



Richard A Nelson

March 16, 1944 - September 8, 2017

Richard A. Nelson, 73, of Grand Island formerly of Omaha, died on Friday, September 8, 2017 at CHI- Health St. Francis Medical Center.

To honor Richard's memory cremation was chosen, family burial will take place at a later date in the Masonic Cemetery in Des Moines, IA with his parents.

All Faiths Funeral Home is entrusted with arrangements.

Richard was born on March 16, 1944 in Des Moines, IA, son of Rudolph and Arlene Nelson.

He is survived by his cousin, Jane Rieschly-Murdoch of Ames, IA; aunt, Maxine Nelson of Des Moines, IA; along with several extended family and friends.

Richard was preceded in death by his parents.

Richard was raised and received his education in Des Moines and graduated from Drake University. On October 10, 1966, he enlisted in the U.S. Army, serving his country until his honorable discharge on December 20, 1967. He then found employment with the Des Moines Register until moving to Omaha to work in the distribution department of the Omaha World Herald.

Due to failing health he retired and moved to Grand Island, residing at the Grand Island Veteran's Home since early 2002.

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard A Nelson*

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