



Richard Fischer

January 20, 2008

IRON MOUNTAIN - Richard C. Fischer, 87, of Iron Mountain, died Sunday, Jan. 20, 2008, at his home.

He was born on Sept. 29, 1920, in Chicago, the son of the late Henry and Elsie (Dietze) Fischer. He grew up in Illinois, graduating from Schurz High School. He attended the Illinois Institute of Technology graduating on Oct. 17, 1943, with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering. Richard served with the United States Navy during World War II. He married Judith Nykodem in Edison Park, Ill. on Jan. 6, 1966.

He worked as the plant manager of P.A. Sturtevant Co. and later retired from Dresser Industries in 1978. He enjoyed gardening, snowmobiling, fishing, camping, logging and working with his hands. He liked to do anything himself, he was very handy and independent.

Richard is survived by his wife of 42 years, Judith of Iron Mountain; sons, Richard (Mary) Fischer of Lisle, Ill. and Reid Fischer of Iron Mountain; stepdaughter, Linda (George) Overbeek of Wisconsin; a sister, Marilyn Fischer of Mount Prospect, Ill.; and grandchildren, Ryan and Rick Fischer.

He was preceded in death by a son, Randall Fischer on Dec. 6, 2001, and a brother, Bob Fischer in 1985.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain.

The funeral service will follow at 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Rev. Michael March will officiate.

Burial will be in the Mount Emblem Cemetery in Elmhurst, Ill.

Condolences to the family of Richard Fischer may be expressed online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear, Judy, Rich, Reid and Linda, We are so sorry about your loss. Dick was unbelievable, when we first met him, we thought he wouldn't survive, and there was no with such undying love, like Judy. God Bless, you are in our prayers. Dennis and Mary LaFaive. Sorry we weren't there we are in Texas.

Dennis and Mary LaFaive - February 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ Sorry for your loss.

Marie Branz - January 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM