsen; in-laws, Sara (Jim) Kunitz, Patty (Roy) Green, Peter Frellsen; many nieces, nephews and friends. Rick attained the rank of Eagle Scout, graduated Robbinsdale High School and the U of M where he served as president of Kappa Sigma Fraternity. Owner of Nelson's Meats & Bakery since 1979. Rick lived his life faithful to God, his family and friends. Memorials preferred to Cathedral of the Pines Camp or donor's choice. Memorial Service: Wednesday, July 2nd, 11:00 AM visitation 9:30 AM at Mount Olivet Lutheran Church (WEST CAMPUS), 7150 Rolling Acres Road, Victoria. [www.Washburn-McReavy.com](http://www.Washburn-McReavy.com) 952-920-3996

# Tribute Wall

 Shawn  
Bramanti

“ It truly saddens me to only just today (Thursday July 3rd) find out the sad news of Rick's passing. I knew Rick since his son David was in grade school with our kids in Bloomington. My favorite memory will probably have to be seeing Rick coaching basketball for BAA when the kids were younger and Rick would get so worked up about things that were occurring in the game that he would be visibly beside himself in seeming outrage. He genuinely cared about the sporting event and wanted the best for his team of youngsters. He had coached them and worked with them and the least that could happen would be that the referees would make proper calls. It was an odd sight considering how well I knew him and how he usually was, passionate about things but always well composed. Over the years since then I continued to see his son Mike and keep up with details of their life through him as he continued to work as an umpire for BAA. In the last two years I was proud to have Nelson's cater our older son's graduation party, which was a huge success. Prior to that party I got to talk to Rick for a long time and do some catching up. In the past year I saw Susan once and Rick once and only then did I hear about Rick's health. It is always a shock to hear bad news about someone you have known for a long time and this one truly shook me. Our thoughts and prayers are with Susan and her sons in this sad time.  
Shawn and Karin Bramanti

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**Shawn Bramanti** - July 03, 2014 at 10:59 AM

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We just heard the news of Rick's passing. Our hearts ache for you. We moved to Minneapolis because Rick hired John as his bakery manager in 1990. We have fond memories of Rick and will cherish them in our hearts forever. We will be praying for you as you mourn the loss of such a wonderful man.

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**John and Sandy Tellinghusen** - July 13, 2014 at 09:22 AM