



Richard Stanley Beak

November 17, 1922 - February 17, 2012

Richard Stanley Beak November 17, 1922 - February 17, 2012 Richard Stanley Beak, 89, of New Smyrna Beach, Florida, passed away on Friday, February 17, 2012 at the Halifax Health Hospice Care Center, Port Orange, Florida, after fighting a courageous battle with cancer. Born on November 17, 1922 in Syracuse, New York, he was the son of the late Charles Beak and Clara West. He attended Syracuse University until he served his country in WWII, rising to the rank of 2nd LT, serving in Europe with the Army Air Corps as a navigator on a B-24. After his service, Richard became co-owner of Beak and Skiff Apple Farms in LaFayette, New York until he retired in 1990 and moved to New Smyrna Beach. For many years he attended Coronado Community United Methodist Church, New Smyrna Beach. Richard is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Marie Beak; children, Kim and her husband, Greg Brewer of Tully, New York, Timothy Beak and his wife, Eileen of Fayetteville, New York, Jacklyn Beak-Tubbs and her husband, Tom of LaFayette, New York; stepsons, Ronald and Bruce Raymond of California; many grandchildren and nieces. Richard was predeceased by a son, Charles, daughter, Terry Beak, stepdaughter, Diana Raymond and brother, Ronald Beak. Richard was a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend that will be missed by all that knew him. The family would like to thank the Halifax Health Hospice Care Center in Edgewater, Florida for all of their kindness and compassion. Services, with Military honors, will be held Saturday, March 31, 2012 at 1:00 pm at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, Inc., 2584 Field Lane,

LaFayette, New York 13084. Calling hours are Saturday from 11:00 am 1:00 pm, prior to the service. Private interment will be in Pine Ridge Cemetery, Navarino, New York. Memorial contributions may be made in Mr. Beak's memory to Halifax Health Hospice of Volusia/Flagler, 3800 Woodbriar Trail, Port Orange, FL 32129.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard Stanley Beak*



Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home - February 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Kim, Greg, Kelsey and Mack,*

Our deepest condolences go out to each of you in your loss. Unfortunately we never had the pleasure of meeting Richard but we know how much he meant to you and how deep a loss this is. You will continue to be in our thoughts and prayers. I only wish we could be there to comfort you in this time of grief.

*Much love,
Mike, Stephanie and Bill*

March 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Kim & Greg,*

Our Deepest Sympathy to you and all your family for your loss. Our thoughts are with you. Take care, Lori & Dick

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