



Mr. Richard Kenneth McConkey Jr.

January 16, 1946 - December 25, 2016

Loving husband, father, grandfather, brother and uncle Richard Kenneth McConkey went home to Our Lord Christmas morning, 2016.

He was born January 16, 1946 to Richard and Georgia McConkey in Milwaukee, WI. He is preceded in death by his sister and brother, Kathy Kracoe and Robert McConkey. He is survived by his wife, Nancy McConkey, his children Rick Kalal (his wife, Mary Beth), Courtney Loquasto (her husband Lou) and Sarah Giles (her husband Ashley), his grandchildren William and Elizabeth Kalal, Ally, Brayden and Cael Loquasto, Anna and Emery Giles, and his sister Suzi Jones (her husband Jim). He also leaves behind his in-laws and many adored nieces and nephews and their children.

Richard spent most of his youth in Canton, OH. He served as an altar boy for many years, and attended Central Catholic High, where he played on the baseball, basketball and football teams and ran track. He graduated from the University of Ohio and immediately attended OCS, where he went on to serve in the Army in the Vietnam War.

His career included many years in the medical device industry, where he developed several patents for Johnson and Johnson. He transitioned to the food industry, where he served as the VP of Marketing for Dominos and helped Americans everywhere "Avoid the Noid". He also served as the president of St. Vincent de Paul for several years at his church.

Richard became an entrepreneur later in his career, and started several companies with his wife, Nancy, including Georgian Holiday Design, which is still operating today, and is responsible for the Christmas decorations that adorn many hospitals and professional buildings around Atlanta.

Richard's favorite thing to do was spend time with his family. Until later in life his hobbies included golf, running, shooting pool and studying science.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the ministry Richard and his family have been working with for several years, the Atlanta homeless pregnancy shelter Sheltering Grace (shelteringgrace.org, click on the big red dot to make a donation.)

Cemetery Details

Northside Chapel Crematory

12050 Crabapple Rd
Roswell, GA 30075

Previous Events

Service

DEC 30. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Peter Chanel Catholic Church
11330 Woodstock Road
Roswell, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Richard Kenneth McConkey Jr.*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM

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“ *Angie lit a candle in memory of Mr. Richard Kenneth McConkey Jr.*



Angie - March 20, 2017 at 03:16 PM

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What a wonderful person and what a beautiful family. I thank God everyday I got to meet this fine man and his beautiful wife. I cherish the memories and continue to see Nancy as often as I can. The most beautiful couple I have ever met. God Bless.

Angie - March 20, 2017 at 03:18 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Mr. Richard Kenneth McConkey Jr..*



December 29, 2016 at 11:57 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Richard Kenneth McConkey Jr..*



December 29, 2016 at 10:25 AM

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“ *Chip & Weedgie Maloney purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Mr. Richard Kenneth McConkey Jr..*



Chip & Weedgie Maloney - December 29, 2016 at 01:32 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mr. Richard Kenneth McConkey Jr..*



December 28, 2016 at 05:27 PM

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“ *The Fisher Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Richard Kenneth McConkey Jr..*



The Fisher Family - December 28, 2016 at 11:20 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Richard Kenneth McConkey Jr..*



December 28, 2016 at 08:37 AM

SG

“ *We all know that Dad LOVED to laugh and to make people laugh (or gasp!). Please leave a funny story about dad here. We really love those!*



Sarah Giles - December 28, 2016 at 08:28 AM

SA

“ 6 files added to the album *Photos of Dad*



Sarah - December 27, 2016 at 10:47 PM