



## Richard Lynn Dye

May 3, 1938 - February 14, 2023

Richard Lynn Dye, 84, of Gas City passed away on Tuesday, February 14, 2023, at home surrounded by family. Richard was born on May 3, 1938 in Iola, the son of Edward Neil and Mildred Grace (Davis) Dye.

Richard grew up in DeSoto, Kansas and graduated from DeSoto High School in 1956. On October 13, 1960, Richard married Joyce Barnes in Iola, they were married for 60 years until her passing on January 15, 2021. Richard was a very ornery man that loved to go fishing and when he was younger, he loved to hunt. When he wasn't busy working or fishing, Richard loved spending time with his grandchildren, taking his dogs out on car rides to count the wildlife that they saw, and watching the Kansas City Chiefs, Kansas Jayhawks basketball, and the Kansas City Royals.

The family would like to give a special thanks to Butch Tomlinson and Mike Smith. Richard will be missed by all who knew him.

Richard is survived by his two daughters: Allison Collins of Iola and Regina Robb of Iola, his son Keith Yocham (Beccy) of Lenexa, his sister Eileen Bailey of Nevada, his brother Steve Dye of California, six grandchildren: Miles Collins of Arkansas, Tyler Collins (Alicia) of Yates Center, Julie Defebaugh (Joe) of Chanute, Alexandria King, Kale King (Becky), MaKayla Robb all of Iola and fourteen great-grandchildren.

Richard was preceded in death by his parents, wife Joyce and brothers Clyde Falls, Neil Dye, Tracey Dye, and Kenneth Dye.

Cremation has been requested with no service at this time. Memorials have

been suggested to the family to help with funeral expenses and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home. Services entrusted to Countryside Funeral Home 101 N. Highland, Chanute, Kansas 66720.

# Tribute Wall

RH

“ Thinking of you all. Prayers and Hugs My friends Becky Hedman

Rebecca A Hedman - February 20, 2023 at 07:56 PM

RH

“ Rebecca Hedman lit a candle in memory of Richard Dye



Rebecca A Hedman - February 20, 2023 at 07:54 PM

SD

“ Steve Dye lit a candle in memory of Richard Dye



Steve Dye - February 17, 2023 at 05:41 PM

AC

Thank you Uncle Steve

Allison Collins - February 19, 2023 at 08:11 AM

CN

“ I remember when I was young, probably before kindergarten, when he was in the hospital for his broken ankle. We visited him there and I wanted to sit on his lap. I'm sure my dad said no, but Uncle Richard pulled me up into his lap. He was such a warm, loving man and never made me feel as if I were a nuisance, although I'm sure I had my days. Love you, Uncle Richard, I will miss you!

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**Claudia Nolen** - February 17, 2023 at 12:07 AM

RR

*Thank you so much Claudia we love you*

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**Regina Robb** - February 18, 2023 at 11:29 AM

AC

*Thank you Claudia*

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**Allison Collins** - February 19, 2023 at 08:11 AM

AC

*Thank you Claudia*

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**Allison Collins** - February 19, 2023 at 08:13 AM

EM

“ thoughts and prayers go out to the family.RIP Richard

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**Earl and Janice Maloney** - February 16, 2023 at 09:16 PM

RR

*Thank you*

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**Regina Robb** - February 18, 2023 at 11:28 AM

AC

*Thank you*

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**Allison Collins** - February 19, 2023 at 08:12 AM

TS

“ *Theresa Dan Strunk lit a candle in memory of Richard Dye*



Theresa & Dan Strunk - February 16, 2023 at 06:48 PM

AC

*Thank you*

Allison Collins - February 19, 2023 at 08:14 AM

DD

“ *Uncle Richard we only met once but your bright smile and open arms made me feel most welcomed to the Dye family. Soar high and fly far. Blessed be.*

Donna Dye - February 16, 2023 at 03:28 PM

AC

*Thank you Donna*

Allison Collins - February 19, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Richard Lynn Dye.*



February 16, 2023 at 03:25 PM

DD

“ Donna Dye lit a candle in memory of Richard Dye



Donna Dye - February 16, 2023 at 03:06 PM

MM

“ marlene morgan sent a virtual gift in memory of Richard Dye



marlene morgan - February 16, 2023 at 02:53 PM

G(

“ He was a funny man n will b missed. My thoughts n prayers r with u all love u all

Gerri Gray (Roush) - February 16, 2023 at 01:56 PM

SD

“ There are way too many wonderful memories to share in this space so I'll just say this: he was like a Surrogate dad to me. I loved him very much and will truly miss him.  
Steve Dye

Steve Dye - February 16, 2023 at 12:18 PM

AC

Thank you Uncle Steve. Love you

Allison Collins - February 19, 2023 at 07:46 PM