



Ricky L. Riley

December 20, 2015

Ricky L. Riley, 55, was set free from pain on Sunday, December 20, 2015 surrounded by his family. Rick was born a fighter who fought to stay with his family however; God's plan was to call him home to be with his Father and brother.

Born in Lancaster, PA he was the son of the late Clarence Riley and Betty Jean Riley of Lancaster. Ricky is survived by his mother, Betty J. Riley, three daughters and two sons, Trisha, Ricky Jr., husband of Hope, Kristian, Robert, husband of Karli and Annie, Surviving besides his children is one brother, Clarence Jr., two sisters, Arla Brown and Pennie, spouse of Laura Savage and one brother-in-law, James Covert, all of Lancaster. Last but certainly not least, are his five grandchildren whom he loved dearly. Rick was preceded in death by his father, Clarence (Peenie) and his brother Lenny. Rick also shared many special moments with close friends that he referred to as family, John, Gerry and Larry, husband of Yvette.

Rick was a laborer at Domestic Tobacco for over 30 years; most recently, he was also an employee of Conestoga View Nursing Home.

Rick was an avid sports fan and watching ESPN was his pastime. He will be most remembered as a faithful and loyal fan of the Dallas Cowboys. It was rare that you would see Rick without some type of Dallas apparel on

especially before a game. He shared his love of sports with his family and friends and the general public who would routinely comment on his Dallas attire as it was obvious who his team was!

Rick was a devoted son, father, brother and all around family man. Family and friends were an important part of who Rick was. He loved spending time with his family who always put a smile on his face. He was an easy going man who loved to have fun and always gave freely to anyone in need. When you think of Rick, please remember his big smile, loving heart and of course the Dallas Cowboys.

You are cordially invited to share moments of Rick's life with us on Wednesday, December 23, 2015 11:00 a.m. at the Salvation Army, 131 S. Queen Street, Lancaster, PA with Captain Timothy Sheehan officiating. A Viewing will take place at The Groffs Family Funeral & Cremations Services, 528 W. Orange Street, (corner of Orange & Pine Sts.) Lancaster, PA on Tuesday evening, December 22, 2015 from 7:00-9:00 p.m. and again on Wednesday, December 23, 2015 at The Salvation Army from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. Interment will be in Conestoga Memorial Park.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ricky L. Riley*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *I come here to see your smiling face Daddy, no one will ever know the pain I feel from losing you. It wasn't easy then and its not any easier now. I miss you so much Daddy.. Until we meet again <3 Your Little Girl*

Annie Riley - April 05, 2016 at 03:59 PM



“ *Arla and Family*
I am so very sorry for the loss of your brother. Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you

Love Donna Speece

DONNA SPEECE - December 22, 2015 at 01:05 PM



“ *so sorry for loss rick was good guy and good person prayers to the family and friends*

scott hammer - December 21, 2015 at 06:39 PM

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“ *My sincere condolences to the Riley family on the loss of another son and brother. And to his children and grandchildren may happy memories give you comfort. Ricky and brother Lenny are gone too soon, but they were very fortunate to have such a loving family by their sides through life's challenges.*

Fredd Van Ess - December 21, 2015 at 04:50 PM

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“ *So very sorry for your loss. Rick was such a loving, caring and gentle man who would do anything for anyone. I am so very glad I was able to know him and spend time with him and his loving family. He will always have a special place in my heart. You will be greatly missed by many. May you rest in peace, Rick.*

Tracy Sevast - December 21, 2015 at 01:52 PM

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“ *So very sorry for your loss. Throughts and prayers for you and your family*

Anita Rahe - December 21, 2015 at 12:14 PM