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KIRK

September 22nd, 2020

FREEPORT, IL – Rick S Kirk of Freeport Illinois, formerly of Stockton Illinois, passed away on September 15th ,2020 at Walnut Acres Nursing Center, Freeport Illinois. He was born May 31st, 1953 in Freeport Illinois.

He was the son of Rush “Peco” and Alice (Donahue) Kirk. He attended Holy Cross Grade School and graduated in 1971 from Stockton High School. After graduating from high school, he worked for the FBI in Washington D.C. in the finger printing division. After one year with the FBI, he enlisted in the United States Army and served for three years. For two years he was stationed in Germany. Following his Honorable Discharge, he returned to Stockton Illinois. He then took a job with Micro Switch/Honeywell in Freeport retiring in 2008.

On April 30th, 1983 Rick was united in marriage to Stephanie Carpenter in Freeport Illinois. Rick was an avid vegetable gardener and fiercely loyal fan of the Cubs, Bulls, and “Da Bears”.

Rick is survived by a daughter, Rebecca Kirk of Boynton Beach, Florida, a granddaughter, Madison Kirk of Boynton Beach, Florida; his siblings Diane (Jon) Katifman of Stockton Illinois, Tim (Linda) Kirk of Mt .Carroll Illinois, Chris (Jim) Eastwood of Modesto California, Step Brothers Art (Jan) Leverington of Cedarville Illinois and Jim {Mary} Leverington of Pearl City Illinois.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his sister Karen Paul, his brother-in-law Donald Paul and his Step-Father Marion Leverington.

As per Rick’s request, his body was donated to science-Science Care Company. A memorial service will be at a later date.

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