



## Mr. Richard A. Skinner

January 5, 1940 - August 18, 2016

Richard A. Skinner, 76, passed away August 18, 2016, surrounded by loving family.

Born in Jersey City, New Jersey in 1940, he attended Saint Peters Preparatory School, and was inducted into their Athletic Hall of Fame in 2008. He went on to a decorated athletic career, graduating from the College of The Holy Cross, class of 1961. In 1957, he married his high school sweetheart Judith Skinner (nee O'Brien) his beloved wife of 59 years. They spent the early years of their marriage raising their four children in Glen Ridge, New Jersey. Richard was an active member of the Glen Ridge Athletic Association, both participating in and coaching various sports teams. Richard cherished his devoted wife, children, and grandchildren. He was a loving father and husband who enjoyed traveling to many exciting locations with his wife. He had a sharp wit and a passion for his family. Richard had a long and varied career. In addition to being a small business owner he specialized in finance, working for many companies, including; Time Warner Inc., Celotex, and Oki Telecom. In 1986, while Richard was working for Oki Telecom, the family relocated to the Atlanta area. He spent endless hours on various sidelines both as fan and mentor.

A generous person who gave to those in need, Richard led his family spiritually and was a man of strong faith. A remarkable person whose legacy of kindness and humility has been lovingly passed on to all who knew and loved him. He was a parishioner at St. Thomas Aquinas Catholic Church in

Alpharetta, GA. He is survived by the love of his life, schoolmates since the 5th grade, his wife, Judith. His brothers Robert and Louis Skinner. He is also survived by his son Richard and his wife Jeannie, his daughter Lois and her husband Nicholas, his son Douglas and his wife Tammy, and his daughter Christine and her husband Christopher. As well as nine grandchildren: Gregory, Sara, Richard, Robert, Jessica, Madelyn, Melissa, Paige, and Rachel.

He was preceded in death by brother James Skinner, mother Louise Skinner, and father Robert Skinner. A private family funeral service was held early on August 20, 2016

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Richard A. Skinner*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *Please accept my family's heartfelt condolences on the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort in fond memories, and The Almighty God's promise to restore those asleep in death to perfect life on a paradise Earth.*

**Greene Family** - August 25, 2016 at 08:39 PM



“ *Knew Dick during our four years at "the Cross". He was always a great friend. Condolences to his family.*

*Jack Cahill*

**jack** - August 23, 2016 at 09:05 AM



“ *Greg Gannon has fond memories of Rich at St. Pat's grade school and St. Peter's Prep. I have fond memories of Rich and Judy from ASA. God gave you a wonderful life.*

**Adele and Greg Gannon** - August 22, 2016 at 04:34 PM



“ *Judy & Family: All the years that have passed since we last talked, but I have many fond memories of both Rich and you . He was a "good guy".*

*John Kip*

**John Kip** - August 21, 2016 at 05:55 PM