



Richard Dexter Vogus

August 18, 1950 - January 28, 2015

Richard “Rick” Dexter Vogus of Siloam Springs, AR died of pneumonia and emphysema in Springdale, AR. He was the second child born of William Dexter Vogus and Ardelia Aaronette Vogus (near Benson) in Mahanomen, MN on August 18, 1950. The family moved to California, where he grew up. He was in the class of 1969 of Port Hueneme High School, CA. Rick joined the Air Force working as an B52 Flight Line Mechanic for 4 years. In 1968, Rick became a father to James, followed by Trenton in 1974. In 1976, Rick began a family with Marie (Lubarsky) Vogus. They raised their three daughters, Danielle, Brandy, and Brittany in Modesto, CA. Rick worked several jobs to support the family, including a truck driver for Carl’s Jr. Rick moved the family to Siloam Springs, AR in 2004 and worked at McKee Foods until his retirement.

Rick is survived by his wife Marie Vogus of Siloam Springs, AR, sons James Vogus of Ukiah, CA, Trenton Vogus and daughter-in-law Rachel of Fort Collins, CO, daughters Danielle Keller and son-in-law Jeff of Siloam Springs, AR, Brandy Vogus of Siloam Springs, AR, Brittany Vogus of Fayetteville, AR. Granddaughters Ariella Vogus of Siloam Springs, AR, Kayla Vogus of Ukiah, CA, Kiauana Vogus of Ukiah, CA, grandsons Liam Keller of Siloam Springs, AR, Boden Vogus of Ukiah, CA, brother Dean and sister-in-law Cindy of Springhill, TN. Several nieces, nephews, cousins and countless friends.

He is preceded in death by his parents, sisters Sybil Vogus and Cynthia LaPrad.

A viewing will be held on Friday at Wasson Funeral Home from 5:00 – 7:00 PM. Address: 441 Hwy. 412 W., Siloam Springs, AR.

A Celebration of Life Service for Rick will be held on Saturday, January 31 at 2:00 PM at the First Baptist Church. It will be a beachy themed celebration with a service and reception, followed by a cruising parade of hot rod cars. In honor of Rick, people are encouraged to dress in Hawaiian shirts and casual clothes. Address: 2000 Dawn Hill Rd., Siloam Springs, AR.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **30**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wasson Funeral Home
441 U.S. 412
Siloam Springs, AR 72761
(479) 524-5131
wasson@wassonfuneralhome.com
<https://www.wassonfuneralhome.com>

Celebration of Life Service

JAN **31**. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church
2000 Dawn Hill Rd.
Siloam Springs, AR 72761
<http://www.fbcsiloam.com>

Tribute Wall

DP

“ I worked with Rick at Carl's Jr in Manteca Ca. He was a cool friend of mine that reminded me of one of my cool uncle's! Thank you for being that special person when I was growing up in life! REST IN PEACE.



daniel prasad - March 02, 2015 at 10:37 PM

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“ My condolence to Marie, Danille, Brandy and Brittany.

I am truly sorry for your lost. Rick was such an awesome person. I remember our visits to both the Bay Area and Modesto, when Candace and Ryan where little. Claudette use to take us, to your home in Modesto often. My memories being around your family was always laughter and fun. He was taken from you all way to soon. And someday you all will be reunited, in heaven.. God bless all of you.



Carin Columbus - February 04, 2015 at 05:46 PM

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“ Rick was one of my best friends. We were so different but we connected on a deeper level that most and I will miss him very much! I wish I had gotten to spend more time with him this last year. May God bless you Marie as you go forward I know Rick Love you and his family!!!

Mike VanVliet - January 30, 2015 at 11:41 PM



“ *Basket of Joy was purchased for the family of Richard Dexter Vogus.*



January 30, 2015 at 01:49 PM