



Rickey P. McCarra

April 12, 1958 - June 20, 2020

Rickey P. McCarra passed away on Saturday, June 20, 2020 in Covington, LA. He was born on April 12, 1958 in Greenville, OH to Ondalee Ray McCarra and the late Nevle McCarra.

Rickey was the beloved husband of Diedre “Dee” Landry McCarra for 16 years. He was the loving father of Christopher Shay McCarra (Angie), Cassidy McCarra, Sabrina McCarra (Nick), and Justin McCarr. Rickey was the proud grandfather of Kaleb, Braydon, and Layla. He was the brother of Larry McCarra (Terri), Marjie Schaaf, the late Cindy Mills, and Tina Tittle.

Rickey drove school bus 307 in Covington, LA for the St. Tammany Parish School Board for over 9 years. He also worked for over 20 years with WST. Rickey enjoyed hunting and the outdoors. He was an avid Saints, LSU, and NASCAR fan. Most importantly, Rickey was a hard worker and devoted husband, father, grandfather, and friend.

Relatives and friends are invited to the Funeral Service at E.J. Fielding Funeral Home, 2260 W. 21st Avenue, Covington, LA 70433 on Friday, June 26, 2020 at 11:00 AM with visitation from 10:00 AM until service time. Interment will follow the service at Pilgrim Rest Cemetery, Covington, LA. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Justin McCarra College Savings Fund, contact Dee McCarra for further information, (985) 705-0229. Please Share a Memory on the Tribute Wall at www.ejfieldingfh.com.

Cemetery

Pilgrim Rest Cemetery

20116 Louisiana Hwy 1081 (aka Stafford Road)

Covington, LO, 70435

Events

JUN 26 **Visitation** 10:00AM - 11:00AM

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JUN 26 **Funeral Services** 11:00AM

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Comments



“ A webcast video has been added.



E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services - June 26 at 09:16 AM



“ Beautiful service for a beautiful Man. God be with my girlfriend Dee and Justin. We love you and are praying for continuing peace during this most difficult time. Our beloved Rickey will forever live in our hearts until we are all united again in the arms of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Glynda Sauviac - June 26 at 12:43 PM



“ A tribute video has been added.



E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services - June 25 at 02:40 PM



“ Beautiful tribute to a life well lived. Very touching. Rickey will be missed.

Barbara Valentino - June 26 at 10:46 AM



“ This was beautiful Dee. so many memories traveling, fun times on the farm. You will always cherish those times. May God fill you with peace and comfort. Jo Ann

Jo Ann Freaney - June 26 at 12:51 PM



“ Ricky was a very nice man. He took good care of our family on a few occasions driving a limo so we could enjoy a family trip to tour the beauty of New Orleans. I am saddened that he is no longer with us but know he must be with our Lord. I wanted to stop in to the visitation but I realize that because of Phase 2 that I should allow his close friends and relatives to be together. Nancy M Ross

Nancy M Ross - June 26 at 11:14 AM



“ Mr. Rickey was such an awesome man. Kind and caring... always ready to help anyone in need. His smile and laugh lit up the room, he always had a joke and was usually the first to laugh at it:).
You touched our lives Mr. Rickey. Our entire family will miss your wonderful smile.

Mark and Karen Johnson

Karen Johnson - June 25 at 08:49 PM



“ Mr. Ricky loved his family and will be missed by all who know him a man with a big heart and a big smile - He was a friend.
Called back to his creator - our Lord was to soon
Prayers for the family



Thomas Bacon - June 25 at 05:03 PM



“ Mr Rickey was such a kind man. He drove my family and friends around for several years. His stories were always a big hit, and he always had a smile. Rickey will be missed! Hugs and Prayers to you Dee and your family

L. Johnson - June 25 at 03:18 PM



“ Mr. Rickey was a kind, caring man. He was in charge of transportation for many of our family events, from weddings to trips to the fairgrounds. He will be missed.

Al and Diane Kramer

DIANE KRAMER - June 25 at 12:44 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rickey P. McCarra.





June 25 at 09:44 AM



“ So sorry to hear of Rickys passing. He was one of the nicest people that I have ever met. He was a true friend of my husband Mike Mcguire who passed in 2016 of Cancer.

When Ricky found about Mike's Cancer he organized a benefit for Mike. The Benefit really lifted up my husband's spirit. Thank You Dee for all your kindness. Prayers for the whole family

Dolores Mcguire

dolores mcguire - June 24 at 06:47 PM



“ Claude and I so appreciated Dee and Rickey staying at our house to take care of Turbeaux while we were in Italy. And Rickey loved the Hard Rock T Shirt from Rome!! Love you Rickey!

Judi Guillotte - June 24 at 01:36 PM



“ Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rickey P. McCarra.



June 24 at 10:38 AM



“ Both of my boys rode Mr. Ricky's bus and we just loved him. He liked giving the kids treats (donuts, usually) and playing music on the bus, which they got a kick out of. He always waved as he passed by, even after the boys were in high school and no longer on his bus. His loss will be felt in our school system. Sending our prayers to his family.

The Koenig family - June 24 at 08:46 AM



“ Mr . Ricky was a true character always laughing and cracking jokes. I will always remember Ricky as someone who would literally give the shirt off his back to help out someone in need. Mr. Ricky may God bless you and keep you for all eternity my friend.

Ernest Cleland - June 23 at 09:01 PM



“ Every person in our school system makes a difference! This man drove my kids to and from school with a smile! He gave them donuts and he cared! He would stop and tell them hi even after they no longer rode his bus! He took us on limo rides and he would sometimes call and check in! He loved the fact that we adopted our children and it's almost as if he felt they were his own too and indeed they were! Such a great man! Still at ages 14,12, and 9 one of which never rode his bus but still loves him — they look to see if it's bus 307 coming around the corner so they can wave to Mr Rickey! My heart goes out to his family and all those children he had such an impact on! We love you Mr Rickey!

Jamie - June 23 at 07:49 PM



“ Our heart is so heavy with the loss of Mr. Rickey. He was such a funny and loving man, and Patrick and I always enjoyed running into Mrs. Dee and Mr. Rickey. We loved coaching sports with him and we will always remember how much he danced at our wedding!. We are so sorry Mrs. Dee and Justin and we will always be here for you all

Tracy and Patrick Glynn

Tracy Glynn - June 23 at 05:58 PM



“ Our family was saddened to see that Mr. Rickey passed away. He was always so kind to my kids and I. When he dropped them off to me at the end of the day, it was always with a smile and a wave. God bless his family and our prayers are with you.

melissa - June 23 at 06:46 PM



“ Ricky was a great guy and will be missed by all .RIP Ricky Gone

way too soon . Your friend Pudge

craig cox - June 25 at 12:25 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Rickey P. McCarra.



June 23 at 05:44 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Rickey P. McCarra.



June 23 at 04:51 PM