



Richard Eugene Bartley

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Bartley, Rick, 70, of St. Petersburg passed away on September 17, 2024. Loving husband to Dorre, devoted father to Ricky (Rebecca), Evan, the late Sara Jean, and a proud Pe Pa to TJ (Timothy Joseph) Bartley. Rick was a Property Manager for Tourtelot Property Management & Leasing for over 33 years. In 2019, Rick survived a heart attack which resulted in having a double coronary artery bypass which forced him to give up his precious bacon double cheeseburgers. Rick loved soccer and was a coach for many years and then moved onto to refereeing the game for 24 years (both recreational and high school). Rick was a Mr. Fix-it always preferring to tackle projects and home improvements himself. He enjoyed fishing and navigating the waterways on his beloved boat which he always continued to tinker on. He will be sorely missed by his family and friends but will live in their hearts forever. A Celebration of Life will be held on Tuesday, September 24, 2024, at Memorial Park Funeral Home at 11:00 a.m.



Events


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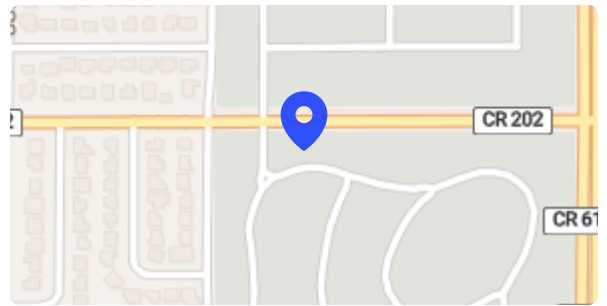
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Celebration of Life

 **Tuesday**, September 24, 2024

 11:00 AM ET

 **Memorial Park Funeral Home**
5750 49th Street North, St. Petersburg FL 33709





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Memorial Park Funeral Home shared a **Webcast Video**.



September 24 at 4:08 AM



William Stanton posted:

Rick managed our St. Pete condo for over 15 years. We were so saddened to hear of his passing. Rick was a wonderful, caring, hard-working man, we are so lucky to have known him and benefited from his dedication. Prayers to his family and friends. Bill Stanton/Maryann Gardner, Hanover MA

September 29 at 11:06 AM



Debra Ogle posted:

I worked with Rick at Tourtelot Brothers Realty and then Tourtelot Property Management and Leasing for 27 years. That's back when we both had brunette hair! When I started, there were three of us property managers and one part-time bookkeeper in a big office, we had real oak wood desk, DOS computers, floppy disks, big boxy monitors, and a dot matrix printer! Rick was a great property manager, and a very special person too. He knew all about maintenance issues and how to solve them. He was a good communicator, and he could write a fine detailed descriptive letter or email. Rick was a true gentleman, soft spoken and kind, with a subtle sense of humor! Most all his property owners and tenants loved and appreciated Rick, and the few that were sometimes horse patooties, well, Rick mostly tolerated them! I will forever honor Rick in my thoughts and prayers, he was a special guy who touched our lives in ways words can hardly express. When he retired from our company, he left a void in the office and in our hearts! I think that Rick is at the helm with the Angels, cruising into crystal clear blue heavenly waters. God bless Rick and his family. Debra Ogle

September 23 at 7:57 PM



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BT

Bill Tourtelot posted:

As the owner of Tourtelot Property Management, I have known Rick for over 33 years. From the beginning, Rick worked Monday thru Friday and sometimes weekends to be sure our services to Tourtelot PM landlord clients were consistently done very well. Because Rick throughout his life loved fixing/updating anything & everything at home himself, he became extremely knowledgeable in the details of fixing & updating property right in the most economical ways. Over the years, virtuously all of our clients with whom he worked came to rely and trust his judgment. Much more than that, they learned that he ALWAYS CARED not just about fixing client's properties and handling problems concerning tenant issues, but he REALLY CARED ABOUT PEOPLE. When it came to people (clients, tenants, venders, co-workers), he treated everyone with respect. In the office, Rick was consistently a true team member always helping on any situation when asked to do so. If there was a stressful situation, it was usually Rick who was the calming force. Rick rarely lost his temper even with those who did not treat him well. Whether at home or work, Rick was a very GIVING PERSON who over the years touched so many in good and positive ways --- and over the years, he became inspirational to me. I, like many others, can truly say, THANK GOD FOR RICK BARTLEY. My prayers go out for Dorre, his family, and friends, that they and all of us may have the faith to know Rick is now with God in Heaven and we can rejoice that we will see him again in the place where there is no pain & suffering. In the meantime, he will be sorely missed by so many.

September 23 at 4:46 PM

DM

Diane Mcpeters sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Bartley family.



September 23 at 3:55 PM

DM

Diane Mcpeters planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Richard.



September 23 at 3:55 PM

WC

Willie And Vivian Crespo sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Bartley family.



September 23 at 9:38 AM



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The Hicks Family sent a Fairest of All to the Bartley family.

September 23 at 5:02 AM



Kristy Bench And Girls sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Bartley family.

September 23 at 4:05 AM



Anonymous sent a Blue Caribbean Bouquet to the Bartley family.

September 22 at 7:54 PM



Bruce And Ines Griffith posted:

We met Rick and Dorre and their family many years ago! Been together on several boating trips to various marinas and celebrate holidays and Sunday outings on our boats at Shell Island! We are still shocked for this news and keep Dorre and the family in our hearts. We are so very sorry for the loss of our dear friend and express our deepest sympathy! Bruce and Ines Griffith

September 20 at 8:56 AM



Anonymous sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Bartley family.

September 19 at 2:02 PM





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Lynne Fitzgerald posted:

Love You Brother-in-law and miss you more than you could ever imagine ! Lynne & GeorgePs..... wish we were cruisin' down the Allegheny River on Brown Sugar or fishing off of the Sara Jean at Shell Key !

September 19 at 1:57 PM



Richard Wasilik September 20 at 8:49 AM

I worked with Rick for almost 20 years at Tourtelot Property Management. I have found him to be a very kind, gracious and helpful person. Whenever I had an issue with my computer Rick would always say " did you break it again" Then he would come over and fix the issue. He always talked about his family and his boat. He will be missed. God obviously needed him more than we did.



Phil Kennedy sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Bartley family.



September 19 at 12:27 PM



Love Jeff, Maggie, And George sent a Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet to the Bartley family.



September 19 at 11:33 AM



Gary Robert Yarbrough posted:

Rick and I grew up together. Our parents were best friends, and we did many asleep over, and even shared family vacations. Was able to keep in touch all these years after he moved to St Pete. Rick always enjoyed his boats. Was fortunate enough to enjoy many trips to Florida. We loved to fish together. Last time dawn after his heart surgery, he wanted to learn how to play pickleball. And surprisingly he was pretty good at it. Rick will be sorely missed by all.

September 19 at 8:59 AM



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DH

Don, Janet & Jackie Hansell sent a Gourmet Sweet & Savory Gift Basket to the Bartley family.

September 19 at 7:53 AM



DH

Don, Janet & Jackie Hansell planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Richard.

September 19 at 7:53 AM



DH

Don Hansell posted:

Rick was such a great part of my childhood. Born 3 months after Rick, we were always doing sleepovers. We shared summer vacations at Edinboro Lake and YMCA Indian Guides at the Kon-O-Kwee and Deer Valley camps. When Rick & Dorre moved to St. Pete in 1980 we knew how much they would be missed, but leaving the clouds of Pittsburgh for the sun of St. Pete was a great choice. I know he's having a ball now with Dave, Ruth & Bobby while his Dad & Mr. Prentice are chuckling in the background. Love you buddy.

September 19 at 7:25 AM



Media

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Memories only last if you share them

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



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