



## Richard Fishbeck

June 9, 1956 - January 3, 2013

Richard Gene Fishbeck of Belleview, MO passed away Jan. 3, 2013 at the age of 56 years. He was born June 9, 1956 in St. Louis, MO a son of Michael and Dorothy O'dell Fishbeck. On April 14, 1979 he was united in marriage to Tammy Akins, who survives. Also surviving are three children, Crystal Buckman and Husband Wade of Ironton, and Abigail and Ricky Fishbeck of Belleview; His father Michael of St. Louis, 4 brothers, Dennis and wife Helen of Hannibal, Ronald and wife Kathie of Overland, MO, Patrick of O'Fallon, MO, Thomas and wife Cheryl of Sowell, AL; 5 sisters, Margaret Wilson of St. Louis, Judy Fox , and Mary Penfield and husband Glen of Farmington, Tina Kavanaugh and husband Tony of Belle Flower, MO and Jackie Koenig and husband Dan of Wentzville, 2 grandchildren, Keith and Sarala Buckman, a sister in law Mimi of Phoenix, and a host of other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his mother Dorothy, a brother John, and two brothers in law Chuck Wilson and Rick Fox.

Rick was a 1974 graduate of McClure High School, and an active member of the Meadow Heights Church in Ironton. He was involved in Cub Scouts, 24/7 youth leader, Back Pack/Impact Club, Meadow Heights AV Children's Director, was an avid Beatles Fan and a Chili Connoisseur. He Truly loved his family.

Funeral services will be held on Mon. Jan 7 at 1 PM from Cole Family Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Brent Self officiating. Interment will be in Arcadia Valley Memorial Park. Visitation will begin on Sunday from 4 to 8 PM.

Memorials may be made to the Back Pack/Impact Club at Meadows Heights Church. On line condolences may be made at [www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com](http://www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Arcadia Valley Memorial Park

Russellville Road  
Ironton, MO 63650

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 6. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cole Family Funeral Home  
210 E Reynolds St  
Ironton, MO 63650  
(573) 546-0742

## Service

JAN 7. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Fishbeck*

August 31, 2022 at 12:46 PM



“ *We are greatly saddened by the passing of a dear man of God and long time friend. Our regrets for not keeping touch and finding out after the the service. Our prayers are with those left to miss this wonderful guy. I know my girls will never forget what an impression he had on their lives as a teen. Tammy if you read this, please give me a call. 6362592200. Love you guys*

**Gayle Rice** - January 18, 2013 at 01:56 PM



“ *3 files added to the album New Album Name*



**Thomas Fishbeck** - January 09, 2013 at 03:15 PM

JK

“ My brother Richard was a childhood idol of mine - I learned to love the Beatles through him, learned about the Hobbit from him, and how to really enjoy food by doing a food dance at the dinner table! In these later years I learned more about Jesus Christ and His love just watching Richard. I will miss him every minute of the day, forever. After seeing the outpour of love and respect from his friends, I am so moved. I am so grateful and thankful he touched so many lives. I think my niece Rachel put it best - it is worth searching through th emany tributes to read hers. Tammy, Crystal, Wade, Abby, Ricky and Sarala - God's comfort and peace to you as you mourn with the rest of us. I love my brother Rick so much . . .

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**Jackie and Dan Koenig** - January 08, 2013 at 09:29 AM

MS

“ Michele Strange lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



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**Michele Strange** - January 07, 2013 at 01:43 PM

WF

“ Watson Family lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



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**Watson Family** - January 07, 2013 at 07:17 AM

TF

“ *The Watson Family lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



**The Watson Family** - January 07, 2013 at 07:16 AM

DM

“ *Diane Missey lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



**Diane Missey** - January 06, 2013 at 07:40 PM

MB

“ *Mike Barrett lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



**mike barrett** - January 06, 2013 at 10:48 AM



“ *Builder Bob - Locksmith lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



**Builder Bob - Locksmith** - January 06, 2013 at 10:35 AM

RV

“ Rick, Diane, & Kylie Vandergriff lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Rick, Diane, & Kylie Vandergriff - January 06, 2013 at 10:01 AM

Madieth Russell

“ Madieth Russell lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Madieth Russell - January 06, 2013 at 01:33 AM

AD

“ A true friend found, but never lost! I will miss you until I see you again! I love you buddy! Prayers for peace and strength!



Angie Dane - January 06, 2013 at 12:09 AM

AF

“ He was my daddy, and he once gave me a top shirt of his uniform. He said, "some day when you get old, I'll be long gone, you'll be loving on that shirt saying how much you will miss me." I want to love on that shirt right now;) miss you daddy<3



Abby fishbeck - January 05, 2013 at 10:56 PM

SS

“ *Sharon Schumacher lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Sharon Schumacher - January 05, 2013 at 10:31 PM

SK

“ *Susan S. Kline lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Susan S. Kline - January 05, 2013 at 08:25 PM

TK

“ *Thomas Kennedy lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Thomas Kennedy - January 05, 2013 at 05:30 PM

RL

“ *Rick Leitz lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Rick Leitz - January 05, 2013 at 05:20 PM



“ *Tonia, Terry, And Teagan Minks lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck* ”



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**Tonia, Terry, and Teagan Minks** - January 05, 2013 at 05:12 PM



“ *We will miss you Fish.* ”



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**Henry Rachel Francis** - January 05, 2013 at 04:31 PM



“ *Terry Dickey lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck* ”



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**Terry Dickey** - January 05, 2013 at 04:22 PM



“ *Cody Kitchen lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck* ”



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**Cody Kitchen** - January 05, 2013 at 04:10 PM

JM

“ *Jeff McCarty lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Jeff McCarty - January 05, 2013 at 03:11 PM



Roberta Serratos Price

“ *Roberta Serratos Price lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Roberta Serratos Price - January 05, 2013 at 03:10 PM

KS

“ *thank you Rick for being a true friend and a Godly example :) you have made a huge impact on my life and I feel so thankful because I was blessed with you as a friend! Until we meet again!! Prayers for Tammy, crystal, wade, Keith, sarala, Abby and Ricky.*



Karen Swaringim - January 05, 2013 at 02:30 PM

EC

“ *Emily Crocker lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Emily Crocker - January 05, 2013 at 02:16 PM

DS

“ *Danny And Michele Strange lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**Danny and Michele Strange** - January 05, 2013 at 02:06 PM

RA

“ *Rocky Akins lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**Rocky Akins** - January 05, 2013 at 02:01 PM

RP

“ *Rita Penberthy lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**Rita Penberthy** - January 05, 2013 at 01:57 PM

DR

“ *Doug Rainwater lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**Doug Rainwater** - January 05, 2013 at 12:59 PM

MG

“ Always encouraging everyone! You will be greatly missed.



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**Michelle Gomas** - January 05, 2013 at 11:27 AM

LS

“ Lora Mae Schultz lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



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**Lora Mae Schultz** - January 05, 2013 at 11:23 AM

BA

“ Bonnie Alterson lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



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**Bonnie Alterson** - January 05, 2013 at 11:00 AM

KW

“ Thank You Co Rick Fishbeck For Your Service to D.O.C. Your Watch is Over,RIP,Thank You For a Job WELL DONE,

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**ken whited** - January 05, 2013 at 10:42 AM

AC

“ *Amber Cawvey lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Amber Cawvey - January 05, 2013 at 08:55 AM

AC

*Your kindness will never be forgotten...*

Amber Cawvey - January 05, 2013 at 08:57 AM

BA

“ *Bob Andrews lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Bob Andrews - January 05, 2013 at 08:20 AM

BA

*Fish was a great man. Always had a nice word and a smile on his face. We were both adopting at the same time and shared a lot of crazy stories.... he will be missed.*

Bob Andrews - January 05, 2013 at 08:21 AM

LP

“ *Lori A. Pyland lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Lori A. Pyland - January 05, 2013 at 08:00 AM

Scott  
Long

“ *Always the encourager you will be missed!!  
Scott & Tammy Long*



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**Scott Long** - January 05, 2013 at 07:50 AM

FB

“ *Frances Barrett lit a candle in memory of  
Richard Fishbeck*



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**Frances Barrett** - January 05, 2013 at 07:14 AM

LA

“ *Louise Akins lit a candle in memory of  
Richard Fishbeck*



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**Louise Akins** - January 05, 2013 at 06:57 AM

KW

“ *Kimberly Wood lit a candle in memory of  
Richard Fishbeck*



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**Kimberly Wood** - January 05, 2013 at 06:13 AM

TS

“ Tammy, Jeremiah, Hannah And Linda Sallee  
lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Tammy, Jeremiah, Hannah and Linda Sallee - January 05, 2013 at 12:06 AM

MH

“ Michelle Hoffmeister sent a virtual gift in  
memory of Richard Fishbeck



Michelle Hoffmeister - January 04, 2013 at 11:36 PM

MH

“ Michelle Hoffmeister sent a virtual gift in  
memory of Richard Fishbeck



Michelle Hoffmeister - January 04, 2013 at 11:35 PM

RK

“ Rich, Logan, Connor And Kiley Kennedy lit a  
candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Rich, Logan, Connor and Kiley Kennedy - January 04, 2013 at 10:55 PM



“ Gretchen Pinkley lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Gretchen Pinkley - January 04, 2013 at 10:37 PM



“ Bryan Fouts lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Bryan Fouts - January 04, 2013 at 10:34 PM



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Lisa Sanderson - January 04, 2013 at 10:31 PM

TA

“ Terry & Viola Anderson lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Terry & Viola Anderson - January 04, 2013 at 10:29 PM

TA

Very sorry for your loss, our prayers are with you

Terry & Viola Anderson - January 04, 2013 at 10:31 PM

SB

“ Steven Bingham lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Steven Bingham - January 04, 2013 at 10:27 PM

LS

“ 4 files added to the album Memories of Rick



Lisa Sanderson - January 04, 2013 at 10:23 PM

MD

“ *Mark Dalton lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Mark Dalton - January 04, 2013 at 10:21 PM



“ *Lisa Sanderson lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Lisa Sanderson - January 04, 2013 at 10:03 PM

CF

“ *Cedric And Lisa Spain And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Cedric and Lisa Spain and Family - January 04, 2013 at 09:57 PM

RG

“ *Randy Green lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Randy Green - January 04, 2013 at 09:55 PM

MM

“ Mike Mccloud sent a virtual gift in memory of Richard Fishbeck



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**mike mccloud** - January 04, 2013 at 09:42 PM

RS

“ Ryan Since lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



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**Ryan Since** - January 04, 2013 at 09:41 PM

BS

“ Billie Since lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



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**Billie Since** - January 04, 2013 at 09:39 PM

AS

“ Amanda Strange lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



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**Amanda Strange** - January 04, 2013 at 09:13 PM

GZ

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Garrie Zahner** - January 04, 2013 at 09:10 PM

AH

“ *Andrea Horton lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**Andrea Horton** - January 04, 2013 at 08:56 PM



“ *Linda Bachmann lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**Linda Bachmann** - January 04, 2013 at 08:18 PM

BY

“ *Butch Yancey lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**butch yancey** - January 04, 2013 at 07:41 PM

TF

“ *The Risher Family lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**The Risher Family** - January 04, 2013 at 07:39 PM

KH

“ *Kevin Helton lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**Kevin Helton** - January 04, 2013 at 05:35 PM

CM

“ *Charmin M. McCoy lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**Charmin M. McCoy** - January 04, 2013 at 05:08 PM

DP

“ *Diane Phillips lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



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**Diane Phillips** - January 04, 2013 at 02:32 PM

TP

“ Tina Penfield lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Tina Penfield - January 04, 2013 at 02:13 PM

SJ

“ The Bible tells us that God called David "a man after His own heart" I believe the same could be said about my Uncle Rick. He was always willing to do whatever it takes to further the Kingdom. Many times after the loss of my own dad a number of years ago, Uncle Rick stepped in and filled those shoes by listening, encouraging and was always willing to pray with me when I needed strength or clarity. As sad and difficult his passing is to take I know that Uncle Rick had his sights set higher than this earth. I know that the best way to honor his memory is to continue the work that he set out to do, and that is sharing Jesus and his love to everyone. Aunt Tammy, Crystal, Wade, Abby, Ricky, Keith and Sarala we love you guys and are here to help in any way. As tough as some days may be we will carry on until that day when we can be united again in that awesome place where there will be no more sorrow, or death or crying.

Scott, Rachel, Sinjin and Ronin Jue - January 04, 2013 at 02:10 PM

MS

“ Michael L. Smith lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Michael L. Smith - January 04, 2013 at 01:44 PM

MS

“ *Our thoughts and prayers in memory of Richard . Michael L. Smith,President EMASS*

Michael L. Smith - January 04, 2013 at 01:43 PM

KD

“ *Katie Davitz lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Katie Davitz - January 04, 2013 at 01:21 PM

HF

“ *Henry Franics and Family purchased the Sweet T ranquility Basket for the family of Richard Fishbeck.*



Henry Franics and Family - January 04, 2013 at 12:16 PM



“ *Vicki Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of Richard Fishbeck*



Vicki Smith - January 04, 2013 at 11:22 AM



*My thoughts and prayers are with your family. Rick will be missed more than mere words can express.*

Vicki Smith - January 04, 2013 at 11:23 AM

ES

“ Elizabeth Sumpter lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Elizabeth Sumpter - January 04, 2013 at 11:06 AM

ES

God put you on this earth to enrich our lives. He took you away to remind us that we should all be as good a person as you were. Thank you, Fish, for being the person you were, loving, caring, kind, and a friend to all. You will be so missed. God Bless you and may he comfort your family and friends.<><

Elizabeth Sumpter - January 04, 2013 at 11:14 AM

HL

“ Hope Litton lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Hope Litton - January 04, 2013 at 10:59 AM

CB

“ Connie Blanner lit a candle in memory of Richard Fishbeck



Connie Blanner - January 04, 2013 at 08:51 AM