



## Richard "Dick" Standefer

June 10, 1932 - October 12, 2019

Dateline: Alton

Richard "Dick" Howard Standefer, 87, died at 1:53 p.m. Saturday, October 12, 2019 at his home. Born June 10, 1932 in Carrollton, IL, he was the son of Robert H. and Nellie (Dawson) Standefer. He served with the U.S. Marine Corps and was a member of the Community Christian Church. He retired as a warehouse foreman for Laclede Steel Company in Alton. On April 29, 1961 he married the former Ruth V. Ungard at the First Christian Church in Alton. She survives. Also surviving is a son and daughter-in-law, Robert B. and Sonya Standefer of Godfrey, three grandchildren, Samantha Woods (Mathew) of Godfrey, Bradley Standefer of Godfrey, and Rebecca Sievers (Tyler) of Worden, IL and a great granddaughter, Melody Woods. There will be no visitation. Services will be private with burial at Valhalla Memorial Park Mausoleum. Memorials may be made to the Community Christian Church. Gent Funeral Home in Alton is in charge of arrangements. Online guestbook and information may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard "Dick" Standefer*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Richard "Dick" Standefer*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *RUTH and family- Monica and I are truly sorry for your loss. he was one of a kind- Will always remember his kind words and wisdom on life- he was a great person and will be missed- Just know he is at peace. Our thoughts and prayers with you and family at this difficult time. Condolences- The Rick Crivello Family and employees of Bobs Lawn & Garden*

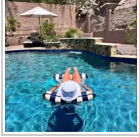
**Rick Crivello** - October 16, 2019 at 09:43 AM



“ *I am sorry to hear of Dick passing I always liked him. My condolences to Ruth ,Bob, Sonya, and all of the Grand kids. I will keep you in my Prayers.*



**Michael A. Schmierbach** - October 15, 2019 at 09:54 PM



“ *It is hard to imagine that Dick is gone. He was one of my favorite people on this planet. He was kind, funny, happy, and ageless until recent months. Some of my favorite childhood memories include Dick (and Ruth). RIP sweet soul, and know that you made this world better place.*

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**Traci Hopkins** - October 15, 2019 at 11:31 AM

JW

“ *Judith Wiesemeyer lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dick" Standefer*



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**Judith Wiesemeyer** - October 15, 2019 at 11:27 AM

JW

“ *So sorry for the loss of a wonderful man my blessing to you all he will be dearly missed by many.*

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**Judith Wiesemeyer** - October 15, 2019 at 11:26 AM

BK

“ *RIP Dick your going to be missed! I remember the kids that rode your bus loved you as there driver! You always had kind word everytime we ran into you!  
Randy and Brenda Kemper*

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**Brenda Kemper** - October 14, 2019 at 04:47 PM

SY

“ *So sorry for your loss! Sending prayers for the family.*

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**Sunshine young** - October 14, 2019 at 03:42 PM

LD

“ *The memories flood my heart and soul of this amazing man and the family he and ruth created - We love this family sooo deeply- THANK GOD for memories. our prayers and love are with you during this difficult time*

Lloyd & Deanna - October 14, 2019 at 10:54 AM

NM

“ *So sorry to hear about Richard. He has been in our prayers daily. Loved all his FB posts. He had a great sense of humor and am sure he was loved by all who knew him. I am so glad that I finally got to meet him in person. Thoughts and prayers to all his family from Tom and I.*

Nancy marlow - October 13, 2019 at 10:42 PM



“ *Ruth I want to send you and the entire family my deepest condolences. Dick was a wonderful man I truly respected him, enjoy his company, and I was grateful for his friendship. Forever in my prayers,  
Susan Poole*



Susan Tampa - October 13, 2019 at 08:34 PM

SW

“ *Dear Ruth (Family) I am so sorry for your loss . I enjoyed our Sundays we spent together . You're in my thoughts & prayers .*



stacey woodward - October 13, 2019 at 07:08 PM

LS

“ *My sincere condolences to all of Dick's family! I drove with Dick for Federico and thoroughly enjoyed his company, sense of humor and his wisdom. Great man to be around! Prayers for you from here!*

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**Larry Strohbeck** - October 13, 2019 at 06:11 PM