



## Richard O. LaCombe

December 29, 1933 - March 3, 2023

Richard O. LaCombe, March 3, 2023, age 89. Beloved husband of Kay. Loving father of Keith (Terry) LaCombe and Karen (Keith) Alexander. Cherished grandfather of Amanda LaCombe, Elyse (Lynn Brewer) LaCombe, Katy Alexander, and Brett (Kaitlin Hupp) Alexander. Visitation Friday, March 10 at 10:00 am with service following at 11:00 am at Royal Oak First United Methodist, 320 W. 7th St., Royal Oak, 48067. In lieu of flowers donations appreciated to Alzheimer's Association. Please share a memory at [www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com](http://www.SullivanFuneralDirectors.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Oakview Cemetery

1032 N. Main Street  
(south of 12 Mile Road)  
Royal Oak, MI 48067

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

MAR 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

First United Methodist Church of Royal Oak  
320 W. Seventh Street  
Royal Oak, MI 48067

# Tribute Wall



“ *Please know I am thinking of both of you fondly. I pray your treasured memories of Richard and you will keep you strong.*  
*Luella Jahsan (ESD- many years ago)*

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**Luella Jahsan** - March 11, 2023 at 10:49 AM



“ *We will greatly miss Dick . He and Kay were our great friends at Fox Run and at ROFUM . We will visit Kay at Fox Run and give her loving hugs . Patti and Noel Peterson .*

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**Noel Peterson** - March 09, 2023 at 03:00 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Richard O. LaCombe.*



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March 09, 2023 at 08:53 AM

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“ Dick and Kay LaCombe were one of the very first families I met when I started attending Royal Oak First as a teenager. They were there to help us when we got married, so kind to us when we had our first child and always quick with a huge hug and kiss any given Sunday.

*I learned that Dick was quite the historian when working on the 175 anniversary.*

*He archived so many memories and was so joyful when asked to share them.*

*I could talk to him for hours about history.*

*Dick was a kind, gentle, loving man. I appreciated his wonderful outlook on life, and always enjoyed our after church outing. Especially when it included chocolate! Which is something we were 100% on the same page about.*

*I'm so grateful for all the time I was able to spend with him. He will be so very missed!*

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**Robin Richardson** - March 08, 2023 at 10:29 PM

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“ Karen, we were so blessed have had the opportunity to enjoy getting to know your parents on our church group trip to Ireland about ten years ago! Your father was so pleasant, quick to befriend and a joy to be around. Cherish your memories of him. Thinking and praying for your entire family during his journey to heaven! Mike and Alice Boliek

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**Mike and Alice Boliek** - March 08, 2023 at 10:18 PM