



## Richard Michael Fitz

July 14, 1945 - June 12, 2025

Richard "Rick" Michael Fitz, passed away on June 12, 2025 in Auburn Hills. He was born on July 14, 1945 in Detroit to Michael Fitz and Dorothy Joachem Fitz. Rick worked for many years as a designer in the automotive industry. He proudly served his country as a Sergeant in the United States Air Force. Beloved husband of the late author, Julie Grice Fitz. Dear father of Todd Fitz. Brother of Sandra (Roland) Hammer. The family will receive friends on Monday, June 23 from 11 am until time of funeral 12:30 pm at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W. 11 Mile Rd. (4 blks E. of Woodward), Royal Oak. Interment with military honors rendered by the United States Air Force will follow at 2 pm at Great Lakes National Cemetery, Holly. Memorial contributions to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital ([www.stjude.org](http://www.stjude.org)), 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 are appreciated. Share your memories at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **23**. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067

## Funeral Service

JUN **23**. 12:30 PM (ET)

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## Burial

JUN **23**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Great Lakes National Cemetery  
4200 Belford Road  
Holly Township, MI 48442