



Richard W. Coleman

June 26, 1963 - September 10, 2010

East Greenbush-Richard W. Coleman, 47, died suddenly Friday, September 10, 2010. Born in Albany, he was the dear son of Peg Coleman and the late Jack Coleman.

Richard retired after 23 years from the Albany Fire Department as a Lieutenant in the Fire Investigation Unit. He also served the Department as a Paramedic and MDA fundraiser. He was a US Marine Corps veteran. Richard was an avid New York Giants fan.

He was the husband of Sharon T. Tietgens, MD; beloved father of Chelsea, Eric, and Jamie; brother of John Coleman, Jr; son-in-law of Judy Tietgens; he is also survived by many aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

Funeral services Wednesday, September 15, 2010 at 10:00 am from the McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany thence to Blessed Sacrament Church, Albany at 10:30 am where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated by Rev. John Tallman, Chaplain of the Albany Fire Department.

Relatives and friends are invited and may call Tuesday, 4:00 to 7:00 pm in the funeral home.

Interment St. Agnes Cemetery.

Those wishing to remember Richard in a special way may send a contribution to the Muscular Dystrophy Association, 1 Marcus Blvd., #203, Albany, NY 12203.

To leave the family a special message on their guest book; view Richard's Cinematic Life Tribute; obtain a prayer card or directions; or share a photo or E-card with them, please visit www.McveighFuneralHome.com

Previous Events

Service

SEP **15**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Blessed Sacrament Church
607 Central Ave (Father John Bradley Way)
Albany, NY 12206
(518) 489-0188
info@mcveighfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Richard W. Coleman*



McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. - September 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Richard W. Coleman*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *Dear Dr. Tietgens :*

We are so sorry to learn about your husband's death. It is such a sad event in your life and your family's. We are praying for you all and hope that you find strength in each other and in your faith. You have been such a good friend in taking care of us both.

Marguerite Casey and Nora O'Brien##imported-begin##Marguerite Casey##imported-end##

September 18, 2010 at 07:53 AM



“ Dear Sharon, Eric, Chelsea and Jamie,

We just found out about Rick's passing yesterday. We definitely would have been at the services if we had known. Our hearts are with all of you at this time. We are so sorry that you have this heartache and our prayers are with you all. We love you.

Love,

Mark, Sarah and Anna##imported-begin##Mark, Sarah and Anna Newell##imported-end##

September 17, 2010 at 12:19 PM



“ We were very sorry to hear about Rick's passing. Our condolences to his family.

Mike & Marie Stanley##imported-begin##Marie Stanley##imported-end##

September 16, 2010 at 01:38 PM



“ You were always so nice to everyone that I remember at St. Pat's, even the younger kids. Thanks for always being encouraging when need.

Theresa Jasiewicz McCabe##imported-begin##Theresa Jasiewicz-McCabe##imported-end##

September 14, 2010 at 08:40 PM



“ *Too young, Too Soon.*

RIP, Cuz.

Tina###imported-begin###Mary Streeter (Tina Cain)###imported-end##

September 14, 2010 at 07:50 PM



“ *Sharon:*

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May God bless all of you.###imported-begin###Nancy Smith Catalano###imported-end##

September 13, 2010 at 06:30 PM



“ *WE WERE ALL VERY SORRY TO HEAR OF YOUR LOSS. WE HAVE MANY YEARS OF FOND MEMORIES OF RICK AS DREW'S COACH. HE WAS ALWAYS VERY KIND, PATIENT AND CARING WITH ALL THE BOYS. HE MADE IT A VERY ENJOYABLE EXPERIENCE FOR THE PINTUS FAMILY!!!! OUR THOUGHTS ARE WITH ALL OF YOU.###imported-begin###RON,RUTH AND DREW PINTUS###imported-end##*

September 13, 2010 at 06:11 PM



“ *Peg and John,*

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your whole family. Rich was an honorable and good man. He always had a smile on his face, we'll miss him###imported-begin###Sherry and Mike Macie###imported-end##

September 13, 2010 at 01:35 PM



“ Dear Peggy and family,
I was deeply saddened to see your son Richard had passed.. You are a wonderful person and have a beautiful family.. I am not quite sure why things happen to good people.. Trying to figure that out myself.. I seen Richard a few times the last couple of years.. He didnt remember me at first but filling in the blanks always did.. I would write it off to the sometimers.. And he would say I havent caught up to you yet or have I.. And we would chuckle and smile and be on our way.. But Ms. Peggy after Aunt Alice passed I took you on as a surrogate Aunt.. There is nothing I wouldnt do that you need.. Please do not hesitate to ever call.. My thoughts and prayers are with you all..

Love,
Patty, Bryan, Ashley, & Kaitlin Ciccone.. Also my Mom sends her prayers Joan Smith###imported-begin###Patricia Smith/Ciccone###imported-end##

September 13, 2010 at 08:43 AM



“ My condolences to the family and friends of AFD Lt Richard Coleman.###imported-begin###Russell Cole, Empire Ambualnce Service###imported-end##

September 12, 2010 at 08:55 PM



“ My heart is truly broken, you will be missed. You will never be forgotten.###imported-begin###M E###imported-end##

September 12, 2010 at 05:53 PM



“ Our love and prayers to all of you. Rick will be missed by many!##imported-begin##Val, Don and Jonathan##imported-end##

September 12, 2010 at 03:49 PM



“ We will all miss Richie. He was a great guy and fun to work with. Our deepest sympathy to all of his family. Joe Tumonis and family.##imported-begin##Joe Tumonis and family##imported-end##

September 12, 2010 at 03:18 PM



“ I remember Rich as a Kid, and the day he came on the AFD. Rich was a very warm and wonderful guy. You sure going to be missed! You will be remembered. Ret AFD- Peter Mahan##imported-begin##Peter Mahan##imported-end##

September 12, 2010 at 10:07 AM



“ Sharon~ I'm so sorry to hear about Richard's passing. My heartfelt sympathy to you, Chelsea, Eric & Jamie. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Michelle Passonno-Littlejohn##imported-end##

September 12, 2010 at 08:51 AM



“ Sharon, Our prayers are with you and your family. Richie will be missed.##imported-begin##Bill Moore##imported-end##

September 12, 2010 at 07:28 AM



“ *Take care Ice-Man. You FP!*###imported-begin##Mark
Panza###imported-end##

September 11, 2010 at 06:23 PM