



Richard G. Lindrup

June 13, 1951 - October 18, 2021

Richard G. Lindrup, age 70, went home to be with his Lord & Savior on Monday, October 18, 2021. He was born on June 13, 1951, to George and Althea (Emorey) Lindrup in Muskegon. On November 14, 1981, he married the love of his life, the former, Cynthia Graff, and they spent almost 40 years together. Richard lived a full life and loved people well. He was generous and kind and always willing to help anyone in anyway. He loved playing the drums with the Sons of Thunder and in worship occasionally at Crosswinds Fellowship. Serving others as a small group leader and an elder of his church brought him great joy. He simply loved people and especially loved his family. He found great joy in the times that they would gather together with lots of noise, fellowship and always plenty of good food! He loved to take his grandkids or other visitors for boat rides on White Lake. His many successful years in sales culminated in co-owning RW Bakers in Norton Shores. Building a successful business with his partner allowed them to serve their employees who they considered like family. They worked hard to support local business throughout West Michigan and donated to various groups in the area. Whether at work or church or at home Richard wanted nothing more than to live his life for the Lord and proclaim the gospel truth to all who would listen. That will be his lasting legacy. He is survived by his wife, Cindy Lindrup; children, Amy (Rob) Bouws, Amy (Roger) Hage, Chris (Jamie) Downing, Scott (Kendra Sands) Lindrup; grandchildren that brought him so much joy, Holly Bouws, Benjamin Bouws, Joy Bouws, Bradley Hage, Joshua Hage, Andrew Downing, Kate Downing, Joe Downing, Anna Downing; many nieces and nephews; mother-in-law, Bonnie Graff; brother, Tom (Jackie) Lindrup; and his four-legged faithful companion, Marley. He was preceded in death by his parents; and brother, James Lindrup. VISITATION with Richard's family will take place on Sunday, October 24, 2021, from 2:00 – 4:00 PM at Whitehall Evangelical Covenant Church (900 Warner St. Whitehall, MI 49461). A MEMORIAL SERVICE for Richard will take place on Monday, October 25, 2021, at 11:00 AM at the church with visitation one hour prior. Per the family's request, face masks will be required at the visitation and service. For a more lasting memory, donations in Richard's name can be made to the Making A Difference Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to The Lee Chapel of The Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services, 6291 S. Harvey St. Norton Shores, MI 49444. Feel free to sign the family's

online guestbook and share a memory at www.sytsemafh.com.

Cemetery

Oak Grove Cemetery

5390 Dowling Street
Montague, MI, 49437

Events

OCT 24 Visitation 02:00PM - 04:00PM

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Evangelical Covenant Church of Whitehall
900 S. Warner St., Whitehall, MI, US, 49461

OCT 25 Visitation 10:00AM - 11:00AM

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OCT 25 Memorial Service 11:00AM

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Comments



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Richard G. Lindrup.



October 24, 2021 at 09:39 PM



“ Our deepest sympathies. We have known Richard for for over ten years. In that time we have shared many special family times with Richard and Cindy. Richard has always been kind and considerate and a true Christian and a true friend. My family is sad by his passing and will miss him very much.

Tim, Michelle, Kevin, and Megan O'Hara



Tim O'Hara - October 21, 2021 at 09:00 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Richard G. Lindrup.



October 21, 2021 at 08:05 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard G. Lindrup.



October 21, 2021 at 06:21 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Richard G. Lindrup.



October 21, 2021 at 04:24 PM



“ Lisa, Greg, Kamie & David purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Richard G. Lindrup.



Lisa, Greg, Kamie & David - October 21, 2021 at 12:23 PM



“ Cindy,
I am so sorry to hear of Dick's passing. The two of you helped to make me the person I am today. I am blessed to have worked with the two of you at RW Bakers. My prayers are with you during this time.
Evelyn Coxon

Evelyn Coxon - October 20, 2021 at 08:47 PM



“ Amy & family-
I am so sorry to read about your sweet Dad's passing. I will always have such fond memories of him from when we were younger and over at your house while we were growing up- he always seemed to have a smile on his face! You all are in my thoughts and prayers

Mary Sue Witkowski (Hill) - October 22, 2021 at 12:25 AM



“ Amy- I am so sorry to have read about your Step-Dad's passing. He was always such a sweet man whenever we were at your house while we were growing up- I will always have fond memories of him and his smile! I will continue to keep all of you in my thoughts and prayers.

Mary Sue Witkowski (Hill) - October 22, 2021 at 12:31 AM



“ I will always treasure the time I spent working with Dick. My best memories are of the days we worked together with the Bun Basket. Dick was a great friend. He mentored me in many ways. Always reminding me God is in control. RIP

Luan Dola - October 22, 2021 at 11:26 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard G. Lindrup.



October 20, 2021 at 06:50 PM