



Mr. Rickey Earle Cherry

March 28, 2020

Mr. Rickey Earle Cherry, 67, of Leesburg died Saturday March 28, 2020 at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital of natural causes. He was born on November 26, 1952 in Dothan, Alabama and moved to Mitchell County in 1974. He worked at Merck Chemical from 1975 until the plant closed in 2007. His family meant everything to him. His two greatest passions, other than family gatherings, were his love of boating and fishing.

Mr. Cherry is preceded in death by his parents H.A. Cherry and Gladys Cherry, as well as his daughter, Lori Cherry, and sister, Judy Womack. He is survived by his wife, Vicki; his daughter Jennifer Singletary (Brian) and his granddaughter, Blake Singletary; his stepchildren Heather Buchanan (Todd) and Shaun McGuire and his children Patrick McGuire and Wyatt McGuire.

A private memorial service will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to either the American Heart Association or the American Diabetes Association.

You may sign our online guestbook and share your own special thoughts with the family of Mr. Cherry by visiting Kimbrell-Stern's website at www.kimbrellstern.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Rickey Earle Cherry*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ *Mr. Rickey Earle Cherry*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Always such a kind and warm person. We love and will miss you.*

Pat Powers - March 31, 2020 at 07:41 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Rickey's passing. I worked with him at Merck Flint River - he was a wonderful man! My condolences to his family.*

Diana Gleaton - March 31, 2020 at 07:27 PM



“ *We shared a fondness for WVU football. A really nice guy. Rest In Peace Rickey.*

Eric Hecht - March 31, 2020 at 07:09 PM



“ *I hated to hear of Rickey's passing. I enjoyed working with him ... so many pleasant memories of him. Prayers for his loved ones. 🙏*
Sally Anderson

Sally W. Anderson - March 31, 2020 at 04:12 PM

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“ I worked with Rick for more years than I care to count at Merck in the lab. He was a pleasant kind person to work with. May God just wrap his loving arms around friends and family and comfort them as only He can in this time of sorrow.

Bill and Linda Seals

Bill Seals - March 31, 2020 at 03:14 PM

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“ I am sorry to hear Rickey has passed away. I worked near him and he was a good person. Let me know if I can do anything. Winona Greenway

Winona Greenway - March 31, 2020 at 02:31 PM

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“ Rick was such a nice guy. Loved Vic very much. I met him when they started dating. Went to their wedding. I have known them all these years. Rick will be missed by many.

MAUREEN LYON - March 31, 2020 at 08:49 AM