



Richard M. Oldenburg

October 9, 1939 - June 5, 2020

Richard M. Oldenburg, 80, of Claverack passed away surrounded by loved ones after a short illness. He was born on October 9, 1939 in Brooklyn to Harold and Helen Oldenburg.

Richard was always busy. If he wasn't cooking, he was tinkering with something, or helping his daughters. He was a master mechanic, working for Pioneer Bus Company for many years. In addition to Command Bus Company before going to work for a friend at Erin Tours. After spending the majority of his life in Brooklyn, he and his wife of 58 years moved upstate where he would start his retirement. Not being one to sit idle, he went to work for his brother in law, Pete Lupoli and enjoyed his retirement.

Richard is survived by his loving wife, Louise, his son Richard (Melissa) Oldman. His two daughters, Debra (Vincent) Pellegrino, Karen (Jon) Jankowsky. His adoring grandchildren, Nicole and Ariel Pellegrino, Aiden Jankowsky, Lucas and Aurora Oldman. Also, by his sister Nancy Lupoli and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

In keeping with his wish's services will be private.

Tribute Wall

MO

“ I didn't get to spend a lot of time with my father-in-law, unfortunately. But the times I did, were always filled with smiles. I just remember him smiling. A day trip to Bear Mountain with his grandkids, his visits to Florida, always smiling. He always remembered to reach out via social media on the Jewish holidays to send us good wishes, which I always found so thoughtful and sweet. I'm sorry we didn't get more time together. May his memory always be for a blessing.



Melissa Oldman - October 25, 2020 at 01:36 AM

Mel Gambino

“ Mel Gambino lit a candle in memory of Richard M. Oldenburg



Mel Gambino - June 10, 2020 at 08:30 PM

Mel Gambino

“ I haven't seen you in a long time, but I do remember you and always I will always and forever love your daughter Debbie and will be there for her. RIP 🙏🙏🙏❤️
Love, Maria & Angela

Mel Gambino - June 10, 2020 at 08:24 PM

KJ

“ I remember all of the times, I would call him with “another” car or house question. How patient he always was even though half the time I had no idea what I was trying to explain or make the sound of. He always managed to give advice or help you solve the problem. I will always miss you Dad!

Karen Jankowsky - June 09, 2020 at 05:01 PM

KJ

“ Karen Jankowsky lit a candle in memory of Richard M. Oldenburg



Karen Jankowsky - June 09, 2020 at 04:57 PM

Debra Pellegrino

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Debra Pellegrino - June 09, 2020 at 02:07 PM

Debra Pellegrino

“ I remember one of the multiple times he came over to fix something mechanical. He was trying to repair my tractor and he’s on his hands and knees in the grass, and Lily 14 lb dog decided his back was the perfect place to perch herself. He laughed so hard he was crying. I will love and miss you forever. ❤️

Debra Pellegrino - June 09, 2020 at 02:05 PM