



Larry Ray Richardson

November 22, 1949 - March 11, 2025

Larry Ray Richardson was blessed with over 75 years of family and friendships that meant the world to him. He never knew a stranger and would do anything to make you smile. Larry attended Edgewood High School, starting a job shortly after for the City of Bloomington. Larry dedicated 44 years of his life as a maintenance supervisor for the Parks and Recreation department, making several friends along the way.

Larry loved to tinker on anything with a motor. He always said A few of his favorite things to say was “Built Ford Tough” and “Ain’t that snazzy?”

Larry is survived by his companion, Jo Jahn, and his two children, Travis Richardson, Troy (Robin) Richardson and granddaughter Haley.

Larry was preceded in death by his parents, Ray and Alta Marie Richardson, one sister, Maxine (Larry) Robinson, and two brothers, Donald (Nancy) Richardson and Jeffery (Arlene) Richardson.

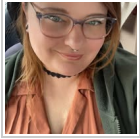
Visitation will be held at Allen Funeral Home (4155 S. Old State Road 37, Bloomington, IN, 47404), on Monday, March 17, 2025 from 5-9pm. A gathering of family and friends will be held at 11am at Allen Funeral Home on Tuesday, March 18, 2025. Burial will follow at Valhalla Memory Gardens.

Cemetery Details

Valhalla Memory Gardens

310 North Johnson Ave.
Bloomington, IN 47401

Tribute Wall



“ We have so many wonderful memories of time spent together. Though Larry and my mom Jo never married he always treated my girls like his granddaughters. He loved spending time with them and taking them on rides around the yard with the mower even as they got older. He was always making us laugh, when times were tough he would offer encouragement. We have so many memories that will live on with me, Kristen, and Katelynn. They will greatly miss their grandpa and I will miss our conversation about cars. I always learned at least one new thing in every conversation we had. My most heart felt condolences, go out to his sons, his family, his friends.



Natasha Shaw - March 17, 2025 at 06:29 AM

JW

“ I work with Larry at Parks and rec for couple year an then years later I became his garbage man at his house over year ago till I left there I glad I was able to catch up with him I wish It could have been longer he was a good man sorry to here this

Jeffrey Waggoner - March 16, 2025 at 02:59 AM

IW

“ IUCU- Whitehall purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Larry Ray Richardson.



IUCU- Whitehall - March 15, 2025 at 08:26 AM

NK

“ Nikki Keller planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Larry Ray Richardson.

Nikki Keller - March 14, 2025 at 09:05 AM

NK

“ Nikki Keller purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Larry Ray Richardson.



Nikki Keller - March 14, 2025 at 09:05 AM

JB

“ I worked with Larry for 10 years. He would treat each job like it was the most important thing in the world. He also introduced me to the Newport Hill Climb. He was a good man and a good person. He will be missed.

J. D. Boruff - March 14, 2025 at 07:58 AM

KW

“ Throughout the years, since I'd been a little girl Larry has always been there for me and my young sister. He'd always known just how to make us smile or gave fun when we'd come over.

I remember our favorite things to do whenever we'd come over would to be riding around in the back of one of his flatbeds that'd he'd attach to one of his tractors or four-wheelers and drive us around.

Larry had taught me many things throughout my life, that being to show kindness and respect. To help those in need and look towards a brighter side of even the worst situations, Larry was not only one of the sweetest and caring guys I'd ever known but he was also the best grandpa ever.

I send my prayers and most sincere care towards his sons and his spouse. May Larry rest in peace somewhere in the glowing skies of Heaven. 🕊️❤️



Katelynn Waggoner - March 14, 2025 at 07:42 AM

KK

“ My goodness gonna miss our little races with our lawn mowers Larry and our silly waves. Love you buddy fly high my friend❤️

Kevin Kleinow - March 13, 2025 at 11:02 AM

GB

“ Garland & Barbara Bock lit a candle in memory of Larry Richardson



Garland & Barbara Bock - March 13, 2025 at 08:25 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Larry Ray Richardson.*



March 13, 2025 at 08:17 AM



“ *I know I wasnt mentioned but I was his wife for nine years and he gave me two precious boy that I have love for years we had our good times and bad but at the end of everything he was a good man and loved life*

Debbie Tichardson - March 13, 2025 at 03:05 AM