



## Richard H. Wright, Sr.

July 9, 1926 - January 12, 2015

Richard H. Wright, Sr., 88, of Alexandria, VA passed away on January 12, 2015. He was the loving husband of Ella Louise Wright for 36 years. Born July 9, 1926, he was the son of the late Edgar J. and Minnie Proffitt Wright. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by five siblings, Beverly Wright, Henry B. Wright, Edgar J. Wright, Jr., Charles F. Wright, and Chiquita W. Mills.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his children Michael Wright (Marjorie), Tedi Wright, stepchildren David Day (Diana) and Cathy Heim (Allen). A son, Richard H. Wright, Jr. preceded him in death. He had eight grandchildren and five great granddaughters. He is also survived by a sister-in-law, Jane Wright, and several nieces and a nephew. He will be greatly missed by his family and many friends.

Richard graduated from Lynchburg College, served in the Air Force and then the Navy from which he retired in 1973. He then worked as an Inspector for Bechtel Corp. and retired in 1988.

He loved bowling, taking Adult Education classes, and traveling. He was very active in his community, Virginia Hills, and their swimming club where he was a Board member for many years.

He was a Mason and Shriner, a member of the American Legion, NRA, and The Retired Officers Association.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in honor of Richard may be made to Optum Hospice Care at 12018 Sunrise Valley Dr, #400, Reston VA, 20191, or the Parkinson's Disease Foundation at 1359 Broadway, #1509, New York NY, 10018.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard H. Wright, Sr.*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *0 file added to the tribute wall*

**Jefferson Funeral Chapel** - January 28, 2019 at 09:40 AM



“ *On behalf of the George McNeil's Potomac Guild of the Horological Association of Virginia, of which Dick was a long-time member, I want to wish you and your family our deepest sympathy. We will make a donation in Dick's name to whichever charity you desire.*

January 18, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ella Louise and Family, I'm very sad and sorry that Dick passed on, I trust that he is heaven today. Dick made a lasting impression on me, he was a very thoughtful and caring guy. He repaired a clock that my mom got from Robert Schuller years ago, the clock is still working and in our living room as of today, here is a pic . Thank you Dick! Tears Evan  
PS I never knew (until today) that Dick was in the Potomac Watch and Clock Guild and repaired clocks. That makes the clock we have even more special.*

January 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM



*“ Dick was a long time member of the Potomac Watch and Clock Guild and clock repair class and always a pleasure to be with - a real gentleman and good friend to all. He will be missed!!*

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January 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM



*“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

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January 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM