



Tyrie A Robbins

July 6, 1929 - August 30, 2022

Tyrie “Ty” A. Robbins, age 93, of Chesterton, formerly of Gary, passed away August 30, 2022. He graduated from Horace Mann High School in 1947 and then went on to receive a BA in Business at Indiana University. Ty was a member of Delta Tau Delta Fraternity and Indiana I Men’s Association. He also played varsity basketball for Branch McCracken at Indiana University. Ty was a lifelong avid golfer, and loved attending and watching IU basketball and football games. He and Sharon were also patrons of the Gary Music Theater. Ty provided for his family as a very successful independent insurance agent, although his one great wish was to become a basketball coach. Ty also served for a time on the Board of Directors of the Chesterton State Bank. He will be greatly missed.”

Ty was preceded in death by his parents-Tyrie and Mary Robbins; sister-Mary Ann Robbins. He is survived by his beloved wife of 71 years-Sharon (nee McCarrell) Robbins; children-Randy (Caroline) Robbins, of Colorado Springs, CO, Sally Werner of Sarasota, FL and Thomas (Debbie) Robbins of Chesterton, IN; three grandchildren-Emily Werner of Sarasota, FL, M.J. Werner of Michigan City, IN, Kira Robbins-Heiser of Morris, IL; give great grandchildren-Jace, Stevie and Steele Parsons, of Sarasota, FL and Jessup and Jessie, Jr., of Morris, IL.

There will be a memorial visitation for Ty at a later date to be announced. Burns Funeral Home (Hobart) entrusted with arrangements. www.burnsfuneral.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Mr. Robbins was an exceptional Chesterton resident. I saw him frequently during my gap year, mostly mornings at Leonard's Restaurant. He was an adult who I greatly admired. He showed genuine interest in me. As an 18 year old, I really appreciated my conversations with him. His kindness and encouragement had positive and enduring impact on me. To Randy, Mrs. Robbins and family, peace to you.*

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