



## Richard L. Schnepf

September 15, 1932 - January 10, 2020

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Richard L. Schnepf, 87, of Indianapolis, passed away on January 10, 2020. He was born on September 15, 1932 in Indianapolis, IN to the late J. George Schnepf and Hazel Leona Schnepf. Richard grew up near Garfield Park and was a 1951 graduate of Emmerich Manual High School. After high school, he completed trade school to become a tool designer. He spent a majority of his career at Detroit Diesel Allison in Speedway. Richard was very proud to have helped design the transmission for the XM-1100 tank.

Richard married Garnet Miller. They were blessed with four children, the oldest, Richard A. Schnepf, died as an infant.

Richard was a lifelong member of Faith United Church of Christ and served in the United States Navy during the Korean War. He was a member of the Greenwood VFW, and Greenwood Moose. Richard had an exceptional voice and was a member the Allison Men's Choir and Maennerchor and his church choir.

Richard loved to play competitive chess, and as a youth competed on a national level in tennis. He enjoyed golf and spending summers at Sweetwater Lake.

Richard is survived by his son, David (Kristi) Schnepf; daughters, Tina (David) Hawkins, and Deborah (Donald) Moster; grandchildren, Abigail, Rachel, Jacob, Ryan, Kara, Erica, and Logan; great grandson, Levi; and sister, Norma Fields.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Garnet A. Schnepf; and brother, George Schnepf. Visitation will be held on Tuesday, January 14 from 4:00 pm until 8:00 pm at G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Avenue, Indianapolis, IN. A funeral service will be conducted on Wednesday at 10:00 am.

Richard will be laid to rest in Crown Hill Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to America Lung Association.

Online condolences may be shared with the family at [www.ghherrmann.com](http://www.ghherrmann.com)

## Events

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### VISITATION

4:00 PM - 8:00 PM

G. H. Herrmann  
Madison Avenue  
Funeral Home 5141  
Madison Avenue,  
Indianapolis, IN 46227

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### FUNERAL SERVICE

10:00 AM

G. H. Herrmann  
Madison Avenue  
Funeral Home 5141  
Madison Avenue,  
Indianapolis, IN 46227

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### GRAVESIDE

11:30 AM

Crown Hill Cemetery  
700 West 38th Street,  
Indianapolis, IN 46208

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### MILITARY HONORS

11:30 AM

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# Tribute Wall

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## Ruth and Jim Alberts

We have very fond memories of your Dad. We are so sorry we cannot be there, but we are out of town. Please know that all of you are in our thoughts and prayers. Ruth and Jim Alberts

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## Dan and Patti Ewald

Reminding those whom you support that your thoughts are with them.



### "In Our Thoughts"

was purchased for the family of Richard L. Schnepf

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## Stephen, Yolanda, Antonio and Christopher Gosnell

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## First Congregational UCC- Oconomowoc

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### "Tropical Dish Garden with Fresh Flowers"

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### "Peace Lily"

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## Susan L. Gosnell Johnson

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**"Simple Sorrows"**  
was purchased for the family of Richard L. Schnepf

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A tree was also planted in memory of Richard L. Schnepf.



## Love, Laurie and Ralph

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**"Lavender Fields"**  
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## Clark Schnepf

Never without a smile on his face. One of the happiest people I have ever known. RIP.

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## Susan L. Johnson

I am so glad you were in my life, Uncle Rich. I have many fond memories from family get togethers. My thoughts and prayers are with you Dave, Tina and Debbie. Susan L. (Gosnell) Johnson

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