



## Ricky Dean Weatherd

February 23, 1949 - August 21, 2023

Ricky Dean Weatherd, "Lil Rick," was born on February 23, 1949 in King City, MO to Elmo and Maxine Weatherd. He grew up in Darlington, MO where he attended Albany School until he was drafted into the United States Army in June of 1968. He was sent to Vietnam in November of 1969 where he drove a tank as a Calvary Scout. Rick left the Army in 1970 to return to Kansas City. Rick was married to his first wife Reva Weatherd on November 15th, 1968 to May of 1977. Rick and Reva had two children, Dena and Danon Weatherd. Upon his return to Kansas City Rick worked at Ford Motor Plant from February 1970 till 1977. Rick would eventually become self-employed, involved in his passion of herbology for the remainder of his life. He lived in South Kansas City for many years until he and his girlfriend Gail Main decided to relocate to Windyville, MO in 1989. They had met in 1982 and they spent many happy years together traveling the country until they settled down to build their dream house in Long Lane, MO. His beloved girlfriend unexpectedly passed in 2005. Ricky lived with his girlfriend Cindy Prigden until his death.

Ricky was preceded in death by his father and mother, Elmo and Maxine Weatherd. He is survived by one brother, Terry Weatherd & wife Joan of St. Joseph MO; sister, Sue Snow of Harrison AR; children, Dena Weatherd and partner Steve Bosley of Birmingham, MO; Master Sergeant Danon Weatherd & wife Rachel of Fort Bragg, NC; grandchildren, Ashley Fletcher & husband Chris of Buffalo, MO, Makenzee Moore & husband Brant of Eagle River, AK;

Lake Hendrickson & wife Lauren of Anchorage, AK; and five great-grandchildren, Lucas and Liam Fletcher, Lennox and Lawton Hendrickson, and Henry Moore. He also leaves many nieces and nephews along with a long list of great friendships aka "his brothers".

Rick lived his life to the fullest and did whatever made him happy. He had the biggest smile and tightest hugs. Rick was always the one everyone could count on, and he would go above and beyond to make sure everyone was cared for. He loved his kids, his grand kids, and his great grandkids more than anything else in the world. He will be missed by many and never forgotten by the ones who knew him.

Memorial visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 2, 2023 in the Cantlon-Otterness & Viets Funeral Home. Military Honors will follow the visitation.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

SEP 2. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Cantlon-Otterness & Viets Funeral Home - Buffalo

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Ricky Dean Weatherd*

October 09, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ *Ricky Dean Weatherd*

October 09, 2023 at 04:09 AM



“ *Ricky Dean Weatherd*

October 05, 2023 at 11:14 PM



“ *Ricky Dean Weatherd*

October 05, 2023 at 05:41 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ricky Dean Weatherd.

September 01, 2023 at 04:48 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Ricky Dean Weatherd.*



September 01, 2023 at 04:48 PM

RJ

“ Robert D Mock family, Randy, Jeff & Jim planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ricky Dean Weatherd.

Robert D Mock family, Randy, Jeff & Jim - September 01, 2023 at 12:11 PM

RJ

“ Robert D Mock family, Randy, Jeff & Jim purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Ricky Dean Weatherd.



Robert D Mock family, Randy, Jeff & Jim - September 01, 2023 at 12:11 PM

GM

“ Gary and Sue Manion planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ricky Dean Weatherd.

Gary and Sue Manion - September 01, 2023 at 12:08 PM

GM

“ Gary and Sue Manion purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Ricky Dean Weatherd.



Gary and Sue Manion - September 01, 2023 at 12:08 PM

RM

“ A note of sadness and sorrow from Bob and Nancy (deceased 10 Apr 2014), recalling the growing up years through HS days of Sue, Ricky and Terry. The summer trips to visit GMa Good while Bob was at summer AFT with the NG, the camping trip to Pom De Terre lake, the speed boat, the race cars at Bethany... motorcycles... those were the years. Altho contact and visits spread thin as the years passed, the memories linger fresh in mind. There will forever be the "peace that passeth understanding, down in my heart".

*Love, Aunt Nancy Jane Good Mock and Bob, Randall, Jeffrey and James*

*Robert D. Mock and Wife Katy as of Oct 2015*

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**Robert D Mock** - September 01, 2023 at 11:52 AM

JJ

“ Jerry & Karen and Charles & Jennifer purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Ricky Dean Weatherd.



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**Jerry & Karen and Charles & Jennifer** - August 30, 2023 at 02:07 PM