



Richard Thomas Kovall

July 28, 1974 - February 25, 2017

Richard Thomas Kovall, 42, of Belle Vernon, passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, February 25, 2017. A son of Harry and Laura Trinder Swanson who survive and reside in Monongahela, he was born in N. Charleroi on July 28, 1974. Methodist by faith, he had resided the past two years in Belle Vernon, formerly residing in Monongahela. Richard was employed as an operator for the past 8 years at World Kitchen in Charleroi. In addition to his parents, survivors include his fiancé, Melanie Evans, with whom he made his home, and her children, Cameron and Isaac Evans, all of Belle Vernon, a brother, David Sztroin and his fiancé, Helen Jones, and her children, Danny and Krystal Jones, all of Springhill, FL., his paternal grandmother, Sue Holesapple Swanson, aunts and uncles, Linda and Edward Deline of Fayette City, Daryl Swanson of Roseville, CA., and Erik and Lisa Swanson, and their children, Gavin and Jordan Swanson, all of Oakdale, PA. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, David and Doris Trinder. Friends will be received from 5 to 8:30 P.M. on Wednesday, March 1, 2017 in the Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 700 Broad Avenue, Belle Vernon. 724-929-5300 www.FergusonFuneralHomeAndCrematory.com
Funeral services will be at 8:30 P.M. Wednesday.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 1. 5:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Ferguson Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc.
700 Broad Avenue
Belle Vernon, PA 15012
(724) 929-5300

Funeral Service

MAR 1. 8:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sadie Bednarczyk lit a candle in memory of Richard Thomas Kovall*



Sadie Bednarczyk - March 03, 2017 at 11:02 AM



“ *To the family of Rich I send my deepest sympathy. Rich was a wonderful person who was so kind hearted. He touch the lives of so many. Rich was a great childhood friend of mine and so many others back in the Center Ave days. To hear of his passing is truly heartbreaking. May God wrap his loving arms around all of you in this most difficult time. Prayers and Love sent*

Ebony Goins - March 01, 2017 at 07:54 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



melanie evans - March 01, 2017 at 02:31 PM

Jaclyn
Fuchick

“ I am so sorry to hear about Rich's passing..He and my brother were good friends. I spent time with him on several occasions and it is always sad to hear of someone passing before their time.. Although I guess we never know, maybe when we go it is our predestined time...He was a good guy, and I never knew anyone else who made squirrel stew... You will be missed buddy..RIP

Jaclyn Fuchick - February 28, 2017 at 01:04 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Richard Thomas Kovall.



February 27, 2017 at 12:45 PM



“ Brad, Morgan and Tricia purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Richard Thomas Kovall.



Brad, Morgan and Tricia - February 27, 2017 at 12:02 PM



“ Dear Laura, Harry and family,
You have my deepest sympathy on the loss of Richard. You sre in my thoughts and prayers.

Pat Piel - February 27, 2017 at 09:50 AM

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“ *Laura, David and Melanie and extended family you have my deepest sympathy. Rich was a kind caring friend. I knew him from my childhood days. Years later he became friends with my daughter and son in law. When our family lost my son in law Rich and Melanie was there through everything. Rich called me or text asking about my daughter and my grandchildren. He offered to help in any way He loved my grandchildren and I will never forget him for that. I remember the day he said I don't care if my daughter needs help getting a knot out of one of the kids shoes he would come down and help. That was Rich a kind and caring person. God gained a beautiful soul. I never say goodbye but see you later. Fly high my friend.*



Nichole Sickeks - February 27, 2017 at 05:29 AM

GB

*Laura and Harry,
Our love and deepest sympathy to you all.
Lori, Kenny and Jim*

Gwynn - Byron - February 27, 2017 at 03:11 PM

BD

*Rich was a good friend, he will be sadly missed.
With deepest sympathy
Butch & Annie*

Butch Daugherty - February 28, 2017 at 08:43 AM

AD

Laura, Harry & David

So very sorry to hear about Richard. Our deepest sympathy to all of you. Alan & Diane Dongilli

Alan L. Dongilli - February 28, 2017 at 10:40 AM