



Richard (Dick) Pallach passed away peacefully, at home, with his love, Jan by his side on August 4th, 2019 at the age of 88.

He is survived by his wife Jan Pallach, children Gina Young, Rich (Julie) Pallach, Joe Pallach, Mary (Jay) Graham, Casey Madsen, Carrie (Troy) Bice, Kip (Kathy) Madsen, Tom (Kathy) Pallach and numerous beloved grandchildren and great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents, brothers, sister, son Chris Pallach and two grandchildren.

Dick was born June 4th, 1931 in Detroit, MI to Luella and Jack Pallach. He graduated from Saint Ambrose High in 1951. He proudly served in the Air Force 1950 to 1954 that included a tour in the Korean War. He approached life after his tour as he always did with tenacity, smarts and a great sense of humor. After a short stint at his father's service station he walked up the street to General Motors hoping to find a job which he was incredibly successful in doing... he became an instructor at GM in the Allison Transmission Division opening training centers throughout the United States. Years later he became partner at Holeman GM Diesel. He broke out into an entirely different field with Tricon Metals and Services and won countless awards and achieved the honor of Salesman of the Year Award at the age of 74.

Dick was an all-around athlete, playing in sports from hockey to football to baseball. His one wish was to become a professional baseball player. He was an accomplished skier and was known to "ski like a bird" and shared his love for skiing with everyone – to this day you can easily pick out a family member he taught to ski through their grace on the slopes. For forty years he enjoyed golfing with the "Fearsome Foursome". He never met a putt he couldn't beat. If he had his Three Wood in hand, his opponent better be worried.

Dick lived his life his way. Always quick to laugh and give you a flash of that big, beautiful smile. He filled it with everything he loved - Jan, family, friends, his career and so much more. If you were lucky enough to know him you immediately knew he cared. There wasn't a person he met that he didn't become friends with. His legacy is all the sweet wonderful people he's loved and left behind. He will be forever loved and missed.

In celebration and love for the life of



Dick Pallach
June 4th, 1931 - August 4th, 2019

Kane Funeral Home
August 10th, 2019 1:30PM

TO THOSE I LOVE AND THOSE WHO LOVED ME

When I am gone, release me. Let me go
I have so many things to see and do.
You mustn't tie yourself to me with tears
Be thankful for our beautiful years.

I gave you my love. You can only guess
How much you gave to me in happiness.
I thank you for the love each of you have shared.
But now it's time I traveled on alone.

So grieve a while for me, if grieve you must.
Then let your grief be comforted by trust.
It only for a time that we must part.
So bless the memories within your heart.

I won't be far away, for life goes on.
So if you need me, call and I will come.
Though you can't see or touch me, I'll be near
And if you listen with your heart you'll hear
All my love around you soft and clear.

And then when you must come this way alone
I'll greet you with a smile and say

"Welcome Home"



SERVICE

OFFICIATING: Father Glenn

OPENING SONG: "My Way"

BLESSING

OPENING PRAYER

READINGS: Carrie Bice,

Casey Madsen

PSALM 23

GOSPEL

REFLECTION

FAMILY EULOGIES: Rich Pallach, Mary Graham, Tom Pallach,
Jenni Gilsdorf, Chelsey Kirby

GRANDCHILDREN present roses

OUR FATHER

CLOSING PRAYER

MILITARY HONORS

HONORARY PALLBEARERS: Ken Pallach, Bill Pallach, Bud Pallach,
John Waggoneer, Bob Scharp, Ed Lane



*All are welcome and invited to attend the luncheon immediately following the service.