



Richard M. "Wheezer" Richeson

May 17, 1925 - December 2, 2015

Richard M. "Wheezer" Richeson, 90, of Bloomfield passed away Wednesday December 2, 2015 at Greene County General Hospital in Linton.

Born May 17, 1925 in Bloomfield, Indiana the son of Logan and Rose (Sparks) Richeson.

Wheezer was an educator, working as a Teacher, Principal and Superintendent, he retired from Bloomfield High School in 1989. He was a member of the Bloomfield First Christian Church, Bloomfield Rotary Club where he received the Paul Harris award, a sixty plus year member of the Bloomfield Masonic Lodge #84, he received the Sagamore of the Wabash Award and was one of the founding members and life time supporter of the Bloomfield Swimming Pool.

Surviving relatives include his children, Bobbi (Kenny) Greves of Bloomfield, Beverly Noel of Oolitic and Joni (Brock) Miller of Bloomfield, he has six grandchildren, Cheri (Craig Johnson) Greves of Bloomfield, Brad (Joni) Noel of Bloomington, Julie (Brad) Beard of Bloomfield, Brian (Beth) Noel of Indianapolis, Shane (Sarah) Miller of Bloomfield and Erin (J.J.) Whitehead of Brownsburg, thirteen great grandchildren and his companion Donna Crays of Bloomfield.

He was preceded in death by his wife Edna Mae Richeson on September 14, 2000, three brothers, two sisters and one great grandchild.

Friends may call from 11:00 A.M. until the hour of service on Friday at the Bloomfield First Christian Church.

Services will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Friday at the Bloomfield First Christian Church with Pastor Scott Chastain, Rev. Arlen Pope, Brad Noel and Rev. Erin Raper officiating. Burial will follow at Walnut Grove Cemetery.

In Lieu of flowers the family wishes all donation be made to the Richard M. "Wheezer" Richeson scholarship fund.

Online condolences to the family can be made at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Walnut Grove Cemetery

Walnut Grove Road
1458 S. Walnut Grove Road
Bloomfield, IN 47424

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 4. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Bloomfield First Christian Church
120 West Spring Street
Bloomfield, IN 47424

Service

DEC 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RB

“ *Bobbi, Joni, Beverly and families, I just read of Wheezer's passing. May your memories of all his good works for the community sustain you at this time. I'm so glad I got to visit with him before I moved back to TX. He was such a large part of our school system, formidable to say the least, but you also knew how much he cared for the students and the school. His hard work on getting the pool built and maintained was a lasting legacy that I hope will continue with the renovations and reopening of the pool . He was a great man and he will be missed. God bless you all at this sad time.*
Rosemary Allen Biggs

Rosemary Biggs - December 07, 2015 at 08:22 AM

JU

“ *Sending my sympathy to Wheezer's family. I really enjoyed knowing and getting to talk to him every chance I got. He will be missed.*
Jonas Uland

Jonas Uland - December 06, 2015 at 10:54 AM

WW

“ I just found out about your dad's passing; too late to attend the funeral I'm sorry to say. Just last week I took my two grandsons who live in Hawaii to meet my father - their great-grandfather -- in TN. He showed them some old photo albums and one of the pictures was of his and mom's wedding. Wheezer was best man. Your dad was an imposing figure as I remember from our high school days. He inspired fear but also respect and admiration. He is one of those people that one is pleased to have crossed his path. As are all of you. You have my prayers for true peace and good health in this Holiday season,

Wendell

Wendell Walls - December 05, 2015 at 12:57 PM

MB

“ Sending thoughts and prayers to the family.
Mark and Sharla Buckley

mark R Buckley - December 04, 2015 at 07:06 AM

KS

“ So many great memories of this wonderful guy, from Gatlinburg to Tunica to The Phil. It was always such a pleasure to play golf with Wheezer and to just talk to him and Gypsy when he wasn't playing. He told me stories about my Dad that I had never heard, he was quick, sharp and extremely witty and he loved to hear a good joke. I will always remember the friendship and the smile.

Keith Sims - December 04, 2015 at 02:48 AM

PW

“ *Bobbi, Beverly, and Joni,
I have so many memories of "Wheezer" as
the leader of our school, the man, and my
Dad's friend when I was so young. I always
looked forward to the laughter and the fun
that he provided. My sincerest sympathy for your loss. I hope his
parting was easily done, and that your hearts are filled with pride for
what your father was. No doubt he will be missed. Peggy Wolfe*



Peggy Wolfe - December 04, 2015 at 02:13 AM

RP

“ *Rex Padgett lit a candle in memory of Richard
M. "Wheezer" Richeson*



Rex Padgett - December 03, 2015 at 09:12 PM

SL

“ *Stephanie White Lagenour lit a candle in
memory of Richard M. "Wheezer" Richeson*



Stephanie White Lagenour - December 03, 2015 at 08:51 PM

SW

“ Steve And Rosie White lit a candle in memory of Richard M. "Wheezer" Richeson



Steve and Rosie White - December 03, 2015 at 03:03 PM

SW

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Richeson family during this difficult time. May you be strengthened by God's love.

Steve and Rosie White - December 03, 2015 at 03:06 PM

BS

Dear Bobbi, Beverly and Joni, I'm sorry to learn about your dad's passing today. You're in my thoughts and prayers. We miss being with all of you. Take care. Beth George Seaton

Beth George Seaton - December 07, 2015 at 06:51 AM

TB

“ Terry Bland lit a candle in memory of Richard M. "Wheezer" Richeson



Terry Bland - December 03, 2015 at 01:43 PM

Tammi Duzan

“ Tammi Duzan lit a candle in memory of Richard M. "Wheezer" Richeson



Tammi Duzan - December 03, 2015 at 11:54 AM

RP

“ Randy and Mary Pullen and Amy Pitts purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Richard M. "Wheezzer" Richeson.



Randy and Mary Pullen and Amy Pitts - December 03, 2015 at 10:15 AM

SM

“ Bloomfield Rotary Club sends our deepest condolences to Wheezers family and loved ones. We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.



Sandra Mead - December 03, 2015 at 09:34 AM

DH

“ Keeping the family close in prayer during this time!

Jack & Debbie Huffman

Debbie Huffman - December 03, 2015 at 08:18 AM

SH

“ Bev, Our thoughts and love are with you.....
Sue, Jeannette, Carla and Josh, Austin, Owen and Logan

Sue Holmes - December 03, 2015 at 07:17 AM

LF

“ *Leanna Hutchens Freeman lit a candle in memory of Richard M. "Wheezer" Richeson*



Leanna Hutchens Freeman - December 03, 2015 at 05:49 AM

LF

So sorry for your loss. God Bless

Leanna Hutchens Freeman - December 03, 2015 at 05:50 AM



Karen Hostette

Prayers to Julie and the Richeson. family. I did not know him personally but have heard a lot of wonderful stories about him

Karen Hostetter - December 03, 2015 at 11:19 AM



Darci Nichols

What a wonderful man and part of my childhood memories. Prayers for each of his family. May God hold you all close and comfort you.

Darci Nichols - December 03, 2015 at 07:34 PM

PR

“ *So sorry to hear of Wheezer's passing. Sending prayers & sympathy.*
Mike & Pam Rader

Pam Rader - December 02, 2015 at 07:47 PM