



## Richard A. Rickrode, Sr.

November 11, 1928 - June 5, 2015

Richard A. Rickrode, Sr., age 86 of Moundsville died Friday, June 5, 2015 at Mound View Health Care Center, Moundsville.

He was born November 11, 1928 in Leetesdale, PA son of the late Luther and Toye Midcap Rickrode.

Richard was retired from LCP Chemical Plant, a US Army veteran of WWII and a member of the Earl Francis Post #3 American Legion, Moundsville.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by his wife: Betty Rickrode; one sister: Mildred Lafallete; one brother: Kenneth Rickrode and a step-son: Thomas Robbins.

Survivors include one son: Richard A. (Norma) Rickrode, Jr. of Moundsville; one step-daughter: Linda (Neil) Soeder of NC; two grandsons: Scott Rickrode of Moundsville and Mag. Shawn Rickrode of RI and a great grandson: Brooks Manfield.

There will be no visitation. Interment will be held at the convenience of the family in Riverview Cemetery, Moundsville.

Arrangements entrusted to Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Ave., Moundsville.

# Cemetery Details

## **Riverview Cemetery**

Round Bottom Hill Rd.  
Moundsville, WV

# Tribute Wall

SR

“ *The passing of Richard Rickrode, my father-in-law, was heartbreaking. He and my husband, Tom Robbins loved each other dearly. He was always kind and caring with me. He was also a wonderful grandfather to our 4 children. He is sadly missed.*

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**Sherry Robbins** - June 20, 2015 at 02:39 PM

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“ *When someone you love like "Dick" my stepfather, who rests now in Heaven with Mom, my brother Tom and other family members; we have been blessed with many treasured memories that will live on in our hearts. With Love, Linda, Neil, grand children, great grand children and one Great-Great Grandson Kolton Scott.*



*John 3:16*

*For God so loved the World that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.*

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**Linda Soeder** - June 12, 2015 at 07:59 PM

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“ We could not have asked for a better neighbor than Mr. Rickrode. My girls absolutely adored him. He was always giving them candy and cupcakes. He even bought treats for our dogs. I was always reminded of Dennis the menace, bc my girls would always yell "hey, mr. Rickrode!!" whenever they saw him. Everytime I heard them, I always thought about when Dennis would yell " hey, mr. Wilson!", and it always made me smile. We are priveledged to have had him as our neighbor and friend for the past 13 years. We will always hold a special place in our hearts for him. We are very saddened by his loss. Our home will not be the same without him.

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**Rebecca mooses** - June 07, 2015 at 08:22 PM

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*Please know we are praying for comfort for your family.*

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**Rebecca mooses** - June 07, 2015 at 08:24 PM

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*My sister and I have many good memories of this man that we called Uncle Dick. He use to bury us in the sand when all the other adults would be playing cards. He was just a very special man. We'll miss you Uncle Dick.....God bless*

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**Bobbi Taylor** - June 09, 2015 at 11:04 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time*

*May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

*May your memories of Richard A. Rickrode, Sr., give you peace, comfort and strength...*

*Rest now in the arms of our Lord your work on earth is complete.*

*I thank you for your service and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.*

*My thoughts and prayers are with the family of..... US Army WW II Veteran, Richard A. Rickrode, Sr., “A True American Hero” God Bless†*

*† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*



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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - June 06, 2015 at 05:24 AM**