



David K. Jacobsen Jr.

December 30, 1944 - February 7, 2022

David K. Jacobsen, Jr, age 77, of Richmond, IL, passed away Monday, February 7, at his home with family by his side.

He was born in Chicago, IL on December 30, 1944, a son of the late David and Margaret (Groot) Jacobsen, Sr.

He was married to Carol Soplanda on Sept. 2, 1967, in San Pierre, IN.

A graduate of Austin High School in 1963, he attended the University of IL at Navy Pier.

He served in the U.S. Army as a SGT during the Vietnam War from Jan 1970 to Dec 1972.

He worked as a tool and die maker at Ekco, A & A Metal and CM Products for 46 years, retiring in 2012.

He was a Little League baseball coach for several years. He was a die hard Sox fan, a Bears fan and Notre Dame fan.

David is survived by his wife Carol; a sister Dolores Vaughn of Richmond; brother-in-law Joe (Barb) Soplanda of Valpariso, IN, sisters-in-law Barb (Mel)

Haman of Kouts, IN and Judy Soplanda of Wanath, IN; several nieces and nephews, among them being Patricia Finney of Denver, CO and Ragina (Bart) York of Lake Geneva, WI and their children in Indiana, Texas, Georgia and Alaska. He was preceded by his parents and a son Erik.

Visitation will be Saturday Feb. 12, 2022 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at Ehorn-Adams Funeral Home 10011 Main St, Richmond. Prayers of Final Commendation and interment will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery in Richmond with military honors.

The family would like to thank his doctors and hospice for his care.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions to Richmond Food Pantry 5512 May Ave Richmond, IL 60071 or charity of one's choice .

For information, please call 815 678-7311 or visit www.ehornadams.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph Cemetery of Richmond

11100 Burlington Road
Richmond, IL 60071

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **12.** 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Ehorn-Adams Funeral Home (Richmond)
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Tribute Wall



“ *David K. Jacobsen Jr.*

January 29, 2023 at 06:51 AM



“ *I served with Dave in Viet Nam and have a few pictures of him. We were in Echo Recon 2/7 Cav and later in B-Co 2/5th Cav*
Kevin Perrier

Kevin Perrier - April 24, 2022 at 10:46 AM



“ *Dolores K. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of David K. Jacobsen Jr..*



Dolores K. - February 11, 2022 at 02:00 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of David K. Jacobsen Jr..*



February 11, 2022 at 11:22 AM

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“ John & Tim Soplada purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of David K. Jacobsen Jr..



John & Tim Soplada - February 10, 2022 at 05:17 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of David K. Jacobsen Jr..



February 10, 2022 at 04:23 PM

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“ I am blessed to have had such a wonderful man as my uncle. All of my memories of my Uncle Butch are happy and loving ones. Whether it was visiting for the summer in Chicago when I was young, spending Sunday dinners together and holidays together when my mom, sister, and I moved to Illinois, watching him cut down the family Christmas tree every year and making that holiday really special for us, or watching him be a caring and supportive son, brother, father and uncle. I will miss you dearly, and I am blessed you were mine. Rest in peace, dear uncle.

Patricia Finney - February 10, 2022 at 03:06 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of David K. Jacobsen Jr..



February 10, 2022 at 10:01 AM