



Richard E. Frietzsche

April 13, 1948 - February 9, 2025

Richard E. "Fritz" Frietzsche, 76, passed away Sunday, February 9, 2025, at Compassus in Indianapolis, Indiana. He was born in Indianapolis on April 13, 1948, a son of the late John and Louise (Scherrier) Frietzsche.

On March 9, 1973, he married Linda (Fields) Frietzsche in Indianapolis; she survives.

Rick received his associates degree in refrigeration from Ivy Tech. He honorably served in the US Navy from 1967 to 1971 on the USS American Aircraft Carrier CVA 66 as a petty officer second class machinist mate.

Rick was a refrigeration mechanic for Dow Chemical for 31 years, retiring in 2002. He has also worked at the Lebanon School Corporation and Carrier Refrigeration.

Rick was a member of the American Legion, Allison's Straight Pool, Indiana Classic Pool, Lebanon Billiard, APA, and Valley Pool Leagues.

Survivors include his wife, Linda Frietzsche; children, Bill (Lindsay) Frietzsche of Indianapolis and Tammie (Charlie) Parks of Jonesville, Virginia; six grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; sister, Yvonne Frietzsche of Indianapolis; and brother, Randall (Michele) Frietzsche of Colorado.

In addition to his parents, Rick was preceded in death by his son, Erick Burk Friezsche; sister, Sherrie Wallace; and brother, Don Friezsche.

Funeral Services with Military Rites are planned for 6:00 p.m. on Friday, February 14, 2025, at Myers Mortuary, 1502 North Lebanon Street in Lebanon, Indiana. Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. until the time of services. Cremation will follow services.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed in his memory to St. Jude's Children's Research 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 14. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Myers Mortuary
1502 North Lebanon Street
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *I will always love you!!* ❤️❤️

Linda Frietzsche. - July 31, 2025 at 03:24 AM



Linda Frietzsche - June 07 at 10:03 PM



“ *Angie Morton family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Richard E. Frietzsche.*



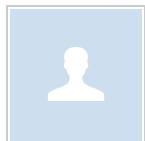
Angie Morton family - February 14, 2025 at 11:46 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Richard E. Frietzsche.*



February 14, 2025 at 10:05 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Richard E. Frietzsche.*

February 14, 2025 at 10:05 AM



“ Rick is my brother. He has always been a good father to Billy and good husband to Linda. He has always been good to me. When I was a child, he was always there for me and always protected me. I love him so much and will miss him greatly. He was a good pool player and always was a good friend to all who knew him. I will never forget him. I am glad he is not in pain anymore. I love you with all my heart, Rick.

Yvonne Frietzsche - February 13, 2025 at 02:52 PM



“ Gina, Joel, Richard & Jason purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Richard E. Frietzsche.



Gina, Joel, Richard & Jason - February 12, 2025 at 02:19 PM



“ Gina, Joel, Richard & Jason planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard E. Frietzsche.

Gina, Joel, Richard & Jason - February 12, 2025 at 02:19 PM



“ Carrier Corporation purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Richard E. Frietzsche.



Carrier Corporation - February 12, 2025 at 01:48 PM

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“ Carrier Corporation planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard E. Frieztsche.

Carrier Corporation - February 12, 2025 at 01:48 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard E. Frieztsche.



February 11, 2025 at 06:53 PM

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“ My Uncle Rick has always been a presence in my life. From the moment I was born he was a special part of my world. No matter how close or far apart we lived from each other, he was just a part of my heart that I always carried with me. I'll miss seeing him but am thankful he is now with God and is no longer in pain. I love you Uncle Rick. Your Neice, Mandi

Amanda Harford - February 11, 2025 at 08:35 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard E. Frieztsche.



February 11, 2025 at 08:23 AM

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“ *Rest in peace Rick. When I was a kid he gave me a stuffed Koala bear and it was my favorite stuffed animal. I slept with it every night until I rubbed all the fur off of it. I'm sure he's listening to his favorite blues music in heaven and hanging out with my mom.*

Gina Dowling - February 11, 2025 at 12:17 AM