



Richard George Bader

June 17, 1944 - July 21, 2024

Richard George Bader (born June 17, 1944) left this world quietly and peacefully in his home with his beloved wife of 59 years, Gloria Coventry Bader, under the light of the Buck full moon on July 21, 2024 – it was the quiet exit he had wished for – but contrary to the entrance he made in the world and the way he lived for many years. One of his happiest times in life was serving his Country – as all of the men in his family before him had. Richard was in the United States Army in the 509th Infantry Regiment, an airborne infantry regiment, where he jumped out of airplanes earning his Military Parachutist Badge. The 1/509th Infantry served with the 8th Infantry Division in Maintz, Germany. Later in life he became a Sergeant and continued to serve his community in the Carroll County Sheriff's Department. He is the beloved son of Thomas C. Bader, Sr. and Eleanora Anna Fillippi Bader and the brother of Thomas C. Bader, Jr. He is Father to Richard P. Bader and Aimee M. Bader, and Grandfather to Nicholas, Charlotte and Maximilian Bader. He will be deeply missed by his family and all who knew him. With his wings, he has ascended to heaven. GERONIMO.

Tribute Wall

NP

“ I'm sorry I'm late, but I just found out about this great man's passing. He went to be with Jesus. I am Christopher Pearce's (JOE'S) daughter, Nancy Pickard. My Dad considered Richard his best friend. They spent many hunting seasons together, along with Mr Tommy. My husband, (Bob) & I also had the pleasure of serving in The Carroll County Sherriffs Department with him. He looked out for me like a good father figure. Prayers to his beautiful wife, Gloria. He was very lucky to find such a sweet, warm, & caring person to spend his life with. My family lost my older brother in 1991. I honestly don't believe that my parents would have gotten through it without the help from Mr & Mrs Bader. They stood by us through the darkest chapter of our life. I just know that Mr Bader, Mr Tommy, & my Daddy are smiling & happy to see the 10 point huge buck that my brother, Evan just shot yesterday, during archery season. I know they are all smiling down on him & everyday on the people they love. If you are reading this Mrs Gloria, I love you & very sorry for your loss. Remember no one is ever lost, only changed. It's reassuring to know that Mr Richard doesn't have to witness the increasing ugly violence that is increasing in our American society. Prayers to everyone & a special thanks to Mr & Mrs Bader, the very best of America & the world

Nancy Marie Pickard - November 03, 2024 at 03:38 PM

NH

“ I have great memories of Keith and I talking with and sharing the Veterans Day Events at Arlington National Cemetery with the 82nd Airborne Division Association. After the morning wreath layings we returned to the hotel and had lunch and chatted away. Richard had lots of great stories to tell of his army years and his years in the Sheriffs department. Keith went with Richard to All American Week in May for several years.
Keith and I also had the good fortune to visit Richard and Gloria in their home in Finksburg several times over the years. Rest In Peace my friend.

Nancy Householder - July 31, 2024 at 05:02 PM

BB

“ My sincere condolences to the Bader family... He will surely be missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing him... I enjoyed working with him at the CCSO. Prayers to all 🙏

Braf Brown - July 29, 2024 at 06:13 PM

BO

“ I will forever treasure the happy memories made with Uncle Rick. Our recent visits and conversations were a precious gift. Dad will miss him dearly. He leaves behind a legacy of love and kindness. He always made everyone laugh!
Rest in peace.
Love to all, Bonnie

Bonnie - July 29, 2024 at 12:25 PM

JS

“ *Richard will be missed he always made me laugh and we all appreciated him helping my uncle Buck (Tommy) out. They were good friend's and when we talked he always said how much he misses him...they are together again.*

Jeffery L Schaeffer - July 29, 2024 at 08:39 AM

RB

“ *Life is precious, but I take solace knowing that my father passed in his own home, while following his normal routine and most likely while asleep. This would be preferred for most of us rather than in a hospital and for this I am grateful.*

For those that believe, this is not an ending, but a transition and it is my hope that he is surrounded by friends and family who have preceded him in this life. The poem below has been attributed to different authors and read at many services, but I believe it conveys the sentiments of many which is why it is so popular. Love & Godspeed, your son Richard...

*Do not stand at my grave and weep
I am not there. I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow.
I am the diamond glints on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain.
I am the gentle autumn rain.
When you awaken in the morning's hush
I am the swift uplifting rush
Of quiet birds in circled flight.
I am the soft stars that shine at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry;
I am not there. I did not die.*



Richard Bader - July 28, 2024 at 10:17 AM

AB

He missed you the last few years.

Aimee Bader - July 28, 2024 at 11:51 PM

&T

I will miss you Rick, enjoyed being with you and knowing you after coming into Dan's life. We had many good chats trying to solve the world's problems and many laughs. Rest in peace.

"CC" Terry - July 29, 2024 at 05:44 PM

DT

I knew Rick more than 30 years and we did have many good times and conversations. He had such a kind heart and loved by many and will be welcomed in heaven by many friends that went before him . I will miss you deeply my friend!!

Daniel Tolley - July 29, 2024 at 05:52 PM

GP

*Sorry to hear about Richard
Gerlinde Pflaumer-Yeater*

GGerlinde Pflaumer-Yeater - July 31, 2024 at 12:00 AM

PM

“*Sorry to hear about Richard. Liked to talk to him. Gloria if I can help in anyway, let me know.*

Pat Morris

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Pat Morris - July 27, 2024 at 09:00 AM