



# Richard John Diesinger

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**R**ichard John Diesinger, known affectionately as Rich to his friends and family, passed away peacefully on January 28, 2024, at his home in Rehoboth Beach, Delaware. Born on May 7, 1942, in Norristown, Pennsylvania, Rich's journey through life was marked by an unwavering dedication to his loved ones, a passion for the open road, and a legacy of warmth and generosity that touched the hearts of all who knew him.

Rich's early years in Pennsylvania set the stage for a life full of adventure and love. He was the beloved husband of Larissa Gusakova, and together they shared countless cherished moments. Rich was a devoted father to his sons, Rick Diesinger and his wife Caryn of Colorado, and Chad Diesinger of Alaska. His role as a father extended with affection to his stepson, Paul Vishnevetsky, and his wife Andrea of New York. Rich's joy was multiplied as a grandfather to Jake, Rylee, and Benjamin, who brought immense happiness and laughter into his life.

He was a brother who shared an unbreakable bond with Ronald J. Diesinger and Russell J. Diesinger, along with his wife Geri, and his sister Dorothy J. Pecharo and her husband Rich, all of whom reside in Pennsylvania. Rich was preceded in death by his parents, Dorothy and Donald Diesinger, and his brothers, Robert B. Diesinger and Raymond D. Diesinger.

Rich's professional life was characterized by the many years he spent as a truck driver, a career that allowed him to indulge in his love for travel and the open road. His work was more than a job; it was a reflection of his adventurous spirit and his desire to explore the vast landscapes of the country he called home.

Beyond his work, Rich was known for his involvement in various associations where he formed lasting friendships and contributed to a sense of community. He was a man who believed in the value of connection and the importance of supporting one another.



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Rich's interests were as expansive as the highways he traveled. He had an insatiable love for road trips, which often turned into impromptu adventures and unforgettable memories. Traveling was not just a hobby for Rich; it was a way of life that he embraced wholeheartedly. He also found great joy in dancing, an activity that reflected his vibrant and spirited personality.

Above all, Rich cherished the time he spent with his family. Whether it was a quiet evening at home or a grand family gathering, those moments were the ones he treasured most. His presence was a source of comfort and joy, and his absence will be deeply felt by all who had the privilege of knowing him.

As we bid farewell to Rich, we celebrate a life lived with passion, kindness, and an enduring love for the open road. His memory will continue to inspire us, and his spirit will remain a guiding light in the lives of his family and friends. Rich's journey through life was a testament to the beauty of embracing each day with an open heart, and he will be remembered with love and admiration for all the days to come.

A Memorial service will be held on Friday, February 2, 2024, at 11:00 AM at Parsell Funeral Homes and Crematorium, 16961 Kings Highway, Lewes, DE 19958, where friends may visit beginning at 10:00 AM.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made in Rich's honor to the National Park Foundation <https://give.nationalparks.org>

Please visit Richard's Life Memorial at [Parsellfuneralhomes.com](https://Parsellfuneralhomes.com)




# Events

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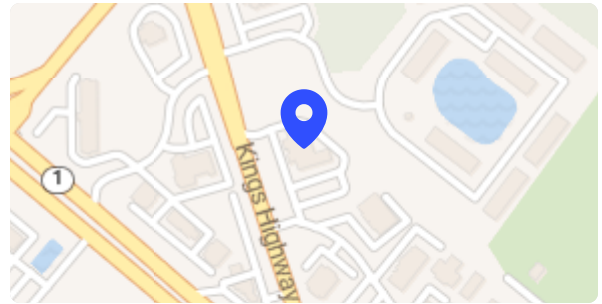
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## Visitation of Family and Friends

 **Friday**, February 2, 2024

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET

 **Atkins-Lodge Chapel - Lewes**  
16961 Kings Hwy, Lewes DE 19958

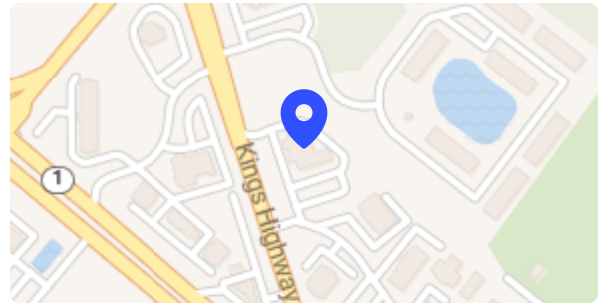


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**Paul Neumann** posted:

I worked with Rich for many years at H&K, I found Rich to be a fun guy who was fun to be around and good at what he did was happy to hear he was enjoying retirement and traveling, so sorry for your loss. Paul Neumann

February 3 at 6:24 AM

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**Евгений/ Рига** posted:

Condolence to family concern Richard deth. Big šad.

February 2 at 12:37 PM

EP

**Евгений/ Рига** posted:

Ясно помню как мы были в гостях у Ричарда и Ларисы и однажды вечером смотрели вместе на звёздное небо. У меня ассоциации, что Ричард сейчас там среди ярких звезд!

February 2 at 12:20 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Richard by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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