



George Renick

July 15, 1944 - July 26, 2019

Fortified by the Sacrament of the Sick, George Renick, 75, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, died Friday, July 26, 2019 at Ratliff Care Center surrounded by his loving family.

George was born July 15, 1944 in Wildwood, New Jersey to William F. and Beverly M. (Finnigan) Renick. He grew up in St. Louis, Missouri.

George and Donna Venegoni were married May 17, 1969 at St. Anthony of Padua Church in St. Louis, Missouri.

The Renicks moved to Apple Valley, Minnesota in 1975 where George worked as a salesman for Wohl Shoe Company. In 1982, the family purchased Simes Shoe Store in Clinton, Missouri. In August of 1989, they moved to Cape Girardeau to become the owners and operators of Naturalizer Shoe Store. He later worked as a salesman for Clean Uniform Co. and U.S. Pallets.

George was a longtime announcer for the Cape Senior Legion, Capahas, and Notre Dame High School baseball and softball teams. He was an avid sports enthusiast, playing “one yard plunge” with his brother John, coaching youth baseball, and playing pick up games with his kids and others in the neighborhood. He had a knack for remembering historical facts, particularly from the WWII era. His love of music included playing the trombone in grade

school, listening to a variety of music from motown to classic country, and following the music careers of his children. His family and grandchildren have fond memories of his wit and playful sense of humor. George was the family's "google" and never knew a stranger.

George is survived by his wife Donna of Cape Girardeau; sons Steve (Vickie) Renick of Chicago, Illinois and Mike (Jessie) Renick of Cape Girardeau; daughters Nicki (Chris) Thomson and Chrissy Renick, both of St. Louis; brother John (Sharon) Renick of Little Rock, Arkansas; grandchildren Lilly, Alex, Maggie, Isaac, Jonah, Anniston and Cecilia; and nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his mother and father.

Friends may call from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, July 31, 2019 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau. Parish prayers will be at 7 p.m.

Funeral Mass will be at 10:00 am Thursday, August 1, 2019 at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church in Cape Girardeau where he was a member.

Burial will be at St. Mary Cemetery in Cape Girardeau.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given to St. Louis Children's Hospital, One Children's Place, Saint Louis, MO 63110 or Notre Dame Regional High School, 265 Notre Dame Dr., Cape Girardeau, MO 63701.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary Cemetery

1101 Perry Avenue
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 31. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Parish Prayers

JUL 31. 7:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Funeral Mass

AUG 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church
1919 Ritter Dr.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of George Renick.* ”



August 01, 2019 at 02:17 PM



“ *I will always remember his laughter and humor and warmth he shared with me and our family when we all lived in Clinton. My sincere condolences . 🙏💕🙏💕* ”

joyce mcnerney - July 30, 2019 at 09:39 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of George Renick.* ”



July 30, 2019 at 11:54 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of George Renick.* ”



July 29, 2019 at 05:41 PM

MA

“ I met George in summer of 2002, great person and friend. Him and I announced games together and were like long lost friends from day one. I spent a couple of seasons announcing with George. When not watching baseball, we would play golf or partake in happy hours. Over time I got to meet all the Renick's and they are all great people. Spent some thanksgivings and Christmas's at their household while I was in college.

George always had a story and never would turn away an opportunity to tell that story, meet someone new, have a laugh, and never would turn down a good time. His stories and sense of humor will stay with me and I know others forever.

matt - July 28, 2019 at 07:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of George Renick.



July 28, 2019 at 04:17 PM

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“ *Nicki, Donna and family, Nicki, have so many memories of the years at cookie corner with all the good people I got acquainted with. Your Dad was 1 of them. So sorry of your loss. I was so blessed to have all you girls with me all those years. Such a sweet bunch. Can see your Dad like it was yesterday. Love, Patty*

patty murphy (shaffer) - July 28, 2019 at 09:32 AM

BS

Oh my, I am so sorry Donna and family. Please accept my deepest sympathy. Such a great man. My memories of George go back to Alcon where you both met and worked with my Father. I hope George and my Dad are catching up on all of those fond memories. I will be praying for all of you during this difficult time. Love Barbara Schuermann Stock Stuckey ❤️🌹💨

Barbara Schuermann Stock Stuckey - July 28, 2019 at 10:54 AM

JR

Where do I start Donna, memories are flowing through our minds , super one! With George, you, and especially our Steves! You have our sympathy and our love. Greg as offered to bring us down, but we have 3 Dr. appt. this week. LOver Don And Jeanette

jeanete rotert - July 28, 2019 at 11:20 AM

MM

*So sorry to hear of our cousin George's passing. He, his brother John, and parents Willie and Bev, were such an important part of the Mansfield family growing up. Nothing but fond memories of George...kind, compassionate, and fun loving. Prayers to the family.
Mark Mansfield*

Mark Mansfield - July 29, 2019 at 12:45 PM