



Richard L. Rick" Dimmler

September 11, 1968 - December 6, 2003

Richard L. "Rick" Dimmler, 35, of Auburn, New York died Saturday, December 6, 2003.

Richard was born September 11, 1968 in Washington, DC, the son of George and Carol (Merrell) Dimmler. He was a 1986 graduate of Skaneateles High School and he attended Onondaga Community College. He was employed by Madison Filter in Skaneateles Falls. He was a loving son, brother and father and he loved spending time with his family and friends. He loved football, especially the Dallas Cowboys.

Richard was preceded in death by his father, George Dimmler Jr. in 1995 and a sister, Marlene Dimmler in 1963.

He is survived by his fiancée, whom he was to be married to February 2004, Kimberly LoBello of Auburn, New York; one daughter, Jennifer Dimmler of Auburn, New York; one son, Joseph Dimmler of Auburn, New York; his mother, Carol Merrell of Elbridge, New York; one sister, Nancy Collins of Onondaga Hill, New York; two brothers, Michael Dimmler of Syracuse, New York and Peter Dimmler of Daphne, Alabama; several nieces and nephews.

Services: Thursday, December 11, 2003, 11:00 a.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, Inc., Syracuse.

Burial: Onondaga Valley Cemetery, 2500 Valley Drive, Syracuse, New York.

Calling Hours: Wednesday, December 10, 2003, 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. at the funeral Home, 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, New York.

Contributions: The Dimmler Children Fund, c/o Nancy Collins, 4595 Cleveland Road, Syracuse, New York, 13215.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard L. Rick" Dimmler*



Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home - December 06, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ *Its been 3 years now and im still missing you every day all the talks we would have everyday about life and whatwe were going to be like when we got old I miss your smile and words of encouragement i love ya*

June 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ *Rick earned my respect as an individual and he guided me through some tough times.*

July 14, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ *Rick was someone I could count on which is a rarity in these selfish days. After 15 years of knowing Rick I have no doubt that I will keep him in my thoughts daily. I will keep Rick's family in my prayers. Sweet*

January 11, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ I commend you, my dear brother to almighty God, and entrust you to your Creator. May you return to Him who formed you from the dust of the earth. May holy Mary, the angels, and all the saints come to meet you as you go forth from this life. May Christ who was crucified for you bring you freedom and peace. May Christ who died for you admit you into his garden of paradise. May Christ, the true Shepherd, acknowledge you as one of his flock. May he forgive all your sins, and set you among those he has chosen. May you see your Redeemer face to face, and enjoy the vision of God forever. - Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, parce nobis, Domine.- Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, exaudi nos, Domine.- Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. Amen

January 02, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ There are only two kinds of people in this world in which we live- ""Giver's and Taker's"". Rick Dimmler was without a doubt a Giver of the highest degree. Rick taught me a lot about myself, others and the world. His perspective on life was an example that everyone should buy into. Life to Rick was carefree, real, fun, and an adventure. I still sit here today in disbelief that I am writting sometihng about my friend in the past tense. I miss you old buddy and I will never forget the lessons that you taught me. Thank you for being there for me when I needed you. Thank you for introducing me to and accepting me into your wonderful family. Until we meet at that Great Bar in the Sky. And remember in Heaven Beer is Free!

December 27, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ Of all deaths I've had to deal with in my life , yours has been the hardest for me to deal with . You were a very great friend for many years & will surely be missed more than words can say . My heart goes out to your entire family & especially your children & fiancé Kim , whom I begged for you to ask out to my wedding . It saddens me to know that those two children won't get to know just how great a man & father you would have been to them . My memory is forever etched with all the great times we've shared & I will always remain thankful that I had the pleasure of knowing you & having had your unconditional friendship albeight for the short time it lasted . Rest in Peace Ricky and God Bless all of the souls you touched in such a short period .

December 22, 2003 at 12:00 AM



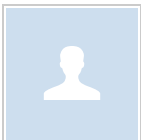
“ I will never forget how you keep me smiling, and all the good times we had.

December 17, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ rick was a great guy with a great heart. i will never forget his enthusiasm for the cowboys and his family i will miss you rick and you screaming ""floydy"" everytime you passed by my machine. thanks for the memories rick you will be greatly missed

December 17, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ I haven't seen you in over a decade...but it seems like yesterday that I just talked to you. You will always be remembered by me as a kind, funny and loving friend. Godspeed. Jackie

December 11, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ I will always remember Rick's gentle sunny personality and all the good times I shared with him and my daughter Renee when they were dating in their younger years, please know you are in my thoughts, may you rest in peace.

December 10, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ We will always remember your smiling face.

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“ Rick once said that I would be famous one day as an artist. Well, that day has yet to come, but I will do my best to live up to my friend's high expectations of me. I will miss Rick's physical presence, but I'm confident his soul survives. Our loss is Heaven's gain. Godspeed, Rick.

December 10, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ "Ricky D"Enjoy Your journey ahead.Stay positive.Deb and I will miss you.We are better people because of you. Mike & Deb

December 09, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ I met Rick back in the mid 80s in high school. Although I was an Auburn gal, I chose to hang out and party in Skaneateles... Everyone I met during those few years was very warm and welcoming to me, which meant alot then and now. I went to many parties obviously in Dimmler's backyard. I have very fond memories of Rick's openness and zest for life. I am very saddened by his passing. My heart goes out to his family and friends, fiancée and their children. It is a terrible burden to bear.

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“ I went to school and graduated with Rick. He always had a smile for everyone. You will be missed greatly Rick but never forgotten.

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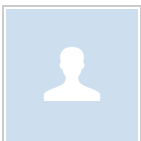
“ I worked with RICKY years ago at P&C and we had some good times together... You were a great person Rick and I will never forget you.

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“ Though we have not seen each other for a while, I still considered you one of my closest friends. I will miss you old friend, we will all miss you.

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“ Rick was a good friend and will always be remembered for the good times that we shared. A true friend.

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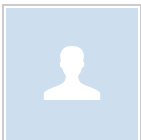
“ I worked with Rick for several years at Madison, he was a great guy, always helpful and he knew his job...My thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends. Fondly, Mary (McNeill) Mannion Lockheed Martin Syracuse, NY

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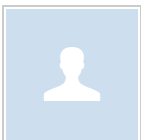
“ Rick was a caring loving gentle guy. He was very warm and as a new neighbor made me feel very welcome to the neighborhood. He invited me over several times for a barbaque with he and his family. He was a great dad who loved his children and Kim very much. He will be missed very much. He was too young to die but God had plans other plans for him.

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“ for every person you have met you always left a piece of you behind! (thanks for the job) love you always miss you forever.

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“ god bless the children and family of rick my sister worked with him for many years and will be missed very much by the madison crew .god bless

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“ Our deepest thoughts of sympathy and prayers are with all of you through this extremely sad and difficult time. After all is said and done, please try to think of Rick as away, not gone, for he will always be in our hearts and in our thoughts. Forever.

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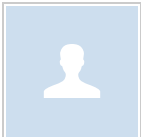
“ rick was an awesome guy and coworker known him for 15 yrs....u will be greatly missed

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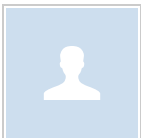
“ You are in my thoughts and prayers. The Powers Family

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“ Rick--we didn't know you, but we are friends of your sister, Nancy. We will keep you and your rfamily in our prayers.

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“ OUR PRAYERS AND THOUGHTS ARE WITH YOU IN THIS TIME OF SORROW.MAY GOD'S LOVE GIVE YOU THE STRENGTH TO GUIDE YOU THROUGH THIS TIME OF GRIEF.

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“ Rick had a heart of gold with a laugh that would get get me laughing without a punch line. Ilove him he was my brother and best friend.he would do anything for me or anybody in need.He will be missed but not forgotten a day will not go by without thinking of Rick. I love you.

December 08, 2003 at 12:00 AM



“ The thing that stood out most about Ricky was his perpetual smile. He lived life through the eyes of a child, always seeing the good in people and keeping a high spirit and positive attitude even through tough times. This world would be a better place if everyone had his zest for life. We will miss him.

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