



Ricky L. Wessell

October 1, 1958 - April 16, 2019

Ricky L. Wessell, age 60 of Glendive, Montana passed away on Tuesday, April 16, 2019 at the Glendive Medical Center in Glendive. Cremation has taken place and a memorial gathering will be held later this summer. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Rick was born on October 1, 1958 in Butte, Montana to Laurence and Esther (Vigus) Wessell. As a young child Rick and his family moved to Great Falls, Montana and later to Billings, Montana where he was raised and educated. Following his education Rick enlisted in the United States Navy and was stationed in San Diego, California and served in the Pacific Ocean. Rick had been to the Philippines, Thailand and many other places while aboard the aircraft carrier the USS Kitty Hawk. In 1979, after four years of service, Rick received his honorable discharge from the United States Navy and returned to Billings for a short time before moving to Glendive.

Rick worked in the oilfield for several years before starting his career with the City of Glendive where he was still employed at the time of his passing. While in Glendive, Rick met Carrie Deckert and they were united in marriage on July 22, 1988 in Bozeman, Montana and with this union Rick gained a son Dustin who he loved very much.

Rick enjoyed most anything to do with aviation and watching the Baltimore Orioles and the Denver Broncos on television. He was a soft spoken, kind and gentle man who always loved his family. Rick loved to keep up with all of his nieces and nephews activities as if they were his own kids.

Rick was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters; Marcia Owen and Rhonda Martinez.

Rick is survived by his loving wife, Carrie Wessell; his son, Dustin (Jiselle) Deckert ; his two grandchildren, Braxton and Kennedy Deckert all of Glendive; one brother, John (Anna) Wessell of Billings and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: www.silhafuneralhomes.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ricky L. Wessell*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *Rick was a good guy, hard worker, good rig hand. Worked with Rick at Western oil well service. Very sorry to hear of his passing, my condolences to his family.*

Rod M. - April 20, 2020 at 12:19 AM



“ *Please accept my family's sincere condolences on the loss of your dear loved one Mr. Wessell. May you find comfort in fond memories of him, and hope in God's assured promise to shortly awaken those asleep in death to perfect health and conditions under his new earthly government.*

Greene Family - April 29, 2019 at 11:50 AM



“ *Doug Wilson lit a candle in memory of Ricky L. Wessell*



Doug Wilson - April 26, 2019 at 10:52 AM



“ *rest in peace rick ,we raised a little hell back in the day. always was fun. Doug Wilson*

Doug Wilson - April 24, 2019 at 06:16 PM

DT

“ I am sorry to hear about the loss of Rick. He and my brother, Randy Frank, were buddies back in Billings in the 1970's. They can now hang out again in Heaven, as I lost my brother 13 years ago. Sending Prayers for comfort,
Diane Taylor

Diane Taylor - April 24, 2019 at 02:47 PM

WW

“ Thanks for being my big brother. As kids, we fished, rode bikes and played baseball to abandon. You were my protector. Rick you were always kind and caring to those that had the privilege to meet you. Always the consummate worker. I will miss you. John Wessell and family

W. John Wessell - April 24, 2019 at 11:47 AM

SD

“ Dustin and family, I am sending thoughts and prayers for comfort today and the days to come.

Sherilyn Senner Danielson - April 19, 2019 at 11:51 AM

KF

“ Sorry for your loss Carrie & family, keeping you in our thoughts & prayers.

Keith/Cindy Frank - April 18, 2019 at 12:16 PM

DH

“ Worked with Rick for a short time at Western Oil Well Service. Rick was such a nice person and left a lasting impression I never forgot. R.I.P.

David Heinrich - April 18, 2019 at 11:19 AM

LI

“ *LindaDeines lit a candle in memory of Ricky L. Wessell*



LindaDeines - April 18, 2019 at 10:47 AM

LF

“ *Linda Frank & Family lit a candle in memory of Ricky L. Wessell*



Linda Frank & family - April 17, 2019 at 08:48 PM

AA

“ *Sympathies to Carrie and family. Rick was a friendly neighbor. He will be missed.*

Avis Anderson - April 17, 2019 at 05:46 PM

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“ *Carrie and Family I'm so sorry for your loss!*

Becky (Chouinard)Tipton - April 17, 2019 at 03:45 PM

SK

“ *Carrie, Dustin, and family,*

I'm so sorry to hear of Rick's passing. Many prayers and hugs to everyone.

Sonja Kimball - April 17, 2019 at 12:49 PM