



## Richard A. "Rich" Kluesner

August 11, 1947 - April 3, 2025

Richard A. "Rich" Kluesner, age 77 of Jasper, Indiana, passed away at 11:08 a.m. on Thursday, April 3, 2025 at the Waters of Huntingburg.

He was born in Huntingburg, Indiana on August 11, 1947 to Marcus and Jeanette (Freson) Kluesner.

Rich was a U.S. Army veteran, serving in the Indiana National Guard and the 324th Military Police Army Reserve Unit in Jasper, retiring after 20 plus years of service. He was member of the VFW Post #673 and a life member of the American Legion Post #147.

He worked for Masterbrand Cabinets his entire life, working at various plants, most recently as the plant manager at Decora in Jasper, retiring after 40 plus years of service.

Rich was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church in Jasper.

He was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles – Winslow Aerie #2646. He was currently serving as the Indiana State President for the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

Surviving is one son, Brian Kluesner, Jasper, three sisters: Betty Schaefer

(Rafe), Ferdinand, Martha Brown (Rod), Jasper, and Karen Lopez, Evansville, three brothers: Mike Kluesner (Nancy), Bretzville, Tom Kluesner (Elaine), Jasper, and Pat Kluesner (JoAnn), Forsynth, MO, and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Preceding him in death were his parents and one sister, Connie Beckman.

Private services will be held, with burial at Enlow City Cemetery in Jasper.

Memorial contributions may be made to Holy Family Catholic Church or the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

Online condolences may be made at [www.becherkluesner.com](http://www.becherkluesner.com).

# Cemetery Details

## **Enlow City Cemetery**

220 Brucke Street  
Jasper, IN 47546

# Tribute Wall

RS

“ Rich, I did not know you as well as your younger brothers and sisters growing up, and to them and the entire Kluesner family I would like to extend my sympathy. My memory of you is that my mother once told me that I was named Richard because she liked the name of the Kluesner boy who lived up the holler from us in Little Kentucky. Don't know if I was named after you or not, but the name Richard has served me well for decades. Rest in Peace, Richard.

*Richard Streicher*

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**Richard Streicher** - April 08, 2025 at 05:28 PM

RH

“ Deepest Sympathy to the Kluesner Family. We knew many of the brothers and sisters, and extend our condolences to all of you. May Rich find peace now in his new heavenly home.

*Jay & Rosie (Marks) Henriott 🥺 Holy Family Church Parishioners*



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**Rosie Henriott** - April 08, 2025 at 01:44 PM



“ Annie Underhill lit a candle in memory of Richard A. "Rich" Kluesner



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**Annie Underhill** - April 04, 2025 at 04:54 PM

JK

“ So sorry to hear of the death of your brother, Martha; I know you loved him dearly. Jane and Gary Keegan

Jane Keegan - April 04, 2025 at 02:49 PM

JS

“ Prayers for the Kluesner family. May God keep you in his loving arms

Joyce Stenftenagel - April 04, 2025 at 02:37 PM

MG

“ Such a wonderful Eagle Brother! Always encouraging and mentoring! Soar Brother ~ You will be missed but not forgotten!



Melinda Guinn - April 04, 2025 at 01:32 PM

DB

“ You were my dads best friend and you always made our family apart of yours we love you so much rich

danielle Buechler - April 04, 2025 at 01:31 PM

JW

“ Rich and I have been brother Eagles for a long while everyone who came in contact him became his friend. He was a great guy gone way too soon. We will try to make his state project for the turnover of the Eagles. Be great just like he wanted it to rest in peace my brother. 🕊️🕊️

John Walker - April 04, 2025 at 01:02 PM

CR

“ Rich was a very good guy. He cared about others He will be missed by anyone that had the privilege to have known him. He will be missed.



Charles D. Riggs - April 04, 2025 at 12:56 PM

MS

“ Mark Schulte lit a candle in memory of Richard A. "Rich" Kluesner



Mark Schulte - April 04, 2025 at 11:56 AM

AU

he was loved by all , funny and hardworker, great person loved to have a good time

Ann Underhill - April 04, 2025 at 02:49 PM

CK

So sorry to hear of the loss

Charles Kluesner - April 04, 2025 at 09:25 PM