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Richard Flenniken, 60, of St. Petersburg, passed away suddenly on January 14, 2022. Rick was born in Alliance, OH on June 2, 1961 and is survived by his mother, Evelyn, and brother Jeff. Rick, a warm-hearted soul with a quick wit, was a vital member of WFLA/News Channel 8 for 37 years as the Master Control Supervisor. His technical expertise enabled WFLA to seamlessly present all its on-air content, including major local productions (parades, telethons and local sports events & specials) that reinforced the station's community connections. A memorial service and celebration of his life is being held on March 12, 2022 at 1:00pm in Eagle Lake Park, 1800 Keene Rd., Largo, FL 33771, Pavilion # 3. In lieu of flowers, make donations to: The American Heart Association, 11207 Blue Heron Blvd., St. Petersburg, FL 33716 (727) 563-8000.



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Don And Charlene Eddington posted:

We met Rick about 17 years ago. He was always a joy to be around. We played cards and joked and laughed a lot. Being so far away from our own children, he filled in that gap. He invited us over to his home for a pool party. His mother, Evelyn has become one of my best friends and my heart is hurting for her now! Hugs and prayers to Jeff and Rose and Dave! Rick was a living and very devoted son. We are so sorry to hear this news!

January 22 at 10:17 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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