



Merlin Richard Remender

September 12, 1940 - October 10, 2019

Richard Remender, 79, died Thursday, October 10th, 2019 in Phoenix, Arizona.

He leaves behind his loving wife of 54 years, Lani (Robson) Remender; his sons, Rick and Rex Remender; his daughter Elise Remender and his two grandchildren, Edith and Thomas whom brought him so much joy.

Born and raised in Norfolk, Nebraska, the son of Melvin Werner and Ruth (Kool) Remender, Richard was a Marine, a graduate of University of Arizona with a law degree, and worked as a lawyer in the valley his entire life.

He was regarded as wise, honest, adventurous, funny, and conducted his life with the up most integrity.

A funeral service will be held October 17th, 2019 at Meldrum Mortuary, Mesa, Arizona for friends, family, and others whose lives Richard touched.

Cemetery

City of Mesa Cemetery

1212 N. Center St.

Mesa, AZ, 85201

Events

OCT **Visitation** 12:00PM

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Meldrum Mortuary

52 N Macdonald, Mesa, AZ, US, 85201

OCT **Funeral Service** 01:00PM

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Comments



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Merlin Richard Remender.



October 16, 2019 at 07:29 PM



“ Meldrum Mortuary lit a candle in memory of Merlin Richard Remender



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“ Merlin was one of a kind. I remember him well. I felt like he would, when he matured, be successful. I worked at the local DairyQueen, and Merlin would come over most afternoons with his big black bull whip. When he whipped it, I would tell him to stop! Stop! Looking back it was most likely the way young kids tried to flirt in the 50's. He was a nice fellow and popular. I am thankful I was a classmate. He was meant for success. His family must be so proud of him, and of course miss him terribly. God bestowed Merlin to his family and friends to be cared for, comforted, and most of all Loved.

Blessings

Julie Petersen Hile, 1958

Julie Petersen Hile - October 14, 2019 at 07:12 PM



“ My memory of Mel was with the high school band--he painted his shoes white, so he wouldn't need to keep them polished. Seems to me, he played drums?
And meeting him in AZ at the Class of '58 in 2015, neither of us remembered the other! Not surprising...

But 54 years of marriage created a lot of shared memories; I hope these are a comfort to his family.. Dawn (Hammond) Frederick

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