



Richard N Flores

JAN 25, 1959 - MAR 19, 2019



Scan to Visit

Table of Contents

Obituary	Page 3
Tribute Wall	Page 5



Richard N Flores

JAN 25, 1959 - MAR 19, 2019

Richard N. Flores,

Born 01/25/1959, Murray Utah, to Nicolas Tinejara Flores and Ollie Dean Stevens Flores, lost his long battle with cancer surrounded by loving family and friends at home in West Jordan, UT on 03/19/2019. Raised in Murray, UT, he attended Liberty Elementary, Riverview Jr. High, Murray High School, and Utah Technical College (Trade Tech). Worked at J.D. McNeil Construction, West Jordan City Public Works, and the family business of Flores Doors.

He married Lydia Ann Ortiz in October of 1979. Richard's greatest joy in life was his family. Those surviving include: his wife Lydia Flores, daughters; Harmony Rowley(Toomey), Aubrey Flores(Jackson), and Brittney Flores(Kyle), grandchildren: Dominic, Bailey(Kelton), Clover, Sierra, Valkerie, Jackson, Ozzie, Nicolas, Lydia; and great grandson Edison. He is also survived by his parents Ollie Dean Espinoza and Nicolas T. Flores(Vi); siblings: Ric Gire(Patti), Robert Flores(Rose), RoAnne Beets(Mike); step-siblings Joseph Perry(Shauna), Margaret(Sergio), Joseph Fermin Jr. (Betty), Jessie (Dianna), Christopher, and Severo; mother-in-law Sienna Ortiz; and sister-in-law Linda Ortiz Andersen(Curtis).

Richard has such an amazing extended family all across the U.S. who have been so supportive of him along this journey. That includes members of the Flores, Stevens, Espinoza, and Ortiz families spread across Utah, Wyoming, Texas, Arizona, Louisiana, and North Carolina. Not mentioned are more friends than any of us could ever count. Truthfully anyone who came into his life whether through business or fun grew to be family.

Richard is preceded in death by: his grandparents Archie & Edna Stevens, and Natividad Flores-Villareal; sister Susanna, step-father Joseph Fermin Espinoza; step-siblings Genevieve, James, and Raymond; and father-in-law Candido Ortiz, and several very good friends.



Obituary

Richard N Flores

JAN 25, 1959 - MAR 19, 2019

He loved life and lived it to the fullest. He never passed up a chance to help someone out. It didn't matter if it meant taking someone in, or finding that one thing you needed in his treasure trove of stuff. Richard was always the life of the party. He leaves us all with unlimited memories of good times, good food, great costumes and a whole lot of laughs. Please join us in celebrating his life and sharing these memories. .

Open house style Memorial Gathering Apr. 26th 3-8 pm at Therese Catholic Parish Hall 624 W. Lennox St (off Allen St) Midvale, UT. And because Richard's life couldn't possibly be honored without having an awesome backyard party for his wide circle of friends and family, a Celebration of Life will also be held Apr. 27th, 4pm at Richard's home 8482 S. Redwood Rd West Jordan, UT. 84088. During the celebration of life on Saturday, we ask that everyone wear his favorite color, purple, in honor of our beloved son, brother, husband, dad, and granddad. Both Memorial gathering (26th) and celebration of life (27th) will be potluck, and any contributions will be much appreciated. Flowers and donations to help with medical costs from three years of battling cancer may be sent to Lydia Flores at their home. Many thanks to Huntsman Cancer Institute & Huntsman At Home for their care and kindness over the last few years.

See Celebration details on the Facebook Group--

Richard's Information: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1716226871926034/>

Celebration of Life event page: <https://www.facebook.com/events/319108708793395/>

Tribute online @ <https://www.premierfuneral.com>



Tribute Wall

Richard N Flores

JAN 25, 1959 - MAR 19, 2019

JW

Jessica Wageman posted:

Sorry for the loss of your Dad our deepest condolences to you and your family

April 17 at 7:19 PM

SG

Sheila & John Gardner posted:

John & I have so many memory, living next door to Richard & Lydia. You couldn't help to just love & adore Richard! But I wasn't married to him. haha He made me laugh more times then not! I think he worked harder at trying not to work, then he did at working. He was so much better at having a good time & making sure everybody else did too!After we moved from Utah, we tried to stop by to see Richard & the family when ever we came back into town. I wish we could have gotten back more often.My love & prayers go out to his whole family. RIP I no you are in a better place! We Loved being apart of your short life here!What a great photo of Richard, that is how I want to remember you!As soon as I find where my pictures are I will post some.

April 16 at 12:55 PM



Kelli Pearson posted:

So many wonderful memories growing up with Richard. The many fun times with all the neighbor kids big and little. Richard was always the one to make sure we were all happy. My many prayers to his family that you find comfort in knowing he was and always will be the grandest of men. Fly high my dear friend. You will forever be in the Knuteson hearts...

April 15 at 3:53 PM

JC

Jim Crosman posted:

Richard and I have known each other for most of our lives. And were the best of friends the most of our lives. As for memories there are more and more that keep coming to mind each day. there are far to many to write about and many that will go to the grave with me. I will miss him very greatly. Your friend always Jim Crosman

April 12 at 11:48 AM

JE

Joseph Espinoza lit a candle in honor of Richard.



April 12 at 5:39 AM



Tribute Wall

Richard N Flores

JAN 25, 1959 - MAR 19, 2019

JE

Joseph Espinoza posted:

My heart my love and prayers are forever to God that he takes care of you. Surely Your in a safer Place May my prayers and thoughts of Loving Memories even if a few Richard Prayers always for Lydia and the Kids 🙏❤️ With Blessings to your Grandchildren 🙏 May the days be a stronghold of future endeavors Struggling is not an option for your Family With Love Perry

April 12 at 5:38 AM

LS

Lucy Segura posted:

My CONDOLENCES to you and your family. I pray for all of you. Take care of your mom...❤️❤️❤️

April 12 at 4:52 AM

MH

Mike Heiner posted:

Never forget the true friendship he showed my late brother Neal Heiner. He always had a good heart to everyone around him. I remember going to the door shop when in town and Richard and Steve Valdez would always take me to breakfast. We would share old memories and good thoughts . Will always remember little Richard . He will share a piece of the Heiner heart and soul . R. I. P. Your friend Mike Heiner.

April 11 at 5:55 PM

PB

Peggy Burch sent a virtual gift in honor of Richard.

You were always little Richard to me. So many memories of all of us kids growing up on the street. Hide and go seek, tag, water fights, trick or treating, the river trip, the cabin at Utah Lake, way to many to pick a favorite. Will keep you in my heart always. Prayers for your family. Richard you have earned your wings. Be free my friend.



April 11 at 5:19 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



Scan to Visit