



Stanley "Dick" Richard Kimball

June 27, 1938 - October 2, 2023

Stanley Richard Kimball, 85, of Kalkaska passed away Oct 2, 2023, in Traverse City. He was born on June 27, 1938, in Garfield Township to the late Stanley and Thelma (Hatley) Kimball. "Dick" is survived by his wife of 64 years, Gloria (Russell); his sons Steven (Debra), Scott (Fiancé Traci); 8 grandchildren; 19 great grandchildren; his sisters, Carol (Bruce) Smith, and Debbie (John) Bevis; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his daughter Beverly (Steve) Jasper; and sister Bonnie Campbell. Dick was a good-hearted big brother to his 3 sisters and was always looking out for them. As a dedicated Father Dick enjoyed working with the boy scouts as a merit badge councilor and encouraging many young boys including his sons as they achieved their merit badges. He worked at the GM truck plant in Flint for 10 years before moving his young family back to Kalkaska where he enjoyed working at Bear Archery. Dick retired from Wayne Wire in Kalkaska after 18 years and when he wasn't working, he was hunting or fishing. Dick won many fishing contests over the years and was proud to have 115 deer mounts. The memorial service will be held at Kalkaska Funeral Home on Monday, October 9th, 2023, at noon, visitation will begin at 11:00 AM. The burial will take place directly after the service at Evergreen Cemetery in Kalkaska, Michigan. Arrangements have been entrusted to Kalkaska Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Kalkaska Funeral Home
152 S. Cedar
Kalkaska, MI 49646
(231) 258-3346

Funeral Service

OCT 9. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Stanley "Dick" Richard Kimball.*



October 06, 2023 at 06:32 PM



“ *So sorry to hear that he passed away. Bryan and I enjoyed working with him for many years at Wayne Wire. We saw him at Merritt Speedway a few weeks ago, sorry now we didn't come say! Our prayers are with the family.*

Valerie McInerney - October 06, 2023 at 05:35 PM



“ *My heart goes out to the Kimball family. May good memories, good friends, family, and a loving God comfort you now and in the future.*

Susan DePeel - October 06, 2023 at 02:29 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Dicks' passing. True out doors man. fishing and hunting always put smile on his face.*

Diane Jasper - October 05, 2023 at 04:24 PM

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Gloria, I was so sorry to learn of Dick's passing. Always friendly & pleasant when I saw him and it was usually at the postoffice. Gloria, you are in my thoughts and prayers, and if I can do anything, please call me. I know you have 64 years of wonderful memories and they will help you in the days and weeks ahead. Draw on them as needed. May God be with you in the days ahead. We all know what a great guy Dick was.

Patty Rodgers - October 13, 2023 at 12:30 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Stanley "Dick" Richard Kimball.



October 04, 2023 at 01:42 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Stanley R. Kimball.

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