



Rickey Dean Harner

October 8, 1950 - June 21, 2024

To join the livestream broadcast of Rickey's funeral service, please select the link below. The livestream will automatically begin at 12:55 P.M. Monday afternoon, June 24, 2024. The service will be archived and will be available for viewing for 90 days from the date of the funeral service.

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Rickey Dean Harner, age 73 years, a resident of Vienna, Illinois, passed away Friday morning, June 21, 2024, at 6:10 A.M. at the Ray and Kay Eckstein Hospice Care Center in Paducah, Kentucky.

Rickey was born October 8, 1950 in the Bloomfield community in Johnson County Illinois. He was the son of Arthur and Mary Elizabeth (Cheek) Harner.

On October 22, 1971, Rickey was united in marriage to Sandra Sue Brantley at the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church, near Grantsburg.

In addition to his wife, Rickey is survived by: his son – Preston (his wife, Angie) Harner of Tunnel Hill, Illinois; grandchildren – Colton (his wife, Mary Jane), Sarah, and Katie Beth Harner; a sister – Vickey (her husband, Richard) Swiney of Vienna; and a brother – Robert (his wife, Theresa) Harner of Goreville.

In addition to his parents, Rickey was preceded in death by: his daughter – Mandy Harner and an infant grandson – Arthur Lewis Kaufman.

Rickey was a 1968 graduate of Vienna High School. In his youth, Rickey had worked as an attendant at the Vienna Standard Oil Company service station. Later, Rickey began his working career with the Illinois Department of Corrections. He served as a correctional officer until his retirement in 2002. Additionally, Rickey worked for Fruit Belt Farm Service in a variety of capacities including warehouse manager and delivery.

Rickey was an avid outdoorsman. He enjoyed fishing and hunting, especially deer and rabbit hunting. Rickey was also a 'tinkerer' and could often be found building things in his garage.

Rickey was of the Christian faith. He had recently rededicated his life to Christ.

A funeral service honoring the life of Rickey Dean Harner will be conducted Monday afternoon, June 24, 2024, at 1 P.M. at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. Colton Harner, Rickey's grandson, will officiate.

Burial will be in the Vienna Fraternal Cemetery.

Visitation will be held Monday, June 24, 2024, from 11 A.M. until the service hour at 1 P.M.

Memorials may be made to the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, 10420 Old Olive Street Road # 300, St. Louis, Missouri 63141 or to the COPD Foundation, 3300 Ponce De Leon Blvd, Miami, Florida 33134.

Cemetery Details

Vienna Fraternal Cemetery

N. 6th Street
Vienna, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 24. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home
705 North First Street
PO Box 695
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Tribute Wall

RL

“ So sorry for your loss. Ricky was a great friend to me. May God bless and comfort his family. Richard (Doc) and Charline Lovall.

Richard Lovall - June 23, 2024 at 10:26 PM

SN

“ Sam Riley Deb Newton lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Sam Riley Deb Newton - June 23, 2024 at 09:15 PM

BR

“ Bobby Rentfro lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Bobby Rentfro - June 23, 2024 at 03:46 PM

KG

“ Kenny And Sue Goddard lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Kenny and sue Goddard - June 23, 2024 at 02:43 PM

NW

“ *Neal & Carol Watkins lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Neal & Carol Watkins - June 23, 2024 at 11:58 AM

DB

“ *So sorry for your loss.*



Darla Brown - June 23, 2024 at 10:18 AM



“ *Teresa Heffernan lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Teresa Heffernan - June 23, 2024 at 12:29 AM

SG

“ *I'm sorry for your loss. Rickey was always so happy. We had so many fun times when we were young. I'm praying for the family.*



Sondra Goins - June 22, 2024 at 11:46 PM

RJ

“ Roger & Debbie Johnson lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Roger & Debbie Johnson - June 22, 2024 at 04:52 PM

EW

“ Ed Wagoner lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Ed Wagoner - June 22, 2024 at 04:45 PM

JS

“ John Slack sent a virtual gift in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



John Slack - June 22, 2024 at 04:13 PM

LS

“ Linda Simmons lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Linda Simmons - June 22, 2024 at 01:38 PM

CW

“ Clearon & Jane Ross Wright sent a virtual gift in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Clearon & Jane Ross Wright - June 22, 2024 at 10:41 AM

CW

Ricky was a class of '68 friend. May God comfort his family.

Clearon & Jane Ross Wright - June 22, 2024 at 10:43 AM

MM

“ Margaret Mathis lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Margaret Mathis - June 22, 2024 at 09:19 AM

DH

“ Dean and Kathy Harper



Dean Harper - June 22, 2024 at 09:08 AM

PS

“ *Paula Sullivan lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Paula Sullivan - June 22, 2024 at 08:41 AM

DG

“ *Donna Greenwell lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Donna Greenwell - June 22, 2024 at 08:17 AM

JG

“ *We are so sorry for the family loss...Rick was a wonderful man..Jim & Helen Goddard*

Jim & Helen Goddard - June 22, 2024 at 12:01 AM

JG

“ *Jim & Helen Goddard lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Jim & Helen Goddard - June 21, 2024 at 11:59 PM

TR

“ Teresa Richerson lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Teresa Richerson - June 21, 2024 at 08:47 PM

BB

“ Billy&Nancy Belford lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Billy&Nancy Belford - June 21, 2024 at 06:50 PM

KB

“ Karen Brimley lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



Karen Brimley - June 21, 2024 at 06:05 PM

RJ

“ Rita Johnson lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner



rita johnson - June 21, 2024 at 05:57 PM

RJ

Sorry Robert--he was a good guy. Went to school with him from grade1.

rita johnson - June 21, 2024 at 05:59 PM

TM

“ *Our thoughts and Prayers Are with all the family. We have great memories of all the Harner family. Rick was a great friend and a joy to be around. May God comfort you all in the days ahead.*



Tom and Carmen Murrie - June 21, 2024 at 05:55 PM

LM

“ *Larry And Carolyn McGill lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Larry and Carolyn McGill - June 21, 2024 at 05:54 PM

LK

“ *Linda Koehler lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Linda Koehler - June 21, 2024 at 05:35 PM

RT

“ *Robert so sorry to hear of Ricky's passing. Prayers for your family and I'm sure you all have good memories*

Ron & Joyce Taylor - June 21, 2024 at 05:35 PM

KF

“ *Kay Farris lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Kay Farris - June 21, 2024 at 05:18 PM

RM

“ *Ruby & Earl Moore lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Ruby & Earl Moore - June 21, 2024 at 05:02 PM

BW

“ *Bill And Barb Warmack lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Bill and Barb Warmack - June 21, 2024 at 04:42 PM

DH

“ *Dallas And Charlene Harner sent a virtual gift in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Dallas and Charlene Harner - June 21, 2024 at 04:28 PM

MH

“ *Mary Lou Hynes lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Mary Lou Hynes - June 21, 2024 at 04:25 PM

BJ

“ *Barbara Jeffress lit a candle in memory of Rickey Dean Harner*



Barbara jeffress - June 21, 2024 at 04:22 PM