



Richard Gene Downs

August 21, 2011

Downs, Richard Gene, 56, of Louisville passed away August 21, 2011 at University Hospital. He was the owner and operator for Assured Auto Care, member of the Patriot Guard and Christian Motorcycle Association (CMA). He attended Power of the Cross Church. He is preceded in death by his father, Joseph Downs; mother-in-law, Christine Vandiver; and nephew, Little JoJo "His Peeps". Survivors include his wife, Patty Downs; children, Chad Downs and wife, Michelle and Nicki Downs and fiancé, Michael Renck; mother, Mayme Downs; grandchildren, Alex, Elizabeth, and Julia; brother, Michael Downs (Tonya); sisters, Joetta Downs and Veronica Bendixen (David); father-in-law, Richard Cravens; numerous nieces, nephews, brothers and sisters-in-law; and his dog, Sadie. Funeral service will be 4pm Friday at Owen Funeral Home, 5317 Dixie Highway with cremation to follow. Visitation will be Wednesday 1pm-9pm, Thursday 9am-9pm, and Friday 9am until the service at 4. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Ronald McDonald House and Crusade for Children-Special Needs West Bus Compound.

Tribute Wall

LB

“ Claude and I are both saddened to learn of Rick's passing. He was a trusted friend. We will miss him and his humor. We are so sorry for your loss.
Linda Brock

Linda & Claude Brock - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM

DL

“ V, We are so sorry you are having to endure this loss. You have had so many weights come over and I know this is a very difficult one to endure. Know that we are here for you and love you. Prayers and thoughts for all your family are going up. Love ya, David, Liz, Brittany and Jordan

David & Liz Lewis - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM

TT

“ Sorry for your loss.

Tracy Thompson - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM

KL

“ I knew Rick for several years through Good Year, and I always enjoyed dealing with him. He will be missed by many. I am so sorry for your loss.

Karen Level - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM

SM

“ Veronica, Jerry and I are so very sorry for your loss, Please if there is any thing we can do let us know or call us Love Susie and Jerry Mattingly

Susie and Jerry Mattingly - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM

TF

“ Please except our very deepest, heart felt sympathy as you attempt to process your loss. This world was made a better place and countless peoples lives are enriched because of Rick's willingness to live in the likeness of our creator. You are in our thoughts and prayers!

Sincerely,
Don, Penny, Alicia, and Olivia Owings
Carrollton, VA.

The Owings Family - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM

LM

“ Richard and Family, The only times I would see you were at "Assured Auto Care" when my truck needed repaired. No matter what the problem, you guys would get it fixed right the first time every time. I always knew I could count on, and trust you to treat me fairly and honestly. You and Dan both would always greet me by name when I entered your store. If I needed to leave my truck, you were there to make sure I had a ride home and pick me back up if need be. Richard, you and Dan are the best, I will never take my truck any where else for repairs. You will be missed.

Your customer
Leroy and Beverly Miller
J-town KY.

Leroy & Beverly Miller - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM

CB

“ Veronica and family,
You are in my thoughts and prayers, so sorry for your loss. May God be with you.

Cindy Bailey - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM

LF

“ Veronica and family, I am sorry about your loss.
I will keep you in my prayers. I know what you are going through I
lost my brother 2 yrs ago this month.

A friend,
Laura

Laura Frank - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM

DN

“ Veronica and family,
You are all in my thoughts and prayers. From reading your
Facebook it sounds like your brother was a very Christian person
and you now know that he is looking down on you from Heaven. I
am sorry for you loss but it is God's gain.

Debbie Nottingham - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM

MS

“ Veronica - To you and all your family. I am so sorry for your loss.
You all are in my thoughts and prayers. Love you.

Marian Sims - June 28, 2018 at 04:04 PM