



Howard M. Skoien

January 17, 1933 - May 23, 2020

Howard M. Skoien, age 87, a longtime resident of Lake Bluff and a Navy Veteran passed away May 23, 2020. Howard was a retired English teacher from Deerfield High School. After retirement, he taught for 10 years at the College of Lake County.

Beloved husband of 50 years to Diane Skoien; adored father of Charlotte Norgaard, Eric (Michelle) Skoien and Heather (Tom) Graber; cherished grandfather of Shauna and Brett Norgaard, Noah and Maya Skoien, and Shea and Colin Graber.

A private family funeral and interment at Graceland Cemetery will be held. A public memorial service and celebration of his life will be held on a future date to be determined. Info – Reuland & Turnbough Funeral Directors of Lake Forest, 847-234-9649 or www.RTfunerals.com.

Memorials to Faith Lutheran Church, 680 Deerpath, Lake Forest, IL 60045 or Norwegian Lutheran Memorial Church (Mindekirken), 2614 N. Kedzie Ave., Chicago, IL 60647.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

4001 N. Clark Street
Chicago, IL 60613
<http://www.gracelandcemetery.org>

Tribute Wall

DR

“ Eric has long been a brother and best friend. I give credit to parents of good people so Howard has long had my admiration. He was always kind and genuinely interested in the lives of others. I'm happy we even became Facebook friends shortly before he died. Eric and I share a love of good music among many things, so Howard gets credit for that too. Here's a song that lifts me up and helps me through the darkest nights... it seems appropriate to share in memory and tribute to such a good man. All my love to your family. <https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=QoYdQa6Cprc>

Drew - June 18, 2020 at 01:40 PM

HG

“ Miss you dad. 💜



Heather Graber - June 16, 2020 at 01:07 PM

SG

“ Howard had a generous spirit. I will miss him.

Sigurd Grindheim - June 16, 2020 at 05:55 AM

KD

“ Fare thee well Howard Skoien. The measure of your greatness shines through in your beautiful family.

Kris Davey - June 16, 2020 at 01:02 AM

BG

“ We had the pleasure of meeting Howard some years ago at his son's wedding to Michele Wampler, and were so taken by his kind ways. His 87 years were full of blessings. He leaves behind an honorable legacy! May you rest in peace.
Ron and Bonnie Gruchalski



Bonita Gruchalski - May 27, 2020 at 09:04 PM

TC

“ The Breakfast Club purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Howard M. Skoien.



The Breakfast Club - May 27, 2020 at 04:48 PM

DH

“ We want to convey our sincere condolences to Howard's family. He was a solid human being who lived a long and productive life and will be sorely missed. He lives on in his children and grandchildren. Diane, let us keep in touch. You are family to us..

Darius and Hélène - May 27, 2020 at 04:06 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Howard M. Skoien.



May 27, 2020 at 12:41 PM

DS

“ *Dawn Skoien lit a candle in memory of
Howard M. Skoien*



Dawn Skoien - May 25, 2020 at 06:12 PM