

Frederick Wayne “Rick” Shaff

October 1, 1943 (Chicago, IL)

Died: July 14, 2022 (Sycamore, IL)



Frederick Wayne "Rick" Shaff, 78, of Sycamore, passed peacefully Thursday, July 14, 2022. He was born October 1, 1943, in Chicago, the son of Ralph and Irene (Emerson) Shaff, Rick married Christine Lynn Johnson in March of 1977.

A veteran of the US Navy, Rick was an engineer at Lucent Technology for more than 30 years, developing many vital software technologies. He loved to make people laugh. He enjoyed being a ham radio operator. and he was an avid chess player. He had sung in many choirs, bringing

joy to others, and he especially enjoyed worshipping the Lord through singing.

Rick is survived by his wife, Christine; children, Daniel, Ryan (Pam), Saunya Shaff, and Heather (Mark) Wuttke; grandchildren, Austin, Evan, Annika, Emma, Jonathan, Alex, and Aiden; and several foster children, international students, and nieces and nephews. Rick's parents and three siblings preceded him in death.

Memorials can be made to Network of Nations, 530 W. State St., Sycamore, IL 60178; or Bethel Assembly of God, 131 W. Elm St., Sycamore, IL 60178.

A Memorial Service will be held at 11 am Friday, July 22, 2022, at Olson's Quiram Sycamore Chapel, 1245 Somonauk St., Sycamore. For information, call (815) 895-6589 or visit www.olsonfh.com.

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