

Richard D. Gilles

August 22, 1938 - February 24, 2019

Richard David Gilles, 80, of Red Wing, died Sunday, February 24, 2019 at the Lake City Care Center. He was born August 22, 1938 in Plum City, Wisconsin to Leonard and Elvira (Johnson) Gilles. He later moved to Red Wing where he worked at the Mobil 66 Station and the Red Wing Shoe Company. He worked for nearly 40 years at the shoe, retiring in 1990. He married JoAnn Lundberg and the couple raised three children. They later divorced. Richard enjoyed horseback riding and was a founding member of the Jesse James Ride, a horseback ride from Hay Creek to Northfield for Jesse James Days. He was also a member of the Hay Creek Valley Saddle Club. He also enjoyed racing and raced stock cars, snowmobiles and motorcycles. He was a lifelong member of the American Motorcycle Association, the Indian Head Cycle Club and the Red Men Club. In his younger years he liked to play the guitar and go camping and he has always enjoyed a good game of horseshoes.

Richard is survived by his children, Steven (Rene) Gilles of Red Wing, Kellee (Jim) Kreye of Red Wing and Tony (Jodi Chaves) Gilles of Red Wing; five grandchildren, Angie (Dustin) Schulenberg, Ben Gilles, Cole (Hannah) Gilles, Kasci (Christa) Gilles and Kaylee Gilles; five great grandchildren, Riely Kreye, Taylor and Alex Schulenberg, Lilyanna and Saphira Gilles; four siblings, Cal (Mae) Gilles, Barbara Houge, Kenny Gilles and Margaret (Jerry) Schmitz; as well as many other family and friends.

He is preceded in death by his granddaughter, Nikki Kreye; brother Ed Gilles and his parents.

Visitation will be 3-6p.m. on Thursday, February 28, 2018 at the Mahn Family Funeral Home, Bodelson Mahn Chapel, Red Wing. A short prayer service will take place at 6 p.m. Online condolences may be left for the family at www.mahnfamilyfuneralhome.com

## **Events**

**FEB Visitation** 03:00PM - 06:00PM

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Bodelson Mahn Chapel - Mahn Family Funeral Home 602 Plum Street P.O. Box 111, Red Wing, MN, US, 55066

## Comments



66 A tribute video has been added.



Mahn Family Funeral Homes - February 26 at 03:41 PM



66 Nice, but not even the tip of the iceberg.....;-)
Tony Gilles - February 27 at 04:26 PM



66 Kathy Knapp-Nelson-Stone lit a candle in memory of Richard D. Gilles



Kathy Knapp-Nelson-Stone - May 22 at 10:27 AM



66 Cindy Heineman lit a candle in memory of Richard D. Gilles



Cindy Heineman - February 28 at 11:13 PM



Remember all the good times, sorry for your loss. Enjoyed looking at all your pictures; hugs and prayers to all. Pam & John Friedrich

Pam Friedrich - February 28 at 09:18 PM



THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS FOR YOUR FAMILY..

JIM AND LINDA



LINDA BRUSEHAVER - February 27 at 10:02 PM



From John, Diane, and family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Richard D. Gilles.



From John, Diane, and family - February 27 at 09:54 PM



Barbara Butler Schlichting lit a candle in memory of Richard D. Gilles



Barbara Butler Schlichting - February 27 at 07:12 PM



Shelly Simanski lit a candle in memory of Richard D. Gilles





Rick, Deb, Lucas & Ashley lit a candle in memory of Richard D. Gilles



Rick, Deb, Lucas & Ashley - February 26 at 09:12 PM





42 files added to the album LifeTributes







Mahn Family Funeral Homes - February 26 at 02:26 PM





Munson Electric purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Richard D. Gilles.



Munson Electric - February 26 at 02:25 PM





Sending you all my love and sympathy. I truly enjoyed your dad--he always made me smile, and he sure loved his Tom & Jerry's!

Mary Jo Deden

Mary Jo Deden - February 26 at 09:30 AM



He was a great man..Always a smile. and could always put on your face to.Had many goodtimes snowmobiling and working on the hill at hillclimbs with him.Always cheerful and caring.. May he rest in Heaven.

Francis - February 25 at 10:29 PM



**66** Good man.Enjoyed times we shared

Lonny Bohmbach - February 25 at 09:08 PM



Judy Thuman lit a candle in memory of Richard D. Gilles



Judy Thuman - February 25 at 08:22 PM



**66** Dick was a great man, and has a great bunch of kids

John Stewart - February 25 at 06:19 PM



Randy And Sally Lemmerhirt lit a candle in memory of Richard D. Gilles



Randy and Sally Lemmerhirt - February 25 at 06:11 PM



FROM KEN GILLES AND FAMILY purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Richard D. Gilles.



FROM KEN GILLES AND FAMILY - February 25 at 05:59 PM





66 Maynard And Jeanette Wright lit a candle in memory of Richard D. Gilles



Maynard and Jeanette Wright - February 25 at 05:42 PM





66 Mikaleen Hauschildt lit a candle in memory of Richard D. Gilles



Mikaleen Hauschildt - February 25 at 05:23 PM