



Richard Roxburgh

December 18, 1928 - June 25, 2012

Richard E. Roxburgh passed away peacefully on Monday, June 25, 2012.

Services: Private family services will be held at Golden Gate National Cemetery in San Bruno, Calif.

Memorials: In lieu of flowers, please send memorials in Richard's name to the Colleyville Public Library, Attention: Mary Rodne, 110 Main St., Colleyville, Texas 76034.

Richard was born in Chicago, Ill., on Dec. 18, 1928. He attended the University of Illinois and earned bachelor's and master's degrees in economics. He proudly served in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Korean War, and was in the Reserves for 13 years, retiring as a major. He was very active in the community and served on the original committee to bring Colleyville its first library where he served as a board member until 2009.

The family wishes to thank Community Hospice for their loving care.

Survivors: He leaves his wife of 57 years, Greta Roxburgh; his daughters, Linda and Kevin Creed, Karin and John Fisk, and Julie Roxburgh and Chris Hieber; his granddaughters, Catherine and Kelsey Creed; and many other family and friends. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Tribute Wall



“ Words can not say enough of how I feel about the best man in the world. Uncle Dick was kind to everyone on the planet. He didn't have a mean bone in his body. He was a very hard working and honest man. I am so proud of the way he conducted his life. He was an amazing father and husband to my cousins and aunt. I was so lucky to have been his niece. He was so loving and kind to me and to my children. Gerrit and Gabbi loved him very much. Uncle Dick is an example of how everyone should conduct themselves in every aspect of life. I am sad that such a kind man has left this earth. I know that he is being taken care of and is in a much better place than we are. I love you Uncle with all of my heart. You are missed very much. God bless you for everything you have done. You are the best man in the world. Blessings:)

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