



Richard Elm

June 24, 1958 - March 13, 2023

Richard R. Elm, born June 24th, 1958, departed this life unexpectedly at age 64, on March 13th, 2023. He was born to the late, Richard Forbes and the late, Geneva (Butler) Elm in New Haven, Connecticut.

During Richard's younger years, he was an avid sports player within the Ashmun Street neighborhood. Specifically, he was known for his involvement in baseball (as a pitcher), football and basketball. As a teen, while attending high school, he played the bass drum for Wilbur Cross. When not engaging in recreational sports, he gained summer employment with the City of New Haven and those summer assignments were usually spent cleaning the Elm City neighborhood.

In 1976, Richard received his High School Diploma from Wilbur Cross High School in New Haven, Connecticut. Subsequently, he attended the University of Massachusetts (UMASS) in Amherst, Massachusetts. Furthermore, he also studied the field of welding in New Haven, Connecticut.

He leaves behind to preserve his memory, his siblings, Joyce E. Jacobs of Hamden, CT, Barbara A. Elm of Hamden, CT and Roy Elm of Hampton, VA. He also leaves behind nieces, one nephew and a host of family members.

Richard is predeceased by his mother, Geneva O. Elm, his father Richard

Forbes, brother, Montgomery Elm and sister, Theresa P. Elm.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR **29**. 11:00 AM (ET)

McClam Funeral Home Chapel
95 Dixwell Ave
New Haven, CT 06511

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Elm*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *My prayers and condolences*



Hope Johnson - April 06, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *Broxton Girls lit a candle in memory of
Richard Elm*



Broxton Girls - March 28, 2023 at 11:09 AM



“ *To Elm Family:sending prayers on your lost again Richard would
come into Stop&shop before or after Theresa now going miss both
customers SIP*

helen c powell - March 28, 2023 at 03:00 AM

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“ Tommy Hammond lit a candle in memory of Richard Elm



Tommy Hammond - March 27, 2023 at 11:31 PM

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“ Richard i remember when you would come out to the back of the building to play basketball with us for hours in the back of 265 ashmun St with all ur pj's brother Richie All the memories of you will last forever in my mind My brother you was a peaceful and real brother that we will never forget the last time i saw u u were on dixwell Ave in front of the hot spot and i came over ont of the hot spot I came over and talk to you you are going to be missed My PJ brother tell everyone when you get home to the most high God Allah that i send my love to everyone of u All rest in peace 🙏 with with mom dad sister and brother until we meet again in the presence of the most high God Allah my ashmun St brother from peewee love you and we will meet again on the basketball court again forever peace Richard.

Tommy Hammond - March 27, 2023 at 11:31 PM

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“ Shirley Douglas lit a candle in memory of Richard Elm



Shirley Douglas - March 26, 2023 at 05:25 AM

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To the family of Richard R. Elm

(Joyce, Barbara and Roy) I am sorry for your loss.

I'll be praying for your comfort. Please know that you are not alone at this trying time. Sincerely,

Roland Squant Jones - Houston, Texas

Friend & Next Neighbor at 265 Ashmun Street Apt. #21

Roland Squant Jones - March 28, 2023 at 04:16 PM