



Richard C. Follett

March 16, 1939 - January 1, 2018

Richard "Sleepy" Follett, Sr. 78 of Leesburg, Florida passed on January 1, 2018, in The Villages Hospital. Born to Marshall and Grace (Morton) Follett on March 16, 1939, in Morris, New York. He lived 50 Years on Megquier Hill, West Poland, Maine, raising his family and training and racing Harness Horses with his wife. He was employed many years by A.C.Lawrence Leather Company, South Paris, Maine. He is survived by his loving wife of 55 years, Faye (Gurney), two Children Richard, Jr of Leesburg, Florida and a daughter Fern-Lynn (Gregory Larsen) of Wales, Maine, two Grandchildren Savannah and Marshall. There are two Surviving brothers Merritt (Cindy) of Arkansas and Neil (Heather) of New York, one sister Minerva of Virginia.

The family always had many animals of all kinds, finally settling with his beloved cat, Miss Mia.

Everyone knew "Sleepy" as a Loving, Kind, Understanding, Generous yet very Quiet person who had a certain way with all animals as well as people. He fought a long, hard battle but is resting in peace now.

Deceased are his parents and three brothers Raymond (Rose) of Pennsylvania, Carl (Lorraine) of New York, and Stanley (Amy) of Florida.

A Graveside service is planned in the spring at Highland Cemetery, West

Poland, Maine

Tribute Wall

WK

“ I met him many times while walking. He would always be picking up the papers and throwing them into peoples driveways. You will be well missed. Our condolences to his wife and family.

Warren & Greta Koons - January 07, 2018 at 06:02 PM

HF

“ Rick we are so sorry to hear of your fathers death. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Henri and Terry Forget - January 07, 2018 at 02:37 PM

HR

“ I met Dick many years ago.He was a man of few words but once you got to know him he opened up.We spent many days walking the park and talking.He was a great shuffle board player even with his limited eyesight.I for one will miss him.Rest in peace buddy!!



Henry J Rybczyk - January 07, 2018 at 11:11 AM

GJ

“ He was one of the kindest men I have met. Will miss seeing him walking around the park. Sincere sympathy to the family.



Gertrude de Jong - January 06, 2018 at 07:41 PM

MB

“ *Richard but "Sleepy". I shall miss you so much. Loved playing shuffleboard with you and you saved us as partner's so often. Looked forward to seeing you pass each day as you did your daily walking routine. Rest in peace friend and lovely neighbor.*



Mandy Baker - January 06, 2018 at 07:19 PM

DG

“ *I didn't know Richard (Sleepy) well but I will miss seeing him taking his walk around the park. RIP*



Dana Goddard - January 06, 2018 at 11:42 AM

IA

“ *I hope I never forget the many summer nights I came in from playing outside. The front door wide open with the sox game on the tv. My grandfather in his recliner and Aunt Faye and Uncle Dick sitting on the couch. The topic of conversation was usually what sox player they need to get rid of or what horse placed where in what race. I can still feel the summer breeze coming in from the porch , see the sun setting over Thompson lake and hear Jerry Remy announcing the game. Those memories are why I will always call Megquier Hill Road home .*



Ian - January 05, 2018 at 09:59 PM