



## Richard "Rich" Rodriguez

October 14, 1955 - October 30, 2024

Richard "Rich" Rodriguez age 69 of Dixon passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on Wednesday Oct. 30, 2024 at Serenity Hospice and Home in Oregon. He was born on Oct. 14, 1955 in Dixon the son of Arturo and Alice (Melendrez) Rodriguez. Rich worked at Raynor Garage Doors for over 30 years. He attended school at St. Mary's Catholic Grade School and Dixon High School. He loved going to breakfast at the Red Apple where he made many friends. He also loved watching football, mostly the Bears and watching his great great nephew play sports. He will be truly missed by many. Rich is preceded in death by his parents, brother Larry Rodriguez, sister in law Waynette Rodriguez, and brother in law Bob Lee. He is survived by his siblings Connie Lee, Jim Rodriguez, Alex Rodriguez, half sister Celia (Al) Ducan, half brother Rick Jenkins, niece Tammi (Wes) Sherman, nephews Jon Rodriguez, Ron Wolber, great neices Tiesha Dewey, Taylor (Jeff) Helfrich, Kayli Wolber, great nephews Boston Rodriguez, Noah Rodriguez, Mateo Rodriguez, Anakin Rodriguez, great great nephews Hunter, Hudson, Holden, and great great niece Talia. Cremation rites have been accorded with burial of cremated remains to be held at Oakwood Cemetery in Dixon on Nov. 9, 2024 at 1:00 PM. A luncheon and celebration of life will follow at the Dixon Elks Lodge at 1:30 PM. Memorial donations can be made to Serenity Hospice and Home in Oregon and St. Mary Catholic Grade School in Dixon.



# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood

416 S Dement Ave  
Dixon, IL 61021

# Previous Events

## Service

NOV 9. 1:00 PM (CT)

Oakwood  
416 S Dement Ave  
Dixon, IL 61021

## A Celebration of Life

NOV 9. 1:30 PM (CT)

Dixon Elks Lodge #779  
1279 Franklin Grove Rd  
Dixon, IL 61021

# Tribute Wall

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“ *April Spencer lit a candle in memory of Richard Rodriguez*



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**April Spencer** - November 06, 2024 at 03:45 PM

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“ *Rest easy now friend, and know that you were loved deeply, and will be remembered always. I met Rich through my husband, Terry. They worked together at Raynor. He visited regularly and brought great joy. He loved gossiping with hubby, and I enjoyed listening to them. His laugh was contagious, and I'm surely going to miss it. My deepest condolences to the family. Rich was a fine man.*

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**April Spencer** - November 06, 2024 at 03:44 PM

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“ *I was good friend with Rich and his entire family when I was in grade school at St Mary's. We played baseball all the time down at Madison Park with his whole family. I had so many great memories from back then. My deepest condolences for Connie, Jim, and Alex.*

*Mike McGrail*

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**Mike McGrail** - November 04, 2024 at 12:58 PM