



Richard P Kauffman

July 28, 1951 - February 24, 2015

Richard P. Kauffman, 63 of Bluffton, passed away at 10:16 p.m. on Tuesday, February 24, 2015, at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne.

Richard was born on July 28, 1951 in Bluffton to Verlin D. and Julia E. (Zink) Kauffman. On October 17, 1981, Richard married Laurel A. Haley in New Haven.

Richard graduated from Bluffton High School in 1969. He worked with his family for 20 years in their construction company, Kauffman & Sons Construction. He then worked for Peyton's Northern. He was a member of S.A.L. and the American Legion #111. He attended St. John's Family Worship Center in Vera Cruz. Richard enjoyed bowling, as well as Nascar and Bass Fishing. He was an IU Basketball and Indianapolis Colts Fan.

Richard is survived by his wife Laurel Kauffman of Bluffton, a daughter Danielle (Jason) Rekoweg and his grandson Matthew P. Rekoweg all of Markle along with a brother Greg (Deb) Kauffman of Bluffton.

A Memorial Service to celebrate Richard's life will be held at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home, at 4:00 PM on Sunday, March 8, 2015. Rev. Don Rentschler will officiate. Visitation will be at the Funeral Home from 1:00PM to 4:00PM prior to the service. Preferred memorials are to Family LifeCare of Berne or the donor's choice. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home. Friends may leave online condolences at www.thomarich.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 8. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Service

MAR 8. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard P Kauffman*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - March 08, 2015 at 12:35 PM



“ *Richard P Kauffman*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Laurel and Family, Just a note to express my deepest sympathy, and please know I'm thinking about you at this sad time. Cindy Monticue*



Cindy Monticue - March 06, 2015 at 10:11 PM



“ *67 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - March 04, 2015 at 04:53 PM

MJ

“ Michele Gilbert Judge purchased the Simply Lily for the family of Richard P Kauffman.



Michele Gilbert Judge - March 03, 2015 at 03:15 PM

SD

“ Sonja Davison lit a candle in memory of Richard P Kauffman



Sonja Davison - March 03, 2015 at 08:09 AM

SD

So very sorry for your loss. I spent a lot of good times with Richard and all our our gang. He will be missed!!

Sonja Davison - March 03, 2015 at 08:11 AM

DS

“ Doug Sawyer lit a candle in memory of Richard P Kauffman



Doug Sawyer - March 02, 2015 at 08:20 AM

MH

“ Mary Gaunt Hilsmier lit a candle in memory of Richard P Kauffman



Mary Gaunt Hilsmier - February 28, 2015 at 08:14 PM

EM

“ To Richard's family and friends: I am very sorry for your loss. May you be comforted by your fond memories in happier times and by the Bible's promise of a resurrection for our dear dead loved ones at John 11:23-25.

Edna McGinnett - February 28, 2015 at 10:03 AM

MZ

“ *Mary Collins Zeis lit a candle in memory of Richard P Kauffman*



mary collins zeis - February 27, 2015 at 03:19 PM

PS

“ *Laurel, Danielle and family you are in my prayers. Pat Sluder*

Pat Sluder - February 26, 2015 at 04:52 PM

GH

“ *Laurel, Danielle, Jason and family, our hearts are heavy with the loss of Rich. Wayne always liked fishing with Rich and sharing fishing stories! You have been and will continue to be in our thoughts and prayers in the days and weeks to come.
May God Bless you with many beautiful memories that will bring you comfort, peace and
in time laughter.
Wayne, Glennis and Patrick Henly*

Glennis Henly - February 26, 2015 at 04:14 PM

TH

“ *Laurel, Danielle, Greg and families, you are in our thoughts and prayers. Tom and Carol Higgins*

Tom and Carol Higgins - February 26, 2015 at 09:57 AM

JB

“ *Jim Barnes lit a candle in memory of Richard P Kauffman*



Jim Barnes - February 26, 2015 at 07:11 AM

CC

“ So very sorry to hear about your loss. To the immediate family as well as Greg, Deb, Brandon, & Ashley. Prayers for peace, and for God's presence to surround you during this time.

Pastor Derek & Christin Carpenter & family

Christin C - February 26, 2015 at 06:54 AM

JF

“ *Jill, Bret & Mitchell Fair lit a candle in memory of Richard P Kauffman*



Jill, Bret & Mitchell Fair - February 25, 2015 at 11:33 PM