



Richard Way

January 11, 1934 - April 17, 2020

Richard Lawrence Way (January 11, 1934 - April 17, 2020)

Richard proudly served in the United States Army, and parlayed those life skills into a successful business career in the private sector. After being honorably discharged in 1963, Richard held executive positions at General Electric, Lockheed Martin, Rockwell International, and Parke-Davis Pharmaceutical. In 1976, Richard earned a partnership position with a law firm in Detroit, Michigan, but ultimately, he fulfilled his dream of branching out and founding his own private law practice.

Richard was born on January 11, 1934, to Katherine and George Way in Greenfield, Massachusetts. After graduating from Greenfield High School in 1951, he moved on to the University of Pennsylvania Wharton School of Commerce and Finance. After graduating from, what is now known as, the Wharton School of Business in 1956, and proudly serving his country, he received an MBA from Georgia State University in 1964, followed by graduating from Emory University in 1969 with his Doctorate of Law. Richard and Wilma had a passion for travel and set out to see the world. He would love to sit and share the details of a few of his favorite trips: a cruise around South America, a fun-filled wildlife safari in Africa, or the tour of India, Nepal and the Himalayas.

Richard is survived by his wife of 63 years, Wilma Way of Corsicana; his children, Kevin Way of Pickerington, OH and Deborah Bonner and husband Aric of Corsicana, TX.; his grandchildren, Jessica Way of Waxahachie, TX, Austin Way of Madison, WI, Alexis Way, of Indianapolis, IN, and Gabriela Bonner of Corsicana, TX; and one Great-granddaughter Addilyn Bonner.

Due to the Covid Pandemic there will be a family graveside service at Oakwood Cemetery on Friday, April 24, 2020 at 1:00pm with Pastor Rick Lamb officiating.

Memorials can be made to the Navarro County Humane Society.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

900 North 19Th Street
Corsicana, TX 75110

Previous Events

Family Graveside

APR **24**. 1:00 PM (CT)

Oakwood Cemetery
900 North 19Th Street
Corsicana, TX 75110

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Way*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Way.*



April 23, 2020 at 09:39 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Richard Way.*



April 22, 2020 at 09:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard Way.*



April 22, 2020 at 10:41 AM

PM

“ I will always remember Mr. Way and his sweet smile. The last time I saw him, he smiled at me and said " I haven't seen you in a long time". He was very special to me. Prays for the family. Pam Montgomery.

Pam Montgomery - April 21, 2020 at 03:32 PM

CT

“ So sorry for your loss! He will be missed! I loved the stories he had. Hugs to you Debbie and Mrs Way!!

Christi Tucker - April 21, 2020 at 03:31 PM