



Richard Underhill

August 4, 2007

IRON MOUNTAIN - Richard "Rick" J. Underhill, 56, of 341 E. Ludington St. Iron Mountain, died Saturday morning Aug. 4, 2007, at his home.

Rick was born on Nov. 21, 1950, in Iron Mountain, son of the late Roland and Dorothy (Uren) Underhill. He was raised in this area and was a 1968 graduate of Iron Mountain High School. Rick graduated from the DeVry Institute in 1972 as a computer analyst. He retired in 2004 as vice president of Butter Buds Food Ingredient Co. in Racine, Wis.

Following his retirement, he returned to Iron Mountain. Rick loved his Green Bay Packers, golfing, NASCAR racing and the Detroit Tigers.

Rick is survived by three daughters, Heather Ann (John) Lemcke of Milwaukee, Sarah Ellen (Tony Weber) Underhill of Baltimore, Md. and Mary Carol Underhill of Racine, Wis.; a brother, Jack (Pauline) Underhill of Kingsford; a sister, Carol Jean Underhill of Milwaukee; his adopted sister, Olga Henry of Milwaukee; an aunt, Carolyn "Tillie" Miller of Iron Mountain; an uncle, Gibb Sackerson of Norway; and many cousins and friends. He also leaves two important people in his life, Toni (Mark Hanneman) Underhill of Milwaukee, and Laura (Mike) Palazzola of Racine, the mothers of his three beautiful daughters.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Patricia Ann; and many uncles, aunts and cousins.

Visitation will be held from 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday at the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home.

Memorial services will be at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home. Rev. Michael March will officiate.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in his memory to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation

Condolences to the family of Richard "Rick" Underhill can be expressed online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com.

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home with the funeral arrangements

Tribute Wall

LO

“ I remember Rick from the "pool hall days"! We went to different schools together and learned too much and not enough! haha! I remember a few parties in Spread Eagle and a few others too! When Rick was living in Manitou Springs and I was living in Denver, I went down to see him. He had a nice little house on the side of the road.

Those really were the days...

I know he does not feel the pain anymore...

Rest In Peace my old friend...

I am sorry I missed the last party...

Lawrence Mark Olson - November 25, 2007 at 12:00 AM

WF

“ To the Underhill Family,
Our deepest of sympathy with the passing away of Rick. I like the rest was shocked to hear the passing away of Rick and his illness. God has Rick now and is in a better place. We will pray for Rick and is whole family and girls in this time of sorrow.

God Bless the Underhill Family,

The Webb's

WEBB FAMILY - August 09, 2007 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Dear Friends and Family, please accept our sincere sympathy; we are deeply saddened by your loss. Rick was always such a source of entertainment and good humor in school! We can only imagine your grief in the loss of someone still so young and vital. May you find comfort and peace in your memories, knowing Rick will always live on.

Dick and Barbara Bennett

Dick and Barbara Bennett - August 08, 2007 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ Ricky was one of my best friends in high school. I first met him 42 years ago when we were in Demolay together. Just young guys full of vinegar. We always had a great time hanging out together. I'll always remember his big smile and sense of humor. We lost touch after school but I've thought of him often. Each time with a smile on my face. May you find peace during this time and know he definitely left a positive mark on this world. I'm grateful he was a part of our lives. God Bless.

Larry Gardepy - August 08, 2007 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ My deepest condolences for the loss of Rick. I was shocked to hear of his passing. Way too young! I first got to know Rick from grade school football, Babe Ruth Baseball and then Jr High and High School. Rick was a great guy to say the least. I know that his family feels a great deal of sorrow but please remember him for the man that he was and the good times he provided!

Gregg Ball - August 08, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Dear Carol, Jack and families, We send our deepest sympathy in the death of Rick. It is so difficult to imagine the youngest of the siblings leaving first. May your good memories carry you through your grief.
Sincerely, Martha and Bob Schinderle

Martha and Bob Schinderle - August 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM