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Richard D. Peters, 74, of Decatur, passed away Friday, March 22, 2019 at his residence.

Richard was born December 21, 1944, in Decatur, the son of Raymond and Madge (Morey) Peters. He married Judie Ashby on October 24, 1965.

Surviving are his daughter, Denna (Smitty Smith) Peters of Decatur; six grandchildren, Josh Peters, Jason Peters, Corey (Kristen) Peters, Brooke Eckart, Brock (Amanda) Eckart, and Braxton Eckart; eight great-grandchildren and anxiously awaiting a new grandson; a sister, Edna Perry of Decatur. He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Judie; and a son, Jerry Peters.

Richard enjoyed music, fishing, hunting, and camping on the river. He also enjoyed eating at Taco Gringo and Texas Roadhouse. "It's not goodbye, its toodahoo

Honoring Richard Peters wishes cremation services will be provided by Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 2091 N. Oakland Ave.

Decatur, IL. A Celebration of Life will be at 5:00 p.m. Thursday, April 4, 2019 at the Decatur VFW Post 99. Please view the online obituary, send condolences, and share memories at www.gracelandfairlawn.com. Memorial contributions may be made to Denna Peters to help with funeral expenses.



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LM

Lisa (Starkey)Mcarthur posted:

My offer of condolences the family. Richie and my dad were second cousins (his grandmother and my dads dad were brother and sister) and I remember as a kid him coming out to our place to coon hunt. I thought he was so cool and had often wondered about him. Again....so sorry for your loss.

April 8 at 4:57 AM

LI

Lisa Ishee posted:

In the short time that I knew Richie, he became like a dad to me. He is greatly missed. Miss playing with Gypsy too.

March 31 at 4:16 PM

TF

The Fox Family posted:

to Richard peters family sorry to about are dad, rest in rip. mike Barbara sandi tubby, fox

March 30 at 4:26 AM

MR

Mary Rauch posted:

Going to miss watching him dance and just plain having a good time, rest in peace!

March 24 at 4:07 AM

RM

Rosemary Mignano posted:

RIP Richard. My heart goes out to the family. Love and prayers to you all.

March 23 at 1:51 PM

DB

Dale N Bridget Bliss posted:

Fish and camping is not going to be the same,going to miss you ole goat, but I know we will meet again.In my heart always,Bridget

March 23 at 11:36 AM



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Lori Fickes posted:

RIP sweet cousin...you are dearly loved and missed

March 23 at 11:22 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Richard by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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