Kawka, Richard J.

Richard J. Kawka, age 80, of Roselle, died May 12, 2011; beloved husband of Alice (Nee Kotlaz)) for 51 years; loving father of Kristina (James) Mitchell, Suzanne (Clayton Mickelson, Heidi (Larry) Pillpuf and James (Shane) Kawka; proud grandpa of Erik, Sara, Ryan, Heather and Kelly; fun loving uncle to many nieces and nephews. Dick was a US Army Veteran and graduate of St Ignatius College Preparatory School and DePaul University. He enjoyed a long career in the commercial heat-Treating Industry' and in retirement was a proud volunteer with the Roselle Police Department and the Roselle Emergency Management Agency. Dick was a voracious reader of mysteries, an avid crossword puzzler and a friend to all. Funeral Tuesday, 10 am from Salernos Rosedale Chapels, 450 W. Lake Street, Roselle, 60171 (3/4 Mile West of Bloomingdale/ Roselle Rd.) to St Walter Church for 11am Mass. Interment, St Michael the Archangel Cemetery. Visitation. Monday, 3 to 9 pm. For info.. call 630-889-1700 or www.salernofuneralhomes.com. In lieu of flowers, donations to Catholic Charities of Chicago, appreciated.

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