



Richard Murphy McCarron

November 26, 1936 - February 9, 2016

Richard “Dick” Murphy McCarron 79, of Jobstown, NJ, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, February 9, 2016, at his home in Jobstown, NJ, surrounded by his loving Family, and with the same beautiful smile he always showed the world.

Born in Trenton, New Jersey, Dick was a graduate of Trenton Catholic High School. Dick made friends easily and he had many through life. He was always an excellent listener, and one who took others’ problems to heart until he could offer some kind of solution or assistance. People saw this honest quality in him as early as high school, which explains his being elected president of his class for 4 years.

He continued his education graduating in 1954 from Mount St. Mary's University, in Emmitsburg, Maryland, where he was a member of the school's baseball team, President of his senior class, appeared in play productions and was a very proud alumnus of the University.

Dick was employed by The State of New Jersey, Department of Corrections, for close to 30 years before his retirement. Dick and his wife owned the La Salute Bar, later known as McCarron's Tavern, in Trenton for many years. He was a devoted member of Sacred Heart Church in Mount Holly where he attended Mass at 7 am daily for nearly 30 years. He was also a member of the

Hibernians Club and the National Guard.

Son of the late Eugene and Dorothy (Cody) McCarron, he was predeceased by his brothers Eugene J. McCarron and William Cody McCarron. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Patricia T. (Seifritz) McCarron, a sister & brother-in-law: Dorothy and Charles Stearle, daughters and sons- in-laws: Cheryl and Jeff Petrow, Jacquelyn and George Massina, Kelly McCarron-Schwing and William Schwing; Son and daughter in-law: Richard E. and Patricia McCarron.

Dick had several Grand Children: Jonathan Petrow, Jenna Petrow, Jillian Conti, Patricia Conti, Kaleigh McCarron, and Owen McCarron. A Great Grand daughter: Juliana Petrow; and many neices and nephews. He is also survived by several life long friends including Tom Humphrey, Pat McGee, Fred Borne, Tom Jarzyk, Dr. Michael Nitoli and Dr. James Cardelia. Dick also had many dear friends from the Sacred Heart church including Anne & George Kingston, Phil & Elaine Ryan, and Sandy Roth, to name a few.

Dick enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren, family and friends. Dick was an avid outdoorsman, enjoying fishing, hunting, golf, bird watching, barbecuing and spending time at the beach. And Dad LOVED animals. Prior to his illness, Dick & Pat spent many years during the winter months in Belle Air Beach, FL, at the home of dear friends Peter & Caroline van Houten who so graciously welcomed them to stay in their beautiful home. Dad was also a lover of music and comedies and held various roles in school productions at both Trenton Catholic and Mt. Saint Mary's.

Friends are invited to visit with the Family on Tuesday, February 16, from 9:30 am to 10:30 am at Sacred Heart Church, 260 High Street, Mount Holly, NJ. At 10:30 am at the Church there will be a Catholic Mass of Christian Burial and Interment will follow at the Sacred Heart Cemetery. There will be a luncheon

to follow and all are invited to attend.

In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital, Wounded Warriors, North Shore Animal League or a charity of your liking.

Cemetery Details

Sacred Heart Cemetery

Washington St.
Hainesport, NJ

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 16. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Church in Mount Holly
260 High St.
Mount Holly, NJ

Mass of Christian Burial

FEB 16. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JN

“ *Loved him like a brother!*

James U Cardelia ND - October 15, 2025 at 07:50 PM



“ *Richard Murphy McCarron*

October 29, 2022 at 11:57 AM



“ *Richard Murphy McCarron*

October 29, 2022 at 09:53 AM

KM

“ *1 file added to the album Dad's Pics*



kelly mccarron - February 24, 2016 at 11:53 AM

MP

“ *Dear Pat & Family,*

I was very sorry to hear of your loss. I had the pleasure of meeting him many years ago and he was such a kind, sweet man. May all the wonderful memories give you comfort.

*Sincerely,
Michele Pattik*

Michele Pattik - February 22, 2016 at 11:44 AM

AN

“ 2 files added to the album New Album Name



Arlene Newbold - February 14, 2016 at 08:01 PM

JF

“ Dear McCarron family:

I wish to convey my sincerest condolences to your entire family. Losing a loved one in death is one of the hardest things that anyone will ever have to deal with. There is a great hope held out to us for the future because God promises to bring those we lost back to life by means of a resurrection to a paradise earth, where sickness and death will be no more. I hope this brief message will bring you a measure of comfort in this difficult time.

Johnson family - February 14, 2016 at 07:20 PM

MO

“ *My Uncle Dick gave us so many memories it would be impossible to name them all. He was such a genuine person and he always made you feel as if you were the most important person around. He was always there to offer a helping hand or words of advice. And he was the ultimate jokester! Memories of the bar, cookouts in the backyard, visits to their house down the shore every summer, are just a few of the things I will always cherish. Rest in peace my beautiful uncle. We will never forget you!*

Monica - February 13, 2016 at 04:09 PM

MO

John, Monica, Sam and Evan

Monica - February 13, 2016 at 04:13 PM

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A real gentleman. Fun times during lunch. Best prank he pulled was to have DOC service tech check battery in old DOC car, as car would not start ... joke was, no battery in engine compartment ... old used battery in trunk. And the tech fell for the joke. We laughed out heads off. Dick, keep pulling them pranks with your vast humor up in heaven. God bless the entire family. He was a one of the kind.

J. Gorka, DOC (Ret.)

J. Gorka, NJ DOC (Ret.) - February 15, 2016 at 06:49 AM

DM

Heartfelt condolences to the entire McCarron clan!

Dawn Mcnamara - February 15, 2016 at 05:15 PM

KM

My Father was the most kind, funny, compassionate man I know and I am privileged to have him as my Father. I wasn't ready to let you go Dad.... The world is dimly lit without your radiance and kindness. We always said we wouldn't know what to do without each other. Well, I don't know what to do without you. I love you Dad. Kelly

kelly mccarron - February 24, 2016 at 11:48 AM

KM

Dad, me again. I still love you. Please let me feel your presence somehow.

kelly mccarron - February 25, 2016 at 07:54 AM

KE

Dad, please keep me safe and pray for me as I struggle with your absence in my life. Kelly

kelly - February 29, 2016 at 09:46 PM