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Brothers and Sister,

The entire American labor movement has lost a champion and a fighter, and the International Union of Elevator Constructors Local One has lost a close friend with the unexpected passing of AFL-CIO President Richard L. Trumka.

President Trumka died on Thursday, August 5, 2021, surrounded by his family. He was 72.

Rich Trumka was a force of nature, He devoted his life to ensuring that every man and woman could have what he believed in most – a good union contract with fair wages and a voice in the workplace.

Whether it was his concern for the safety and health of frontline workers during the pandemic or fighting for the right to organize, President Trumka put working men and women first.

We will miss his leadership as the voice of America's labor movement, and we pledge to carry on in his footsteps.

God bless Richard Trumka and his family.

God Bless – Stay Interested, Involved, and Informed,

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