



Richard "Ricky" Lavoie

December 27, 1958 - November 10, 2024

Richard "Ricky" Allen Lavoie, 65 of Hudson, New Hampshire passed away peacefully on Sunday, November 10, 2024, at the Community Hospice House, Merrimack, NH surrounded by his loving wife, Linda (Sennett) Lavoie, sister, Susan (Lavoie) Higgins, son, Javier Navarrete-Rodriguez, and niece, Amanda Murphy. Richard was born on December 27, 1958 in Brighton, MA, son of the late Sonya (Coleron) Lavoie and Henry Lavoie.

Ricky grew up in Waltham, MA with his four siblings, where he attended local schools and graduated from Waltham Vocational High School in 1978. He had been employed at Pfizer Pharmaceutical in Andover, MA for 20 years until his retirement in 2021. Prior to that, Ricky, worked at Hewlett-Packard in both Andover, MA and Waltham, MA locations. He has been a longtime member of the Elks club Lexington-Waltham, MA No. 2204.

From a young age, Ricky always had a deep love for both playing and watching sports. He had a natural talent, and an impressive swing that won him many a youth baseball game and later in life won him many a golf game. Ricky was competitive in everything he did, and never said no to an adventure. He loved skiing, anything on the water, fishing, playing cribbage, and Ricky never said no to playing a game of Keno a love he developed from his late father-in-law, George Sennett.

Ricky was loved by everyone, and equally loved everyone. Even from a young age his friends and family meant the world to him. He and his wife, Linda just celebrated their 30th anniversary August 27, 2024. When Ricky wasn't on an adventure, you could find him "relaxing". He and his wife enjoyed hosting cookouts or dinners at home, and spending time with their grandson, Noah.

To know him was an honor.

Survivors include his loving wife, Linda (Sennett) Lavoie of Hudson, NH; son, Javier Navarrete-Rodriguez of Wilton, NH; Grandson, Noah; Sister, Susan (Lavoie) Higgins of Nashua, NH; Sister, Annie Lavoie of Somerville, MA; Nephews, Derek and Brian Higgins; Nieces, Christine Higgins and Amanda Murphy; and many close cousins and great nephews.

A time of visitation will be held on Monday, November 18th from 4:00pm - 6:30pm with a Service of Remembrance at 6:30pm in the Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Home, 50 Ferry Street in Hudson, NH. Burial will be private. Anyone who knows Ricky knows he had a deep love for pets, especially his Benny and Penny aka Yea. In lieu of flowers in Ricky's name please make a donation to: The Greater Derry Humane Society, Inc., 11 Beaver Lake Road, Derry, NH 03038

Previous Events

VISITING HOURS

NOV 18. 4:00 PM - 6:30 PM (ET)

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SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE

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Tribute Wall



“ Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Homes & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard "Ricky" Lavoie



Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Homes - November 14, 2024 at 09:24 PM

LT

Love you Ricky ☐

Linda Turba - November 14, 2024 at 09:36 PM

MM

👉 Love you Ricky ❤️

Mary McLaughlin - November 15, 2024 at 06:59 AM

CY

Ricky was a 50+ year friend. He was fun! FIERCELY LOYAL.! Hard working. LOVING. Tons of friends of all ages and nationalities. Loved his soulmate and wife, Linda, who were attached by the hips. Got the grand prize when his father-in-law married into the family, old Georgie Boy! They loved each other.

Peace and Love to My Old Buddy,
Colin

Colin Young - November 15, 2024 at 08:55 AM

CT

Ricky was the sweetest man I ever knew. I worked with him for many years at Hewlett Packard. He was always a good friend.

Cheryl TrombleySimard - November 15, 2024 at 11:20 AM

BS

I didn't realize how much I missed you, until I started thinking about all we did. They were not all as special as our trip to Aruba. but our weekends in Maine @ the ocean walk were a close second. My sister and Aunt miss you playing cribbage with us, especially my sister when she starts moving the wrong peg. Our rides home were great when we won and not so great when we lost, especially if I screwed up. I love you and miss you so much. RIP my brother

Barry Sullivan - November 15, 2024 at 01:10 PM

PT

Ricky was a wonderful fun-loving guy. There was never a moment with him that you weren't smiling. Linda I hope you and the family memories sustain you through these sad times
Pam Trunca

Pam Trunca - November 16, 2024 at 09:53 AM

LB

What a beautiful tribute to Ricky. May your family find peace in the memories.

Lisa Bohner - January 02, 2025 at 04:42 PM

CP

“*Ricky & Linda have been my courtyard neighbors for more than 20 years. Any time I saw Ricky (no matter where) over ALL those years, he always had a bright smile and a friendly hello; he is one of the kindest, caring persons I have ever known; Heaven has certainly gained a very special angel for sure! My heartfelt sympathies to Linda - and to Ricky's whole family. Cindy Perkins*

Cindy Perkins - November 17, 2024 at 09:39 PM

MY

“ My prayers and condolences go out to everyone in Ricky's life... He was one of a kind, in the best way, and a loyal friend to everyone who knew him. He was a fun loving guy who loved to joke around, and we shared many over the years we worked at HP.

One of the funniest times I remember with Ricky was when we were golf partners... he was about to tee off and there was a person coming into our fairway and Ricky didn't see him. The three of us, on the side line, were yelling at Ricky to let him know what was going on but he had removed his hearing aids and couldn't hear us. We finally threw a ball near him to catch his eye and he turned around abruptly looking at us... we were laughing and pointed to the guy on the fairway. He broke out in laughter as we all did, he said it was hot which is why he took out his aids. lol We joked about that for years after, he had a heart of gold and he will be missed. I wish I had known he was up here in NH and not that far away from me. Sad that we don't always know where people are that matter to you...

Rest in peace my ole friend... hit them far and straight and without fear! May God be with you always. and until we meet again.

Michael Yow - November 17, 2024 at 08:27 PM

SR

“ Ricky was such a sweet guy who everyone loved! Linda, I can express my heartache for you enough. I will miss running into you both at Market Basket. We always had fun....



Fly high, and say "hi" to my Mom, Dad, brother Paul and especially Crystal! Please give her a HUGE HUG from all of us that are missing you all up there!!

Scot, Janice & Devon Rouleau - November 15, 2024 at 03:15 PM



“ I worked with Ricky at HP in the 1970s and 1980s. He was funny, compassionate, and a great person to work with. Blessings and prayers to him and his family during this difficult time. He left a lasting impression on many people.

Greg Maloney - November 15, 2024 at 11:19 AM

BL

“ Ricky was a humble man, a reliable friend, and such a great neighbor. We've enjoyed many great backyard festivities and laughs. Ricky (and Linda) always enjoyed hosting and welcoming friends into their home, and he really loved grilling on that griddle of his! I will forever be grateful of his illustrious laugh, selfless actions, empathy and compassion, and appreciation of others. I'll forever miss you Ricky, but my memories of you will never fade! Rest easy my friend!

Brian & Sarah

Brian Looney - November 14, 2024 at 10:08 PM

RI

♥♥ Thank you for all your kindness love and support!
We all love you and were so thankful knowing you we both our friends and ready to come over in a minutes notice if needed! Our backyard festivities will never be forgotten!
Love Linda Jave Noah and of course our beloved Ricky!♥♥♥

richard.la - November 15, 2024 at 12:14 AM

MM

Ricky I will never forget the day I met you and Linda. We had so much fun cooking out , and justing sitting and laughing over cocktails. Love you and I miss you my friend. Mary Ellen and Sean

Mary Ellen McMurrer - November 15, 2024 at 05:52 AM