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Richard Shalek, 87, of Boca Raton, Florida, passed away on October 2, 2022. Richard leaves behind his beloved wife Ruth; three cherished children Marc (Karen), Jeffrey (Debbie), and Ellen (Rich) Maringione; dearest grandchildren Adam, Jared, Justin, Dori, Rachel, Jamie, and Jenna; and his adored siblings John (Marge) Shalek and Jane (Jerry) Berman. Services are in care of Beth Israel and Richard will be laid to rest at The Gardens Of Boca Raton. The chapel service will take place on Thursday October 6th at 1:30pm and is open to all family and friends; a cemetery service will follow afterwards and is reserved only for immediate family.

Family and friends may also consider making contributions to Parkinson's Foundation in Richard's loving memory.


Shiva will be observed at the Shalek Residence on Thursday after the service from 4:30pm-8:00pm and on Friday from 3:00pm-8:00pm

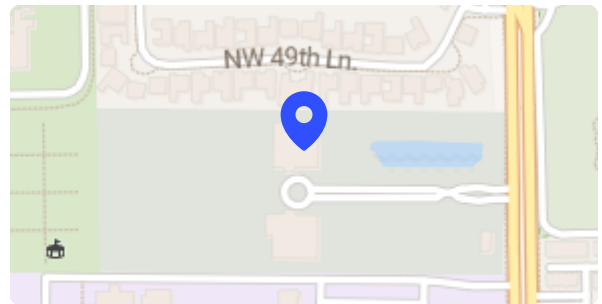


Entombment


 **Thursday**, October 6, 2022

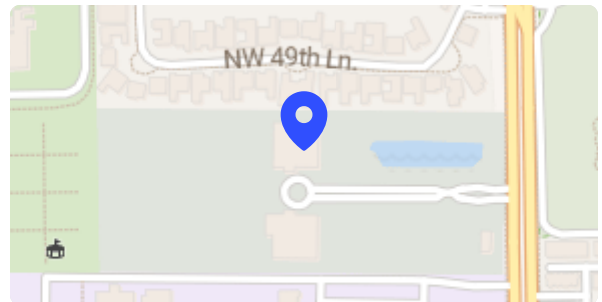
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 **THE GARDENS OF BOCA RATON**
4103 N MILITARY TRAIL, BOCA RATON FL 33431



Cemetery Details

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JB

John Baldinger posted:

i remember Richard well in the mid 70s as a counselor at White Mountain. When issues came up with campers or whatever, he always was calm and had solutions to solving the problems. Remember outside the cabins before dinner discussing politics, future careers ,etc. One of my fellow counselors was going to work at the CIA and my last year at WM, i had been accepted to medical school at Vanderbilt. We would kid the fellow counselor telling him no a nice jewish boy needs to be a doctor or lawyer . We weren't serious about this and it was just some of the funny discussions we used to have. He had a good sense of humor and was always fun to be with.

January 17 at 12:38 PM

GK

Glenn Klavans posted:

I first met Dick as a ten year old camper at Camp Green Briar. I had the privilege to work with him as a counselor and learned so much from such a kind, caring and wickedly funny man. My deepest condolences to Ruth and the entire family.

October 9 at 7:13 PM

KO

Ken And Karen Olshansky posted:

Dear Ruth and family: We just heard about Dick's passing. Dick (and Ruth) were dear friends from camp and played a big role in Karen and my relationship. His warmth and sense of humor will never be forgotten. We're sending lots of love to the Shalek family. Dick will always be in our hearts. Ken and Karen Olshansky

October 3 at 6:07 PM

SF

Sharon Freedman posted:

When we taught together for many years our favorite discussion was the school we would create and who the teachers we thought would deserve to teach there. He was a dear friend and oh did he love Ruth and their children. We will miss him. Sharon and Bob Freedman

October 3 at 6:04 PM



AM

Amy Mazer posted:

We have known Dick for decades and are fortunate to call him a friend. Dick was a great storyteller and had a wonderful sense of humor. We will always cherish his sage words of wisdom and candid point of view. We know how hard these last few years have been for him and pray he is at peace. We will miss this special man. Our hearts and thoughts are with his beloved and devoted Ruth, kids and grandkids. xox Amy & Howard Mazer

October 3 at 2:34 PM

SW

Steve Warner posted:

So many fond memories of the summer a million years ago when Dick taught me how to direct Camp Green Briar and how to play Little Nellie. I cherish the memories.

October 3 at 9:54 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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