



## J. Richard "Dick" Grassfield

September 2, 1927 - February 28, 2015

J. Richard Grassfield, 87, passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, Feb. 28, 2015 upon arriving back in the United States following a trip to Asia that he had always wanted to make, reliving a vacation that he once had with his beloved Joyce. He was born Sept. 2, 1927 in Orlando, FL and had been a resident of Lake County the past 56 years. Dick either worked for or was the owner of several restaurants in Chicago, including the very well known Grassfield's Restaurant. He would later own Grassfield's Travel Agency and Grassfield Builders, LLC. He was a veteran of the US Navy, having served during WWII and also a member of the Masonic Lodge. Surviving are 6 children, Stephen (Ann) Grassfield of Austin, TX, Karen (Steve) Greene of Irving, TX, Nancy (Gary) Adams of Houston, TX, Robert (Tammy) Grassfield, Diana (Larry) Lentz and Beth (Kirk) Disrude, all of Mundelein; 11.5 Grandchildren, 7 Great Grandchildren and his brother, Graham Grassfield. He was preceded in death by his wife Joyce in 2013 and by his brother Gary. Visitation will be from 1 to 4 p.m. Sat. March 7, 2015 at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, at 120 W. Park Ave. (Rt. 176, one block west of Milwaukee Ave.) in Libertyville. A service with military honors will be held during the visitation at 3 p.m. Interment will be at Lakeside Cemetery. Memorial contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society. Info: 847-362-3009.

# Tribute Wall

KA

“ Karen & Steve. Steve & Ann - I am so very sorry for your loss. It was such a pleasure to meet Dick on his trip to Dallas enjoying dinner with him and Karen and Steve. He was such a charming and delightful man.

*My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. May God give you some comfort and peace during this difficult time.*

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**Kai** - April 27, 2018 at 05:34 AM

SG

“ I miss him terribly, RIP Dick, to Diana, Beth and Bob my thoughts and prayers are with you. See you soon. Love, Steve

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**Steve Greene** - April 27, 2018 at 05:34 AM

MP

“ Karen, Steve, Ann, Steve,  
Although I never had the pleasure of personally meeting Dick, I always felt as though I knew him because of the many stories you shared. He was an extraordinary man. I pray that your hearts may soon be filled with wonderful memories as you celebrate a life well lived. With deepest sympathy.

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**Martha Palmer** - April 27, 2018 at 05:34 AM

CC

“ Both Dick and Joyce were such good friends to me. I will never forget either one of them.

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**Christine Collins** - April 27, 2018 at 05:34 AM

JM

“ *It's the little things, the small, everyday occurrences that you'll remember. The laughs, the stories, the smiles. And even though it seems like you can never recover from your loss, it is these very memories that will help push the pain away and bring back the smiles.*

*John & Mary, Spring, TX*

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**John & Mary Major** - April 27, 2018 at 05:34 AM

LM

“ *Dick, You were an amazing man. You brought sunshine into my life. You always knew when to call our office. I would be having a bad day and when we were done talking I felt like a million bucks. No one will ever say to me " Hi Beautiful , what are you doing good looking" like you did. You are now with Joyce your love. Together continue watching over your family and loved ones as you both did on earth. I miss you my friend.*

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**linda markgraf** - April 27, 2018 at 05:34 AM

DS

“ *So very sorry for your loss. We are thinking of your family.*

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**David, Terry Sayre** - April 27, 2018 at 05:34 AM