



Ricky Duane Brown

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Ricky Duane Brown was born July 17, 1962 in Lubbock, Texas and passed away August 3rd, 2019 in Portland, Oregon. He was 57 years old.

All though he only attended school till his 9th grade year, he was a successful owner of his own floor and remodeling company.

Born and raised in Lubbock, Texas, he lived there till 1982 when he met his wife Kelly Jo and moved to Austin, Texas. There they had their two daughters, Kristi in 1986 and Amanda in 1988. In 1989 he moved his family to Portland, Oregon. Finally in 1996, he moved his family to Deer Island, Oregon. Where he raised his girls and built his and Kelly's dream property.

Ricky's hobbies included fishing, hunting, moonshining, race car driving and coin collecting. He loved blues music, western movies and television shows, throwing a softball with his girls, playing with his grandchildren, and gardening with his wife. With many family vacations and work travels throughout the years, he had traveled all over the United States. With his favorite being Hawaii, for Kelly and his 25th wedding anniversary.

Ricky is survived by his wife of 34 years, Kelly Jo Brown. Daughter, Kristi Brown and fiancée Rosco Covington. Daughter, Amanda Hunsinger and fiancée James Birkland. Grandchildren, Ricky Everett, Austyn Jo, and Kalley Marie. In-laws, Marilyn Jo Fairman, and Ernie and Donna Fairman. Siblings, David Carr, Bobby Brown, Barbara Brown, and Ira Brown. With many cousins, nephews, and nieces. Childhood best friend, Timmy Davis and close friends, Bob Nelson and Gaylen and Laura Dunn. He was preceded in death by his mother Christine Marion Brown, step father Theodore Goddard, and father Robert Earl Brown.

A Celebration of Life is to follow. Date and time to be determined.



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Elvin Spence posted:

I met Ricky at Home Depot while looking for flooring, liked him right off the bat, he just seemed to be like me not afraid to scratch for a job, RIP Ricky

August 19 at 5:20 AM



Jim Dillard posted:

My thoughts go out to the family He was a great guy and he did alot work around my mother house and help us around my daughter house. I going miss him.

August 6 at 1:11 PM



Bob Nelson posted:

Too many memories to share but proud to say Ricky Brown was my best friend. He may be gone but he will always be with me, Bob Nelson.

August 6 at 12:20 PM



Anonymous sent a Healing Tears - All White to the Brown family.



August 6 at 11:55 AM



Leona Zimmer lit a candle in honor of Ricky.



August 6 at 11:10 AM

DD **Diane Dillard** August 7 at 6:14 PM

He was a dear friend..both him and Kelly. He loved his wife. His children and grandchildren...honest. caring. Inquisitive, and a perfectionist. There is not a room in my home that Ricky didn't repair. Replace or remodel. If the world had more Ricky Brown's..there would be peave. Love. Kindness. I will miss him. I will rely on Gaylen Dunn to make sure Kelly is okay. Heaven gained an angel.



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Kristirosco Covington posted:

My dad was the best father a girl could have. There was never an event that he misses. All the sports and milestones he never missed. I can remember when I was 14 and he was warming me up for the championship 14U game. I had pitched the entire tournament and tired and he told me "I know your tired, but Browns don't quit. You got this!" He was such a special man and is a huge chunk of my heart. I love you Daddy... RIP.

August 6 at 8:52 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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