



# Richard Jaenke

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**R**ichard W. "Dick" Jaenke, age 78, a resident of North Ridgeville since 1996 and formerly of Strongsville, passed away peacefully on Friday afternoon, July 5, 2013 at his home. He was born July 31, 1934 in Cleveland to the late Harvey and Anna (nee Dorner) Jaenke. Dick married Patricia A. Woodard on June 12, 1954 and she lovingly survives.

Also left to cherish his memory are sons, Mark (Bernadette) of Parma, Scott (Janet) of Medina and Bruce (Karin) of Parma; and grandchildren, Megan, Chad, Thomas and Ben.

A brother, Ronald, also preceded him in death.

A 1952 graduate of West Tech High School, Dick was employed for 33 years with Ohio Bell, retiring as Section Manager. He also sold real estate for more than 30 years with both Coldwell Banker and Remax. Dick was very patriotic, serving in the Navy Reserves and the communities in which he resided. This included serving ten years on City Council in Strongsville with two years as Council President and three terms on City Council in North Ridgeville. He enjoyed spending time with his family and vacationing in Hilton Head. Dick will be remembered for his hard working and friendly, caring nature.

The family will receive friends on Thursday from 11:30 a.m. until the time of memorial services at 1:30 p.m. in the Bogner Family Funeral Home, 36625 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville. Burial will be at Sunset Memorial Park, North Olmsted.

Memorials are suggested to the American Cancer Society.



# Events


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## Visitation

 **Thursday**, July 11, 2013

 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM ET


 **Bogner Family Funeral Home**  
36625 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville OH  
44039



## Memorial Service

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DR

**Don And Marsha Jaenke - Mansfield, Oh - Possible Cousins? Son Of Russell** posted:

We are sorry to read of Dick's death. We know we are relatives but did not have the Easter of knowing your family , which we regret and would like to remedy. If we'd known we'd have come to the services. We send you all our sympathy and will remember you in our prayers that you find peace and happiness in your good memories of Dick.

July 12 at 8:00 PM

SF

**Sue Bortnick - Middleburg Hts., Oh - Friend** posted:

I have known Dick since 2001 when I was brought "on board" with Bob Schmitt Homes. For me, he has been the replacement father as mine had past several years prior. We shared so many stories over the years about life, family, work and my trials-tribulations of being a single parent and raising my son. Through him I have met many wonderful people along the way and have gotten to know his "Pat". Thank you Dick for coming into my life.Sincerely,Sue

July 7 at 8:00 PM

DF

**Denny Johnson - North Ridgeville, Oh - Friend** posted:

Dick was an honorable man that earned my respect and that of many others. Dick and I shared several life experiences. We both worked for Ohio Bell (AT&T) for 33 years, both graduated from West Technical High in Cleveland and both served on North Ridgeville City Council. He was dependable and very easy to work with. He will be missed.May God rest his soul

July 6 at 8:00 PM

BN

**Bob And Loretta Romp - North Ridgeville, Oh - Neighbor** posted:

Dick was always ready with a smile to greet everyone.He was a friendly man, who will be missed by many.We send our Blessings to his family.

July 6 at 8:00 PM

HF

**Helen W. Hurst - North Ridgeville, Oh - Friend** posted:

A true gentleman, an outstanding patriot, and a thoughtful legislator, Dick will also be remembered as a treasured friend.Helen W. HurstNorth RidgevilleRepublican Party

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**David & Kathy Henderson - Strongsville, Oh - Friends & Neighbors** posted:

Kathy and I are very sorry to hear of Dick's passing. He and Pat were our next door neighbors in Strongsville for several years. Dick was one of the most friendly, considerate people that we've had the privilege to know. No doubt he will be missed by many. We offer our sincere condolences to Pat, Mark, Scott, Bruce and all family members. We will be thinking of all of you during this difficult time.

July 6 at 8:00 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Richard by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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