



Richard "Richie" Derrico

December 24, 1952 - October 5, 2022

Richard "Richie" Derrico age 69, of Sarasota, Florida passed away on Wednesday, October 5, 2022.

Richie was born in Bronx, NY to Anthony and Marie Derrico on December 24, 1952. He also resided in Long Island, NY before moving to Florida. Richie was an avid reader, loved the Lord, and he was a die-hard Yankee's fan. Richie spent most of his adult life helping others through his sobriety and faith in God. This past year, he celebrated 33 years sober.

Richie is preceded in death by his parents, Anthony and Marie, and brother, Carmine. He is survived by his daughter, Christina (Mark), and granddaughter, Isabella.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Our Lady of Grace RC Church on Saturday, October 22, 2022, at 11AM.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association or The Ronald McDonald House.

The family wishes to extend their gratitude to the nurses and doctors of both Sarasota Memorial Hospital and Tidewell Hospice.

God grant me the serenity
to accept the things I cannot change;
courage to change the things I can;
and wisdom to know the difference.

Living one day at a time;
enjoying one moment at a time;
accepting hardships as the pathway to peace;
taking, as He did, this sinful world
as it is, not as I would have it;
trusting that He will make all things right
if I surrender to His Will;
that I may be reasonably happy in this life
and supremely happy with Him
forever in the next.
Amen.

Tribute Wall

CH

“ *I love you, dad. The pain of losing you will never go away.*

Christina - October 06, 2022 at 09:27 PM



Patricia
Robertson

God Speed Richard. Thanks for being a wonderful friend and neighbor. We will miss you. Henry and Patty.

Patricia Robertson - October 11, 2022 at 06:25 PM

PS

Richie Richie Richie! God has called you by name and he knows you and has placed your name in the lamb's book of life and has made a place for you beyond words. Your in the Agope Love of the Almighty Father for eternity. We miss you but One day soon we will see you again my brother. May the peace and comfort of the Holy Spirit be with your family.

PETER&EVA SCHRUM - October 12, 2022 at 09:38 AM

JM

*Love you Brother your example help put me on the straight and narrow. I will always keep you in my prayers. God bless you Brother
John
NYC*

John Meiden - January 08, 2023 at 12:08 PM

MS

RIP my childhood friend, So many shared memories at school and with our dads in the same business. 🙏❤️

Mike Sudano - January 12, 2023 at 08:21 PM

RS

Rich-my Brother-I did not know you went home till yesterday. I have been thinking about you and as always you have been in my prayers. You are always in my heart. I remember way back when we first met. You helped me so much by your living example. I will see you again when I get there until then my love is always with you. Rob Sav

Robert Savarese - January 21, 2023 at 12:49 PM

VD

richie i just found this out today i am so shocked and sad my friend may you rest in the lords arms in eternal peace brother

vito divittorio - June 08, 2023 at 10:49 AM