



Richard D. Hickey

December 16, 1932 - December 22, 2025

Richard D. Hickey, 93, of Springfield, passed away on December 22, 2025. Born on December 16, 1932, in Philadelphia, Richard was the son of the late Dennis and Lillian (Desher) Hickey.

Richard was a proud graduate of West Catholic High School and went on to build a long and successful career in the steel industry. He served as Vice President of Joseph T. Ryerson Steel, where he was respected for his leadership and dedication, until his retirement.

A longtime resident of Springfield, Richard was deeply committed to youth sports and his community. He was a longtime coach with the Springfield Youth Club (SYC) and proudly served for many years as Secretary of the Delaware County Youth Football League. His guidance, fairness, and love of the game left a lasting impact on countless young athletes and families. In 2003 Richard was honored as an Exemplary Volunteer and his name was placed on the Springfield Township Volunteer Memorial.

Richard was a devoted Philadelphia sports fan, following his teams with passion and loyalty. He also loved to travel, especially when it meant spending time and making memories with his family.

Richard will be remembered for his commitment to his family, his community,

and the many lives he touched through his work and volunteer service. His legacy of dedication, mentorship, and love will live on in all who knew him.

Predeceased by his wife, Florence (Moore) Hickey; brother, Edward Hickey.

Survived by his children, David R. (Gail) Hickey and Robert (Joanne) Hickey; grandchildren, Rick, Shannon (Micah) Kristen, Jessica and Brian; great grandchildren, Ceana, Taryn, Kaylee, Kiernan, McKenna, Josselyn and Griffen; sister in law, Peg Hickey. Also survived by several nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the American Heart Association at www.heart.org

Services and Interment will be held privately

Condolences: www.lombardofuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Private

Tribute Wall

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“ *Mr . Hickey was a noble man with a great sense of humor. Very kindhearted and he will be missed . It was an honor getting to know him . May you rest well along side ms. Florence*

Dianna Durbin - December 26, 2025 at 09:50 PM

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To the family of dick hickey my heartfelt sympathy. Both dick and Florence were so upbeat that is was such a pleasure to be near them. I use to work with dick at ryerson steel back in the 80's. May they both rest in peace.

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