



Richard Paul Dauphinais

October 15, 1941 - January 13, 2007

Richard Paul Dauphinais, age 65, passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, January 13, 2007. "Duffy" was born on October 15, 1941, the son of Raymond Joseph Dauphinais and Margaret Mary Smith Dauphinais (both deceased). He is survived by his daughter, Emily Michelle Dauphinais, his son, Chadwick Benjamin Dauphinais, and the mother of his children, Beverly Landers Dauphinais, all of Roswell, GA. He is also survived by his brother Paul Raymond Dauphinais of Swanton, MD, many cousins in MA, many friends from Fitchburg, MA (especially Pauline Wiitala), many friends from Greenville, SC, and many friends from Atlanta, GA. Duffy graduated from Fitchburg High School in Massachusetts in 1960. He served in the United States Navy from 1961-1969 in the Submarine Service being honorably discharged as a Machinist Mate 1st Class (SS). He served on the USS Bang as well as other submarines and kept in touch with many of his "Navy Buddies". The USS Bang was deployed to the Mediterranean and northern Europe in 1962 and participated in Operation "Springboard" in the Caribbean in 1966. He was married in 1962 to Judith A. Capone, with whom he shared 21 years. After his time spent in the Navy, he obtained an Associate of Science from Mount Wachusett Community College in Industrial Management. He began his professional career in 1969 with Digital Equipment Corporation. In 1981, he moved to Greenville, SC to help DEC startup the circuit board manufacturing facility, and began his rise to Software Program Management. In 1986, he married Beverly and they had two children. In 1992, he accepted an early

retirement offer, and, not being ready for retirement, he partnered with his lifelong friend, Ron Wiitala, to startup a successful cultured marble manufacturing business, Royal Marble, Inc. He was a member of the United States Submarine Veterans, Grayback Base, and the American Legion. Services will be held on Friday, January 19, 2007 at 7:00 PM in the funeral home chapel. The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 PM at Northside Chapel Funeral Directors and Crematory, Roswell/Alpharetta, 770/645-1414. www.northsidechapel.com

Cemetery Details

Sikorski Funeral Home

3630 West George Street
Chicago, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 19. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors and Crematory
12050 Crabapple Road
Roswell, GA

Service

JAN 19. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Paul Dauphinais*

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“ *Bev, Emily & Chad*

I am so sorry for your loss. May your many memories of shared times and shared joys bring you comfort during this difficult time.

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“ *As chaplain of the Grayback Base, USSVI, I would like to express the sorrow we feel as a group at having lost one of our most dedicated shipmates. Duffy will always be in our memories as a good friend (and true). Each of us were happy to know and be affiliated with him.*

He will be missed.##imported-begin##Joe D. Forrest ##imported-end##

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“ *Duffy and Beverly were two of the first people I met when I came to Greenville, and their love and humor were two of the things that I cherish the most. Duffy was a great friend, and although I lost touch with them when Digital closed, their memories have always been with me. We'll miss you Duffy! My prayers and thoughts are with you, Bev.*

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