



Richard C. Butcher

April 9, 1969 - May 8, 2019

Richard C. Butcher, age 50, of Amherst, passed away on Wednesday, May 8, 2019 at University Hospital Elyria Medical Center.

He was born in Lakewood and had been a resident of Amherst for the past three years, moving from North Ridgeville. He also lived in Westlake and Lakewood.

Richard worked as a self-employed contractor for many years.

He enjoyed shooting, fishing, woodworking, gardening, NASCAR, baseball and was a jokester with his nieces.

Survivors include his partner, Suzanne Sutton; daughter, Rachel; son, Garrett; stepson, Brayden Sutton; parents, Linda and Richard "Bud" Butcher; brother, Chris (Jen) Butcher; nieces, Jordan and Katie; son in law Mike (Ashley) Sumpter; numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, Chuck and Fran Jirsa; paternal grandparents, Hallie and Helen Butcher.

Funeral Service Monday, May 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Bogner Family Funeral Home, 36625 Center Ridge Rd., N. Ridgeville, where family will receive friends from 2-4 and 6:00 pm until time of service. Rev. Chuck Behrens will officiate. Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested in Richard's name to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital at <http://www.stjude.org>

Events

MAY **Visitation** 02:00PM - 04:00PM

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MAY **Visitation** 06:00PM - 07:30PM

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MAY **Service** 07:30PM

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Comments



“ A tribute video has been added.



Bogner Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services - May 11, 2019 at 12:57 PM



“ So beautiful, such a tragic loss!! Gone way too soon!! He was the coolest! My deepest condolences

Margie - May 16, 2019 at 08:48 PM



“ My sincere condolences to your family. I was at a loss for words when I heard what happened. I haven't seen Rich in so long but I remember him vividly. He was an awesome dad to both Rachel and Garret and I know he will be missed. I remember his sense of humor and how laid back he was. He was a great guy!! RIP.

Melanie H.

Melanie H - May 14, 2019 at 10:01 PM



“ Dear Mr & Mrs Butcher and big beautiful family,
I am so sorry for your loss.
My thoughts and prayers are with you!
Your friend,
Ed Smith



Ed Smith - May 13, 2019 at 12:55 PM



“ 2 files added to the album LifeTributes



Bogner Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services - May 13, 2019 at 08:35 AM



“ Cherished Memories - All White was purchased for the family of Richard C. Butcher.



May 13, 2019 at 07:47 AM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Richard C. Butcher.



May 12, 2019 at 09:13 AM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Standing Basket was purchased for the family of Richard C. Butcher.



May 11, 2019 at 10:13 PM



“ The Butcher Family -

I wish I had words to express how truly sorry and heartbroken I am. Rich was a constant in mine and many other childhoods and it is now unimaginable to think that part of that is now gone. While my time with Rich over the last too many years has been limited, we all constantly think back to our youth and when I do that Rich is there and always will be. Seems too painful now, but there will be a time in the future when we can remember all the good things about Rich and when that time comes there will be many. One word to describe Rich for me....laughter. He made us laugh...maybe telling his stories, maybe screwing around in the garage or in the basement, maybe ...well, things Mr. and Mrs. B can't yet know, or maybe busting on each other (mostly Donn).... I just don't remember times being around Rich and not laughing! I suspect to all the people that knew him later in life that did not change. I will miss my friend. Mark Chambers

Mark Chambers - May 11, 2019 at 10:07 PM



“ Sending my sincerest condolences to all the family at this time of sorrow. Only Buddy will know who I am, but I am a cousin who lives in Florida now and will be sure to inform the balance of us living down here. Will be keeping all the family in our prayers.

Edna Ann Statts

Edna Ann Statts - June 09, 2019 at 11:43 PM



“ Sue I am so sorry for your lost. My prayers and thoughts are with you and family. I'm here for you.

Peggy g - May 11, 2019 at 04:18 PM



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Bogner Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services - May 11, 2019 at 11:55 AM



“ Sympathy Arrangement In Basket (Large) - Multicolor Bright Mixed Flowers was purchased for the family of Richard C. Butcher.



May 10, 2019 at 05:24 PM



“ I only met Rich once, I am friends with Sheilah. My heart goes out to her, Rachel, and Garrett for this great loss. My condolences to them and the rest of Rich's family.

Deb House - May 10, 2019 at 12:51 PM



“ R.I.P. cousin.you will be forever in our hearts.

Kim Breegle - May 10, 2019 at 10:40 AM



“ Thank you for being such a wonderful father. I don't know what we are all going to do with out you, you lit up everyone's life. Especially Garrett's. You guys will always be 'buddies' and I know you will be watching over them and looking out for them and I trust you will do everything you can to keep them safe. I'm so sorry this happened. You were supposed to marry Suzanne, and teach Garrett how to fix cars and how to woodwork, and about being a man. You would have made an amazing Grandpa one day, and you still will, just with wings! I will always love you and thank you for such loving and happy children, and always being there for me. Our lives will not be the same with out you in them. Rest In Peace, Rich. You will NEVER be forgotten.

Sheilah Wilson - May 10, 2019 at 10:07 AM