



Roy Richard Tressler

September 23, 1942 - January 18, 2019

R. Richard (Dick) Tressler, 76 of Reedsville, Pennsylvania, passed away following a brief illness on January 18, 2019 in Florida, where he spent his winter months.

Richard was born in Bellefonte, Pennsylvania on September 23, 1942. He graduated from State College High School where he was a two-time State Champion in wrestling. He continued on with his studies and received his Master's Degree in Education from the University of Wisconsin-Superior. There he was also inducted into the Wrestling Hall of Fame as a two-time All American Wrestler who was undefeated in four years of dual meets.

Richard married Elizabeth (Betsy) A. Tressler (Huet) on August 14, 1990 who survives.

Richard worked as a teacher and a wrestling coach for Mifflin County School District for 30 years. In addition, he taught and coached wrestling 5 years in Reedsburg, Wisconsin. During his coaching career Richard was inducted into the Pennsylvania Wrestling Coaches Hall of Fame.

Richard was a member of Gold Wing Road Riders Association and Retread Motorcycle Club. He enjoyed traveling around the country with Betsy on his motorcycle. You could always find him watching sports and he was well known as an avid Penn State fan. He loved watching old time westerns and you

couldn't find a more dedicated Roy Rogers fan. For those who knew Richard well, breakfast will never be the same at Waffle Houses around the country now that he is gone.

Besides his wife Richard is survived by a daughter, Melanie (Doug) Corl, Bellefonte, PA; Son, Randy Tressler, McVeytown, PA; Granddaughter, Ashley (Clay) Powers, Port Matilda, PA; Father, Roy Tressler, State College, PA; Brother, Dan (Sherri) Tressler, State College, PA; Sister in law, Sharon Tressler, Zion, PA; several nieces and nephews and many dear friends.

Richard was preceded in death by his mother, Betty Crust Tressler; Brothers: Jim & Gene Tressler; Sister: Linda Pennypacker and infant sister Brenda Tressler.

We know how much Richard loved humor and wit, so to honor his life we invite you to fondly remember a time when he made you laugh.

Tribute Wall

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“ Hello Mr. T, I can't wait to see you again when I get to heaven! I miss you and the times wrestling with you, it was much fun! I love you! Todd mannino!

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“ Oh, what wonderful memories. When did Richard make me laugh, when didn't he. His smile greeted you and his laughter followed you. We lost a dear friend and Heaven gained a new light in the sky. We will miss you.

Love and blessings

Darlene

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