



## Richard James Galloway

December 31, 1931 - April 19, 2017

Richard James Galloway, age 85, a resident of Madison Heights since 1960, formerly of Huntington Woods and Ann Arbor, passed away April 19, 2017. He was born December 31, 1931 in Detroit to the late James and Virginia.

Richard was a proud U.S. Air Force veteran. He worked as an insurance salesman for 30 years at AAA and was very active within his church, the First Presbyterian Church of Royal Oak. In his spare time, he loved to golf and be involved in every aspect of his grandchildren's lives and events.

Beloved husband of the late Carol (d. July 13, 2015); the couple married June 5, 1954 in Royal Oak; loving father of Tim (Jill), Thomas (Marilyn), David (Anne) and Julie (Jim) Katynski; and proud grandfather of 11 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

Visitation Tuesday 2-8 p.m. at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 705 W 11 Mile Road (4 blocks E of Woodward), Royal Oak. In state Wednesday 10 a.m. until the time of service 11 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church of Royal Oak, 529 Hendrie Blvd., Royal Oak 48067. Inurnment at White Chapel Memorial Cemetery, Troy.

Memorials to the First Presbyterian Church of Royal Oak are appreciated.

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# Cemetery Details

## White Chapel Memorial Cemetery

621 W. Long Lake Road  
Troy, MI 48098

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **25**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road  
Royal Oak, MI 48067  
(248) 541-7000  
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<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

## Funeral Services

APR **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

First Presbyterian Church of Royal Oak  
529 Hendrie Boulevard  
Royal Oak, MI 48067

# Tribute Wall

MS

“ *Michigan Insurance & Financial Services purchased the Sweet Liberty for the family of Richard James Galloway.*



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**Michigan Insurance & Financial Services** - April 25, 2017 at 05:26 PM

TR

“ *When Phillips Brooks, a great 19th century preacher and pastor died, a mom was crying when her daughter said to her, "O Mama! Just think how happy the angels are to have him with them today!" I think of those words today. My youngest sister died two days before Dick. I am thinking how happy the angels are to have Dick, and how he is helping to make my sister smile as they are both welcomed to our true Home. You all are in my thoughts and prayers, and I will always be thankful for Dick Galloway and his life and faith and joy and ministry at First Presbyterian Church of Royal Oak.*

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**Thomas Rice** - April 25, 2017 at 08:51 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard James Galloway.*



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April 24, 2017 at 03:47 PM



“ *Cherished Memories was purchased for the family of Richard James Galloway.*



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April 24, 2017 at 03:17 PM



“ *Your Friends from FANUC Robotics purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Richard James Galloway.*



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**Your Friends from FANUC Robotics** - April 24, 2017 at 11:06 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Richard James Galloway.*



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April 24, 2017 at 10:57 AM



“ *Love, Kenny & Karen Zapczynski purchased the America the Beautiful for the family of Richard James Galloway.*



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**Love, Kenny & Karen Zapczynski** - April 24, 2017 at 08:51 AM

MS

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to Dave and the rest of the family at this difficult time.*

*May your father rest in peace.*



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**Mike Sinishtaj** - April 24, 2017 at 07:04 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Richard James Galloway.*



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April 23, 2017 at 10:47 PM

JK

“ *My thoughts & prayers go to the family. We grew up with the Galloways in the same neighborhood, high school & church. I worked with Dick at 1st Pres for awhile. When my dad passed (Stanley Kucharski) Dick was there for me, counseled me & helped me through that difficult time. He treated me like a daughter and was always there for me. Later after I had my son, he was so happy I named him Stanley. I will miss him much!*

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**Jennifer Kucharski** - April 22, 2017 at 06:48 PM

PB

“ *Paul & Joyce Boulan purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Richard James Galloway.*



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**Paul & Joyce Boulan** - April 22, 2017 at 12:03 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard James Galloway.



April 21, 2017 at 04:26 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Richard James Galloway.



April 21, 2017 at 01:54 PM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Richard James Galloway.



April 21, 2017 at 08:01 AM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Richard James Galloway.



April 21, 2017 at 07:53 AM

JD

“ I loved it when Dick was working at the front desk of the church. He often had a quick witted comment that would give us both a good giggle. We still treasure the hand painted ornament Carol made too. Such a wonderful blessing they both were to our family.  
-John, Julie, Jessica and Jenna Decker

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**Julie Decker** - April 21, 2017 at 06:06 AM

MR

I always enjoyed speaking with Dick. My mother Lois would mention time and time again how great it was to have Dick around the church, always willing to help out where ever a helping hand was needed. She truly appreciated this kind and gentle man. He will be missed. So glad to have known him and his lovely wife Carol.

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**Mark Ryan** - April 21, 2017 at 08:16 AM

BR

The Reynolds and Galloway families have been close friends for over 50 years. For many years our families vacationed together in adjacent cottages on Otsego Lake near Gaylord. We attended the same church and worked with Dick at Cadillac before he joined AAA.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Tim, Tom, Dave and Julie at this difficult time. Love, Betty and Russ

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**Betty and Russ Reynolds** - April 21, 2017 at 06:42 PM