



Richard Frederick Pier

January 13, 1918 - June 6, 2014

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Peacefully at home on June 6, 2014 from infirmities of age. He was 96 years old.

Richard is survived by his loving wife for Mary Pier, his step-children Anne McAteer (Joe), Elizabeth Gilbert (Michael), three grandchildren: Melaney, Brigid and Maranatha, and a sister-in-law, Jean Gappert. His late wife Gloria Pier preceded him in death.

After retiring as an attorney for the US Department of Defense, Mr. Pier served as a member of SCORE (Service Corps of Retired Executives) and on the board of St. Andrews Resources for Seniors.

A Lieutenant in the Navy who served in World War II, Lt. Pier served as captain of ships in the Pacific guarding the entrance to the Panama Canal and on an LST troop ship preparing to invade Japan.

Prior to the war he received a BS in Business from Washington University in 1941. After the war he returned and earned a law degree from Washington University in 1951.

Mr. Pier worked as an attorney for Transit Casualty Company in St. Louis and later for the Department of Defense as a legal contract attorney.

Services: A Memorial Service and reception will be held at The Church of St. Michael and St. George on Saturday, June 14 at 2:00 p.m. Visitation with the family will also be held at Oak Hill Cemetery in Kirkwood on Thursday evening, June 12 from 7 to 9 and before his burial at Oak Hill on Friday, June

13 from 1:00. Mr. Pier's burial will be at 2:00 on Friday. Friends and family are welcome.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are appreciated to the Church of St. Michael and St. George or The St. Andrews Foundation. Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at www.stlfuneral.com and follow details of this event and others in the community

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Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 13. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens
6300 SR 30
Cedar Hill, MO 63016
(636) 274-4100

Committal

JUN 13. 12:00 AM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary - Kirkwood
10301 Big Bend Road
Kirkwood, MO 63122
(314) 965-8228
info@stlfuneral.com
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Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Frederick Pier*

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