



Richard Evans

February 5, 2015 - February 22, 2015

Richard Evans, 75, passed away peacefully on February 22, 2015 after a two year battle with cancer. He was born to Oscar and Sally Evans in 1939 in New York, NY.

Richard married Ruth Kleinfeld February 2, 1963 in Albuquerque, NM.

Richard graduated from Colorado School of Mines in Metallurgy 1963 and soon after started working at the Hanford Nuclear Facility. In 1968 he moved to Oklahoma City where he worked for Kerr-McGee at their Nuclear Facility. In 1975 Richard moved to Israel and worked for the Israel Electric Company. After becoming a citizen of Israel he was drafted into the Israel Defense Force as a reservist. In 1982 he moved to Johannesburg, to work at South Africa's Electricity Supply Commission.

Richard moved in 1986 to San Diego, CA and worked as the Quality Assurance Manager for Carpenter Technology Special Products Division. He retired from Carpenter Technology in 2004 and moved to Bellingham, WA.

Richard was a 10 year member of the Mt. Baker Rock and Gem Club and served as its Treasurer. He was an avid coin, stamp and rock collector. He loved the Pacific Northwest, specifically for the opportunities to spot eagles, swans, and other migrating birds. Richard loved spending time with his family

and friends, especially when it allowed him to give visitors a glimpse of the beautiful natural surroundings in the area.

Richard is survived by his wife, Ruth of Bellingham, WA.; daughter Rana Evans of Jacksonville, FL.; son Randy Evans and son-in-law Patrick Chi Wai Lai of Chicago, IL.

A Graveside Service will be held at Beth Israel Cemetery in Bellingham on Thursday, February 26, 2015 at 12:00PM.

Memorial donations may go to the Beth Israel 'New Building Fund' or the Mt. Baker Rock and Gem Club.

The family would like to give a very special Thank You to Whatcom Hospice and Rabbi Joshua Samuels.

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. Richard was a very special person. I really enjoyed when he was Treasurer of the Mt Baker Rock and Gem Club and got to know him. I really missed him when he had to give up the position. I was always so happy to see him when he could make it to the club meetings and picnics. I will miss him dearly. God bless.

Linda Mitchell - February 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Ruth, if there's anything I can do to help please let me know. Richard will be missed. He always considered everyone before he did anything. He was extra careful to make sure things were accessible for me, and as he got more frail he tried to take even more care. He was a good person.

Sheri Clark - February 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Randy and Patrick,
we are in this moment with you and your family.
Don't forget and remember always your nice and beautiful moments with your father. He will be at your side in any time. He is with his family...
sorry for me english, I could write this better in my language....
But the feeling for you, Randy and Patrick, is the same-
All the best wishes for all, Kerstin and Christian from Germany
(Wuppertal)

Kerstin Escher - February 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM