



Richard L. Kirchner

October 10, 1938 - November 2, 2012

Richard L. Kirchner, age 74, of Camdenton, formerly of Des Moines, Iowa, passed away, Friday, November 2, 2012, at his home. He was born October 10, 1938, in Des Moines, Iowa, the son of the late Frederick W. and Dorothy W. Clark Kirchner.

On April 11, 1959, in Whittemore, Iowa, he was united in marriage to Shirley Dau, who survives the home.

Richard was a firefighter for the Des Moines Fire Department from 1970 until his retirement in 1996.

He was a member of the New Hope Lutheran Church in Laurie.

He enjoyed living at the Lake of the Ozarks for the last 15 years.

In addition to his wife, Shirley, he is survived by his daughter, Kim Six and husband Dennis of Carlisle, Iowa; his granddaughters, Amanda Kiefer and husband Tony of Germany and Victoria Foster and husband Patrick of Des Moines, Iowa; three great-grandchildren, Will, Wyatt and Ella; his half-sister, Barbara Richardson and husband James of Indianola, Iowa; his brother-in-law, Lee Dau and wife Patricia of Camdenton, Missouri; and many other relatives and friends. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by

several aunts and uncles.

A celebration of Richard's life will be held at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, November 10, at the Kidwell-Garber Laurie/Sunrise Beach Chapel with Pastor Bill Ferretti officiating. The family will receive friends from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m., Saturday, at the funeral home. Inurnment will be held at a later date in Des Moines, Iowa. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to the New Hope Lutheran Church or to the American Cancer Society.

Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber Laurie/Sunrise Beach Chapel.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **10**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home - Laurie/Sunrise Beach Chapel
417 Silvey Rd.
Laurie, MO 65038
(573) 374-7688

Service

NOV **10**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DH

“ *What a gift it has been for me to have gotten the opportunity to be of service to Dick. I took away alot over the past two plus years from Dick's optimistic and positive outlook no matter what the situation. What a fighter!! His presense will be truely missed in our office! Shirley our blessings of love and healing go out to you and your family. Though this is a sad time remember the joyous times and know that he is in a far better place smiling down waiting patiently for your reunion. Many Blessing! Dr. Christi Hancock.*

Dr. Christi Hancock - November 06, 2012 at 09:03 AM

PK

“ *Dick was a vital member of our breakfast group & we are so thankful that we had an opportunity to know him. We thoroughly enjoyed sharing our mornings with him.*

Shirley, we are so sorry for your loss. Dick will truly be missed.

Marty and Peg Klaus

Peg klaus - November 05, 2012 at 10:48 AM

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We knew Dick from New Hope and Kent. He will surely be missed. We enjoyed his sense of humor. Shirley our deepest sympathy goes out to you and your whole family. Fred and Linda Tetley

Fred and Linda Tetley - November 05, 2012 at 07:58 PM