



Richard Ervin Thomas

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Richard Ervin Thomas, Beloved father, Grandfather and Great Grandfather passed away on May 10th of 2026 from prostate cancer. Preceded in death by parents Ervin and Elsie and beloved wife Diane. Survived by sister Diane (Dave), son Michael (Jennifer), daughter Sandy (Rich), grandchildren Shawn (Ashley), Kara (Tom), Samantha (Mike), Sarah (Alex) great grandchildren Tessa, Rylee, Greyson, Lincoln, Beckham, Avery and Griffin and many nieces and nephews.

Richard was born in Minneapolis, Mn. Oldest of two children. Went to Edison High School, served in the Marine Corps and had professional career at UPS Married Diane on April 14th, 1962

They started their life's journey in NE Minneapolis and later moved to Ham Lake, Mn. in 2006

He enjoyed camping in the 70s then upgraded to a cabin in 1984 on Rabbit Lake

He liked fishing, golfing, feeding the birds, woodworking and poker nights! Of course the Twins

Most of all he loved spending time with family, he was very proud of each and every one of them. Most importantly he loved his Lord and Savior, and he served his whole life. Long time member of Emmanuel Christian Center in Spring Lake Park.

Richard (dad) will be remembered as a warm and generous spirit, gentle, kind and loving man. He was a great role model to everyone that he met.

Upcoming Events

Visitation

MAY 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Coon Rapids Chapel
1827 Coon Rapids Blvd.
Coon Rapids, MN 55433

Memorial Service

MAY 27. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Greg Guimont purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Richard Ervin Thomas.



Greg Guimont - May 16 at 12:18 AM



“ Greg Guimont planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard Ervin Thomas.

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