



Richard Dale Nielsen

August 6, 1937 - November 6, 2022

Richard Dale Nielsen, 85, of North Fond du Lac, died on Sunday, November 6, 2022, at Hospice Home of Hope.

He was born on August 6, 1937, in Chicago, IL, the son of Jules and Harriet Nielsen. He attended York High School, in Elmhurst, IL. In 1955, he joined the Navy Reserves and after 2 ½ years transferred to the Army where he served in the Military Police, with 13 months spent in Korea, and was honorably discharged in 1962.

Rich served as a police officer in Elmhurst, IL and at Northern Arizona University in Flagstaff, AZ. He also worked in plant services in hospitals in both Illinois and Arizona. He married Karen Kiser in Payson, Arizona in 1976 and they resided in Arizona for 26 years before returning to North Fond du Lac in 2002.

Rich is survived by his wife Karen Nielsen, his son Chris (Nancy), his daughter Kathryn (David), his son-in-law Douglas Selle, and their families, and the mother of his children Nancy Winn, all of Wisconsin. In addition are his sister-in-law Judith Mitsui and her son Kenneth (Kristy) and their family. He is preceded in death by his parents, his daughter Ginger Selle, his brother Jules F. Nielsen, his brother-in-law Mori Mitsui, and his parents-in-law Russell and Ruth Kiser.

At Rich's request, there will be no services. Burial will be in Wheaton Cemetery, Wheaton, Illinois.