



Rick A. Dingmann

October 14, 2011

July 27, 1976 – October 10, 2011 Mass of Christian Burial will be 11:00 a.m. Friday, October 14, 2011 at Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Richmond, MN for Rick A. Dingmann, age 35, who died Monday. Inurnment will be in the Sts. Peter & Paul parish cemetery. Relatives and friends may call after 4:00 p.m. Thursday at the Wenner Funeral Home in Richmond. Visitation will continue from 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. Friday morning at the funeral home. Rick was born in St. Cloud, MN to Donald and Mary Ann (Thomes) Dingmann. Rick's dreams and ambitions were always too large for this world. He was a jack of all trades; carpenter, gardener, artist, and a tinker with bikes. Rick was a great fisherman, nature's best friend, a loving son, brother and wonderful uncle. Survivors include his parents, Mary Ann and Donald Dingmann; brother, Daniel (Mallory) Dingmann; goddaughter, Samantha Dingmann; birthmother, Sally (Mike) Foiles; half-brothers, Eric, Jordan, and Nick Foiles; grandmother, Lorraine Thomes; many aunts, uncles and cousins. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Gregor and Magdeline Dingmann, and Gregor Thomes.

Tribute Wall



“ *Rick A. Dingmann*

January 29, 2023 at 09:26 AM



“ *Dear Rick's Family,
I know Rick through Dan Schmitz and Tony Johnson. My heart breaks for you because I know exactly what you are feeling right now...my brother took his life also and it is the worst feeling in the world. Even though I didn't know Rick well, by reading the above comments, I can tell he was a good man who offered a lot to the world and was loved by so many. You are in my hearts and my God give you the strength to get through these very tough days ahead and may the memories of Rick bring you peace and comfort.*

Bridget Donnay - October 14, 2011 at 09:46 AM



“ *My condolences to all of you. I was friends with Rick for many years in Olympia Wa. He always showed up with patience, a smile, and kind words. He was a loving friend to all of us. Rick and I traveled cross country years ago and I brought him home to visit with you. You kindly welcomed me in, and shared stories of Rick growing up. I trust with all my heart that Rick is at peace and filled with serenity. I'm sending all of you love. Rick will be surely missed and we are all the better for having known him.*

Beth Conroy - October 12, 2011 at 11:34 PM

BG

“ I knew Rick during a wonderful time we somehow met in Olympia. There was such a great little network of pure 20-25 year old kids who all felt the same way about the world. We viewed it as a an ultimate jungle gym. I remember Rick as a young lad with a smile on his face at all times.....A kind word continually coming out of his mouth...if not laughter. All of it was genuine.....I have not been in touch with him since I left the west coast in 2000 but it is my assumption his laughter and smiles were as contagious to anyone he crossed paths with over the past ten years. My heart breaks for you Dingman family as I am a father of an 11 year old son. Know Rick was full of kindness, love, insight and beauty. That is how I knew him.

Billy Gleason - October 12, 2011 at 08:19 PM

CH

“ Don and Maryann, our hearts are breaking for you and your family. We will forever keep you in our thoughts and prayers.

Chico & Lori Hellmann - October 12, 2011 at 04:35 PM

DF

“ MY sympathy to you and your family, we talked about our kids at the funeral dinner of Lucille Theis, what a loss for you, words can't express what you are feeling now, may he rest in God's hands now, free at last.

Doreen Wieber Frericks - October 12, 2011 at 02:41 PM

JT

“ *Dingman Family,*
I am so profoundly sorry for the gigantic hole that Rick's passing must have left in your hearts. I know it has left a void in my own. Rick was a friend of mine during his time in Olympia, WA. In the relatively short time that I knew Rick, he left an indelible impression on me. His easy way, his bright smile, his compassion and eagerness to help those around him in any way he could. It had been years since I had been in touch with Rick, but learning of his passing brought me right back to the fond times spent talking about big dreams and our greatest inspirations. One of the last conversations that I had with rick was about leaving a lasting mark on this world before we're gone and in doing so, being here forever. I believe that Rick accomplished that and will always have him in my heart as I work to do the same. Thank you for sharing him with us all.

Joshua Taff - October 12, 2011 at 02:28 PM

JK

“ *My condolences to your family during this most difficult time.*

Joyce Kron - October 12, 2011 at 01:47 PM