



Richard S. Burke

March 1, 1950 - June 19, 2023

Richard S. Burke, 73, of Zeeland, passed away on Monday, June 19, 2023.

Dick was born in Holland, on March 1, 1950, to Walter and Dorothy (Cunningham) Burke. Dick graduated from Holland High in 1969 and attended Muskegon Community College. He met Beth Dykhuizen at Woodland Roller Rink and they eventually married on November 20, 1976. Dick and Beth raised their kids in Holland and Dick worked for thirteen years as an engine installer at Chris-Craft. After Chris-Craft, Dick worked at Haworth for twenty years until his retirement. He enjoyed woodworking, traveling, hunting, and fishing. For several years, Dick and Beth made annual visits to Jamaica and Cancun. In retirement, Dick and Beth sold lots of Dick's woodworking wares at the many shows they attended. Dick was preceded in death by his brother Tom Burke, his parents, and his mother-in-law Doris Dykhuizen.

He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Beth, their children and grandchildren: Kim and Kevin Anderson (Lindsey, Tyler, Zach) of Zeeland, Tom and Rebecca Burke (Liam, Layla, Luka) of Ada; siblings: Kay and Ray Meunier, Pat and Don Swanson; parents-in-law Al and Jackie Dykhuizen, in-laws: Ellen Wierenga, Barb Dadswell, Rick and Toni Houtstra, Sharon and Ron De Winter, Ron Houtstra, and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

A memorial service to honor Richard S. Burke will be held at 1:00 pm, Friday,

June 23, 2023, at Holland Heights Christian Reformed Church, 836 E. 8th Street, Holland MI 49423. A reception will follow the service where you can visit with the Burke family and friends.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Meijer Heart Center:

<https://give.spectrumhealth.org/donate/search/complete-gift?fid=452039fb-503d-4734-a00d-327b7793486a>

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUN **23**. 1:00 PM - 1:50 PM (ET)

Holland Heights Christian Reformed Church
836 E. 8th Street
Holland , MI 49423

A reception will follow the service where you can visit the and greet the Burke family members.

Tribute Wall



“ *Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes created a Richard Burke Memorial Service in memory of Richard S. Burke*



Langeland-Sterenberg Yntema Funeral Homes - June 23, 2023 at 04:37 PM

MN

“ *Kay & Pat:
My sympathy to you both. I was fortunate to run into Dick at the Soccer Stop in Holland, we both had grandkids playing. We did a little catching up. I have many fond memories of times at your house when I was growing up. Your Mothers open faced chipped beef sandwiches were great. Please know you are in my prayers.
With sympathy;
Mary (Rooks) Nienhuis*

Mary Nienhuis - June 29, 2023 at 08:40 PM

SM

“ *Sean M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard S. Burke.*

Sean M. - June 23, 2023 at 10:56 AM



“ *Tom and Family - so deeply sorry for your loss. Sending prayers your way. - Brandee Velasquez*



Brandee Velasquez - June 23, 2023 at 09:15 AM

BS

“ *Tom and family- you are in our thoughts at this difficult time. I have memory fond memories of Richard. He was a great man, gone far too soon. Thinking of you all.*

Ben Simmons - June 23, 2023 at 09:09 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard S. Burke.*

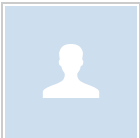


June 23, 2023 at 07:13 AM

JM

“ *Sincere condolences to the family. Sending prayers and thoughts your way!*

J-F Mayrand - June 21, 2023 at 12:34 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Richard S. Burke.*

June 20, 2023 at 11:41 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Richard S. Burke.*



June 20, 2023 at 11:41 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Richard S. Burke.*



June 20, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Richard S. Burke.*



June 20, 2023 at 09:12 PM



“ *Hey Tom - my deepest condolences to you and your family during this difficult time. We will keep you in our prayers.*

Pedro Reyes

Pedro Reyes - June 20, 2023 at 07:21 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Richard S. Burke.



June 20, 2023 at 04:19 PM