



Rick D. Lewis

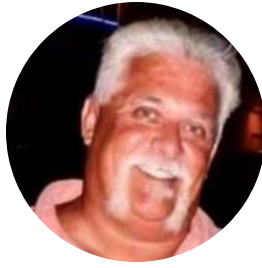
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Richard D. Lewis, age 69, passed away peacefully on Sunday, September 8, 2024, at the Cleveland Clinic Hospice in Akron, Ohio. Born on October 23, 1954, in Chelsea, Massachusetts, he was the beloved son of Edward and Rosalie (nee Servitelli) Lewis.

Richard, or "Rick" as he was known to family and friends, graduated from Vermilion High School in 1975. Shortly after, on October 27, 1975, he enlisted in the United States Marine Corps, until his honorable discharge on October 27, 1978.

Rick was employed at Ford, spending 31 years at the Lorain Ford Assembly Plant, followed by 2 years at the Avon Ford Assembly Plant before retiring in 2007.

In retirement, Rick found solace in the unconditional love of his grandchildren, who were a constant source of joy and inspiration for him. His love for music was another source of peace, as was his profound personal relationship with God.

Rick is survived by his wife of 45 years, Denise (nee Lauter) Lewis; his children, Sherrie (Lewis) Mayer of Louisville, KY, Rick (Leslie) Lewis of Olmsted Falls, OH, and Cody (Brittany) Lewis of Lorain, OH; his cherished grandchildren, Brinklie Mayer, AJ Mathis, Rileigh, Teagan, and Hailey Lewis; and great-grandson, Taylin Calhoun. He also leaves behind his siblings, Bill (Linda) Lewis of Mogadore, OH, Ed (Chris) Lewis of Cement City, MI, Carol (Gil) Cantey of Warrenton, VA, and Jim (Jean) Lewis of Tacoma, WA.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ed and Rosalie Lewis, as well as his brothers, David and George Lewis.

In keeping with Rick's wishes, there will be no formal services or memorials. Family and friends are encouraged to remember him in their own personal ways. Online condolences may be shared with the family at www.dovinreberjones.com.

Rick will be deeply missed by all who knew him, but his memory will live on in the hearts of his loved ones. May he rest in peace.



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PG

Pamela & Sonny Gray posted:

Denise & family, May God hold you all close to his side as you walk this path of loss. He is there always, just call upon him. God bless you all.

October 10 at 4:46 AM

JL

Jim And Jean Lewis sent an Arrive in Style to the Lewis family.



September 30 at 10:38 AM

JC

Judi Carder-Collins posted:

So sorry for the loss of Rick. His smile was addicting. Always there to lend a hand. The U A W cared for him and his hard work. RIP Rick. Forever missed. Bill and Judi

September 28 at 7:14 AM

DP

Debbie Peck posted:

Such a nice person and friend. Sending prayers and hugs to Denise and family. ❤️

September 28 at 4:57 AM

JT

John Tuttle posted:

A good man loved by many. My sincere condolences to Rick's family.

September 28 at 4:09 AM

KH

Kim C Huffman posted:

May Rick RIP. Many great memories of hanging out with Rick including him doing donuts in the deep snow at the Vermilion Sailor Field gravel parking lot during driver's ed class. The instructor was a bit in shock and not at all thrilled.

September 27 at 7:57 PM



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KE

Kelly posted:

My deepest sympathy to Denise and the family. Rick was one of the good guys at Ford and always cared about his coworkers. I'm sure he will be missed by everyone and is at peace now.

September 27 at 11:37 AM

JS

Jerry Schrader posted:

Rick was well known and very well liked by his coworkers at the Ford Plants. May he Rest In Peace!

September 27 at 10:53 AM

LP

Lynda Pasela posted:

Our deepest sympathies for you guys. I will always cherish the memories and good times we shared.

September 27 at 10:43 AM

SA

Skeet Allison posted:

Rest In Peace Big Dog. You were 1 of the Best. Thoughts and Condolences to Family and Friends 🍷

September 27 at 10:31 AM

DM

Debbie Middleton posted:

I have known Rick since High School and come to really enjoy his texts about his relationship with GOD and his precious family .. he has showed me God's grace and love through his faith ..Thank you Rick for being my friend .. Rest In Peace

September 27 at 10:12 AM

CL

Clarice September 28 at 5:00 AM

RIP Dear Friend, classmate of "74" always kept faith and encouragement in God with my husbands Cancer journey, will miss our conversations, Prayers to the family 🙏



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Ed And Kris Lewis planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Rick.



September 27 at 10:05 AM



Anonymous sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Lewis family.



September 27 at 10:05 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Rick by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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