



Richard Anthony Schumacher

September 1, 1960 - April 12, 2019

On April 12, 2019, Richard Anthony Schumacher, Jr., age 58, passed away at his home in Easton, MD.

He is survived by his beloved wife of 31 years, the former Susan Allen of Baltimore, and two daughters, Katherine Nicole S. Arens (and her husband Bryce) of Lincoln, NE, and Kelly Marie Schumacher of San Antonio, TX.

Born in Baltimore, MD, he was the son of the late Richard A. and Norma Schumacher, Denton and Salisbury, MD. He earned his A.A. in Information Systems Technology from Chesapeake College and completed courses in Math/Computer Cartography at Salisbury State University.

From 1983 through 1991, he served in the Maryland Army National Guard retiring as Air CAV Troop Commander.

At the time of his death, he was Regional Manager of Electric Operations, Centreville Office for Delmarva Power, a company he had worked for 30 + years, beginning as lineman. He never expected more of his crew members than he would do himself.

Rick was a fun-loving family man, also devoted to his canine “daughter” Stella. He enjoyed free time in his boat, the kayaks, catching and steaming blue crabs, vacationing with friends and traveling. He was a “fix-it” guy, good in the

kitchen, and an expert shopper with coupons. With his extended family, he was always available to help and offer advice. When his daughters were young, he attended their activities and even was their t-ball and softball coach. He was immensely proud of his girls. A member of St. Mark's United Methodist Church, he was former chair of the Trustees and had worked the sound system during worship.

When Susan was a senior at Salisbury and had to find off-campus housing, she and her friends rented rooms in a home owned by Mrs. Schumacher. Rick was the landlady's son; Sue never went back home, and they have lived on the shore ever since.

A celebration of Rick's life will be held at 11 AM, on Wednesday, April 24, 2019, at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 100 Peachblossom Rd., in Easton. Burial will be private.

In lieu of flowers, friends and family may honor the life of Rick by performing an act of kindness for someone or by making a donation to St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 100 Peachblossom Rd., Easton, MD 21601.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mark's United Methodist Church
100 Peach Blossom Road
Easton, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard Anthony Schumacher*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - April 20, 2019 at 03:12 PM



“ *Richard Anthony Schumacher*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Richard Anthony Schumacher*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Richard Anthony Schumacher*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

CB

“ Rick was a close colleague and true friend to many of us at a Delmarva Power. I had the pleasure of knowing him first by phone on the Bay Regional System Operations desk, and later as a supervisor of distribution and manager of regional electric operations in Centreville. In addition to our work together, we shared a lot of stories, meals, laughs, and a mutual love of gadgets. His commitment to our Centreville team, employee safety and customer reliability are all commendable; but his love for his family, friends and life are what he will be remembered for most of all. Rick always beamed when talking about his family; eager to show pictures of their latest milestones and adventures. To Sue, Katherine and Kelly, I offer my most sincere condolences.



Cory Buxton - April 23, 2019 at 10:57 PM

LT

“ I have worked with Rick for over 17 years at Delmarva Power. He was the one to teach me to be a bargain shopper and always look at the Black Friday ads to get the best deal. If Rick was working a shift with you, u also knew that we were going to get a good meal. Rick loved to cook us Taco Salad and Taco soup. Rick always talked very highly of his family. U knew that we loved his wife and daughters very much. He will truly be missed at DPL. Lori Thomas
System Operation

lori thomas - April 23, 2019 at 08:13 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Richard Anthony Schumacher.*



April 23, 2019 at 03:45 PM



“ *191 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - April 23, 2019 at 07:32 AM



“ *Shocked and saddened to learn of your loss. Thoughts and prayers are with you, Susan, and the girls. There are no words to ease your heartache. May your many beautiful and loving memories help at this difficult time and remain safely tucked away in your hearts. HUGS.*

Leslie - April 20, 2019 at 10:06 PM

CK

“ I am very sorry for your loss Kelly and family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Carrie Knife

Carrie Knife - April 19, 2019 at 06:07 PM

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“ Your body may no longer be on this earth but our memories of you, Rick, will always be in our hearts. When I think of you, I see your grin. God Bless you Rick for your kindness and generosity. Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory. Condolences Kelly, Katie, Sue and Kelly.

5037525449 - April 18, 2019 at 08:28 PM

RH

“ Rick was a very decent human being. I only knew him for a short time but he always made me feel welcomed. Always friendly and upbeat. Never knew we shared a fondness for "couponing" but the Lord always reveals things in his own time. Rest well Rick and family stay encouraged as his memory will never leave you.

Roger Hicks - April 18, 2019 at 07:07 AM

BP

“ Sincere condolences to all the Schumacher family. You are in our thoughts and prayers. It was a pleasure knowing Rick. God bless!



Bruce & Lisa Plummer - April 17, 2019 at 09:03 PM

EH

“ Rick was a pleasure to work with. He often stopped by to see me when he was up at our Newark office to say hello and give me a smile on a day I needed it. I trusted in his positive leadership style and knew his team was in good hands. He made an impact on me and I will miss working with him. Rest In Peace Rick.

Erica Hines - April 17, 2019 at 01:44 PM

BG

“ What a great guy who was always full of knowledge and always had a smile.

Bill gunther - April 17, 2019 at 11:49 AM

LG

“ A wonderful man that we were proud to call our friend. Gone too soon. Our thoughts and prayers are with Sue, Katie, Kelly and the family.



Lee George - April 17, 2019 at 01:34 AM

KH

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you Sue Katie , Kelly and family



Kim and John Hardesty - April 16, 2019 at 09:36 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard Anthony Schumacher.*



April 16, 2019 at 09:33 PM



“ *RIP my friend and co-worker. Thoughts and prayers to Sue and family.*



Nancy Gosnell - April 16, 2019 at 08:07 PM



“ *Jeff & Tracy Whitzel lit a candle in memory of Richard Anthony Schumacher*



Jeff & Tracy Whitzel - April 16, 2019 at 07:58 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I had the pleasure of working with Rick the past 3 years and thought the world of him. He was a great leader and genuinely cared about his team. We will miss him so much.*

Deb Jonas - April 16, 2019 at 12:58 PM

IG

“ We have wonderful memories of the wonderful man and friend. He was one of the best “ people “ we have ever known. Sending prayers and hugs to Sue and the girls.
Love, Iris and Bill Girauda



Iris and Bill Girauda - April 16, 2019 at 12:16 PM

TL

“ Love and Prayers to the family! From Mike & Terri Layton



Terri Layton - April 16, 2019 at 10:15 AM

KR

“ Karen Reed lit a candle in memory of Richard Anthony Schumacher



Karen Reed - April 16, 2019 at 07:48 AM

GW

“ Geri & Mark Whitby lit a candle in memory of Richard Anthony Schumacher



Geri & Mark Whitby - April 16, 2019 at 07:18 AM