



Richard T. Cannici

May 2, 2025

Richard T. Cannici, 79, of Huntington, passed away at 6:40 am Friday, May 2, 2025.

Richard Cannici was born on April 24, 1946, in Buffalo, NY. He was the son of Charles Cannici and Dorothy (Puchta) Cannici. Growing up in Buffalo, Richard attended LaFayette High School and graduated with the class of 1964. After completing his education, Richard proudly served in the United States Army during the Vietnam War. Following his military service, Richard returned to New York and embarked on a journey of love and family. On September 11, 1971, he married Donna Sipowicz. Together, they were blessed with two children and shared 34 years of marriage before Donna preceded Richard in death on February 13, 2006. Richard found love once more and married Gloria Rousch on May 5, 2011. They enjoyed their time together until Gloria's passing on September 7, 2022.

Richard retired from General Motors of Fort Wayne, IN, after 40 years of loyal service. Outside of his professional life, Richard found joy in the great outdoors, often retreating to his beloved cabin in New York. An avid sportsman, Richard was a huge fan of the New York Buffalo Sabres hockey team and also cheered passionately for the Buffalo Bills football team.

Beyond his hobbies and interests, Richard was a devoted family man who

cherished every moment spent with his loved ones. His simplicity was reflected in his everyday interactions, as he took every opportunity to chat with others and share some of his favorite candies, M&M's. Richard's legacy is one of loyalty, love, and a zest for life. He will be remembered for his unwavering dedication to his family, his enthusiasm for sports, and his warm, friendly nature that touched the hearts of many.

Survivors include his Daughter, Deanne Stucky of New Haven, IN; Son, Richard (Valarie) Cannici II of Huntington, IN; Three Grandchildren, Mackenzi (Corbin), Karli, Alex; and on the way a Great Grandson, Carson. He is preceded in death by his Father, Charles Cannici, Mother, Dorothy Cannici, First Wife, Donna Cannici, Second Wife, Gloria Cannici, Brother, Charles Cannici, Jr., Son-In-Law, Lon Stucky, and Grandson, Maximus Cannici.

Preferred memorials to the Cancer services of Northeast Indiana, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN, 46750.

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