



Richard Michael Lynam

August 28, 1934 - March 7, 2019

Richard Michael Lynam, 84, died after a brief illness on March 7th, 2019 at Vancouver, Washington. He was born in Tacoma, Washington on August 28th, 1934 to Dr. Edward and Eleanor (Maroney) Lynam. A graduate of Seattle University, he loved classical music, non-fiction reading and washing his cars.

Richard served in the United States Army as a 2nd Lieutenant liaison officer to visiting foreign military at Aberdeen Proving Grounds in Maryland.

He retired as a Probation Officer from San Mateo County, California, admired for his professionalism by his fellow officers, judges and clients. One of his clients wrote: "You always treated me fairly and encouraged me to be on the "right track." You'll have a positive influence on me for a long time."

Richard travelled the world with his wife. They started a travel business and enjoyed going to conventions. They were known for their tours of Australia.

He is survived by his wife, Theresa (Boekema) Lynam, of Washington, daughter, Charlotte Gwyn Lynam of Washington, brothers, William, of Arizona, James, of Alaska, Lawrence, of Washington, Nicholas Lynam(deceased), nephews, Ian Lynam, of Japan and Kyle Lynam(deceased), and grand-nephew, Kyle Evan Lynam, Jr., of Colorado.