



Richard "Rick" Arntz

March 21, 1953 - July 22, 2025

Richard "Rick" Arntz, age 72, of Harbor Beach, passed away unexpectedly on July 22, 2025. A devoted husband, father, grandfather, and friend, Richard's warm presence, sense of humor, and deep love for his family will be forever missed.

Born to Kenneth and Patricia Arntz, Richard grew up with his siblings Karen, Kim, Deborah, Dennis, and Chris. On September 20, 1975, he married the love of his life, Joan (Leisse), with whom he shared nearly 50 wonderful years. Together they built a loving home and raised four children: Jessica (Kevin) Booms, Michael (Colleen), Jason, and Holly (Patrick) Miller.

Richard was happiest when surrounded by his family. He enjoyed fishing, sitting by a campfire, and watching sports with his loyal dogs Chloe and Mela by his side. His quick wit and gentle teasing made him a favorite among the grandkids—Airyn (daughter of Jason), Ava and Caden (children of Michael and Colleen), Jake, Evan and Noah (children of Jessica and Kevin), and baby Madison (daughter of Holly and Patrick). He is also survived by his mother-in-law Virginia Leisse, many brother and sister in-laws, neices, and nephews. He had a unique way of making each one feel special and loved.

He is preceded in death by his beloved son Jason, his parents Kenneth and Patricia, father-in-law Harry Leisse, and sister Deborah. While the loss is immeasurable, the memories Richard leaves behind are a lasting comfort to all who knew him.

Visitation will take place at Ramsey Funeral Home in Harbor Beach on Saturday, July 26, 2025, from 2:00 PM to 8:00 PM, and again on Sunday, July 27, from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM. Due to scheduling conflicts, the funeral service will follow at the funeral home at 2:00 PM.

Richard's legacy is one of love, laughter, and dedication to his family. He will be remembered always and missed deeply.

Cemetery Details

OLLH Church Cemetery

Harbor Beach, MI 48441

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 26. 2:00 PM (ET)

Ramsey Funeral Home, Inc
425 State St
Harbor Beach, MI 48441
(989) 479-3407
<https://www.ramseyfh.com>

Funeral Service

JUL 27. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CK

“ *Coleen Karas lit a candle in memory of Richard "Rick" Arntz*



Coleen Karas - July 26, 2025 at 08:00 PM

TO

“ *Terry Osentoski lit a candle in memory of Richard "Rick" Arntz*



Terry Osentoski - July 26, 2025 at 07:31 PM

JE

“ *Jeremy Ezqck lit a candle in memory of Richard "Rick" Arntz*



Jeremy Ezqck - July 26, 2025 at 01:45 AM

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Jeremy Ezack - July 26, 2025 at 01:47 AM

MO

“ Mike & Peggy ONeil lit a candle in memory of Richard "Rick" Arntz



Mike & Peggy ONeil - July 25, 2025 at 07:07 PM

TF

“ The Warren & Smith Families purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Richard "Rick" Arntz.



The Warren & Smith Families - July 25, 2025 at 02:50 PM

HB

“ Hunter's bar purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Richard "Rick" Arntz.



Hunter's bar - July 25, 2025 at 02:09 PM

LC

“ Love, The Cole's purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Richard "Rick" Arntz.



Love, The Cole's - July 25, 2025 at 10:10 AM

SL

“ Sue Lloyd lit a candle in memory of Richard "Rick" Arntz



Sue Lloyd - July 25, 2025 at 08:38 AM

BH

“ Bonnie Hurren lit a candle in memory of Richard "Rick" Arntz



Bonnie Hurren - July 25, 2025 at 08:22 AM

DM

“ Dave & Deb Morley lit a candle in memory of Richard "Rick" Arntz



Dave & Deb Morley - July 25, 2025 at 08:09 AM

LS

“ Lex Snow purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Richard "Rick" Arntz.



Lex Snow - July 25, 2025 at 08:05 AM

JF

“ Rick was a fun loving person ,to his family n friends,always had fun at the garage get togethers,will b missed by many! Will b praying for comfort to his family from our family!

James Ezack family - July 24, 2025 at 10:48 PM

JF

James Ezack family!

James Ezack family - July 24, 2025 at 10:49 PM

BH

Joan and family i am so sorry to hear about Rick, hugs and prayers for you all. I'll always remember how much fun we all had in our younger years. Much love and God Bless! 🙏❤️

Bonnie Hurren - July 25, 2025 at 07:15 AM

BW

Joan and family we are so sorry to hear of Rick's passing. Heaven has gained a very special Angel. We send our love and prayers of comfort as you go through this heartbreaking transition. May your precious memories fill your thoughts and warm your hearts in the difficult days ahead.💔💔💔 Love and miss you guys, Tom and Bonnie Wood

Bonnie Wood - July 26, 2025 at 11:41 PM