



Rickey Lee Melhorn

March 6, 1958 - September 15, 2021

Rickey Lee Melhorn ,63, of Kensington, GA, passed peacefully on the morning of September 15. A hard-working man who thoughtfully cared for horses, cattle, and more on their family farm. His careful eye for detail and monumental work ethic made him recognized as one of the top auto body repair and restoration experts in the country. In his later days, he reduced his client list to be exclusive to focus on time with his family. His commitment to helping others was second to none, as he could be asked for anything, and the word "no" was simply not a word he would say. He leaves behind a vast community of those who were fortunate to call him a neighbor, a friend, or family. Rickey was a veteran of the U.S. Army. He is survived by his wife Sheila; son, Josh Melhorn and granddaughter; daughter Lyndse Martinelli (Daniel); granddaughter and grandson; two sisters, Cathy and Vicki; step-daughter Amber; and 3 step grandsons; dad. Arthur Roger Melhorn; mother, Barbara Joyce (Burnette) Mauer; step-dad, Arthur Eugene Mauer.

Graveside services for family only will be held Friday, September 24th at the Chattanooga National Cemetery with full military honors.

Condolences may be shared at ryanfuneralhome.net.

Arrangements are by Ryan Funeral Home & Crematory, Trenton, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Rickey Lee Melhorn*

October 09, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *I miss Rick Melhorn so much. He use to tell me often, how lost I would be without him. He was right, I am! I miss him so mush as if he left today. I'll always miss him and I'll always love him.*



Sheila Melhorn - June 20, 2023 at 07:33 PM



“ *It was so great to watch Yellowstone with him he was the best grandfather ever when we did so many fun things together I miss him so much I want him back today with us*

Emory melhorn - November 15, 2021 at 04:13 PM



Emory this is Nana I love you so much. Many blessings to you my sweet baby girl.

Sheila Melhorn - February 19, 2022 at 01:25 AM



Hi nana what is your new phone number

emory - June 20, 2022 at 04:09 PM

Donna
Cash

“ Donna Cash lit a candle in memory of Rickey Lee Melhorn



Donna Cash - September 29, 2021 at 01:39 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Rickey Lee Melhorn.



September 24, 2021 at 08:19 AM

MB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Michael & Linda Barber - September 23, 2021 at 07:19 AM

AP

“ He was always so sweet and friendly. He worried about others like they were family.

Ann Pell - September 22, 2021 at 09:14 AM

CB

“ Heart goes out to those closest to Rick. His positive personality and ingenuity will be greatly missed by so many.



Clark Brewer - September 21, 2021 at 09:43 PM

AL

“ ALLEN LECROY lit a candle in memory of Rickey Lee Melhorn



ALLEN LECROY - September 21, 2021 at 05:47 PM

AP

My prayers for Sheila and the family, Rick was a good man.

Ann patterson - September 22, 2021 at 10:27 AM

AS

“ Ashley Simmons lit a candle in memory of Rickey Lee Melhorn



Ashley Simmons - September 21, 2021 at 01:15 PM