



Mr. Rickie Dean Mills

December 11, 1949 - December 16, 2018

Rickie Dean Mills, born December 11, 1949, went home to heaven on December 16, 2018, just in time for Christmas.

Rick is survived by his wife & best friend of 26 years Mary Jane Mills; Daughter, Traci Dunn; Sons, Ricky & Virginia Mills, Andrew Mills; Step-daughters, Shilia & Doug Parker, Christie Pender & George Cole; Sisters Ernestine Rhoten, & Dee Arnold; as well as fifteen grandchildren.

Rick is preceded in death by his parents, Ernest & Dorothy Mills.

After being drafted in 1970, Rick served in the U.S. Army for 8 years then continued to serve with the Army National Guard for 12 additional years. He was honorably discharged in 1991 with the rank of Staff Sergeant.

Rick began his walk with the lord in 1958 when he was saved at High Street Baptist Church. Throughout his life he continued to serve God by participating actively in church in many capacities displaying his faith through his works. His family fondly remembers his love for guns & hunting, overalls & ball caps, going fast & driving crazy, bible school & Sundays, traveling & the comforts of home, but most of all time with family & friends.

Funeral Services will be 11:00 a.m. at the Cedar Ridge Freewill Baptist

Church with Pastor Shane Shockley. Music will be by Steve West and recorded selections. Pallbearers will be Andrew Mills, Derrick Mills, Dylan Mills, Rickie Mills, Cooper Dunn, Curtis Scurlock, and Tim Scurlock. Honorary Pallbearers will be Logan Mills, Sean Mills, Skylar Mills, Nicolas Freeman, Owen Scurlock, and Doug Parker.

Visitation will be from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Thursday in the Cantlon Otterness & Viets Funeral Home under the direction of the Cantlon Otterness & Viets funeral Home of Buffalo.

In Lieu of flowers memorials may be made to either the American Cancer Society or the Cedar Ridge Church.

Cemetery Details

Cedar Ridge Cemetery

Long Lane, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **20**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cantlon-Otterness & Viets Funeral Home - Buffalo

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Service

DEC **21**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Cedar Ridge Freewill Baptist Church

Long Lane , MO

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Rickie Dean Mills*

October 09, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ *Mr. Rickie Dean Mills*

October 09, 2023 at 04:09 AM



“ *Mr. Rickie Dean Mills*

October 05, 2023 at 11:14 PM



“ *Mr. Rickie Dean Mills*

October 05, 2023 at 05:41 PM



“ *Mr. Rickie Dean Mills*

December 20, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ *Rick was my best friend. I will miss him. Love you Rick we will be together someday see you then*

Leon Fain

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“ To everyone that loved Rick I am so sorry for your loss. Rick was a one of a kind I will Miss Him and always remember him we shared so much I have many memories of the times we had together.

Rick G.

Rick G. - December 19, 2018 at 06:01 PM

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“ As my Daddy's little Peanut, we shared a special affinity for peanuts, even after he was told not to have so much sodium. He was a wonderful father and I know I will see him again in heaven. I love you, Dad. Wait for me! I will see you one day in Glory!

Traci Dunn - December 18, 2018 at 01:17 PM