



Richard J. Hodgkins III

May 14, 1986 - April 15, 2017

Richard J. "Ricky" Hodgkins III, 30, of Hamden, passed away suddenly on April 15th, 2017 at Yale-New Haven Hospital. He was born May 14th, 1986 in New Haven son of Richard J. Hodgkins II of Hamden and the late Margaret O'Neill Hodgkins. He was a graduate of Hamden High School and Gateway C.C. from where he earned an Associates Degree in computer science. He also had attended Central CT State University.. Ricky was employed as a sales associate at Marshall's and also Men's Warehouse and also worked with his father in the family business, Hodgkins Photo. At one time he had served an internship at the New Haven Register. . In addition to his father he is survived by his step mother Phyllis Powell - Hodgkins of Hamden, his grandmother Frances Hodgkins of FL, uncles and aunts Peter and Karen Hodgkins of Virginia and their children Megan and Kelly Hodgkins and Wesley and Mary Bergazzi of North Carolina and their children Michael and Sara Bergazzi. Rick loved life. He adored his family, enjoyed gourmet cooking, walking his dog, Wookie, and playing high tech video games with friends. His life was not easy but he always made the best of any given situation.

Funeral service will be held Thursday morning at 10:00 in St. Johns Episcopal Church, North Haven . Burial will follow in All Saints Cemetery. Friends may call at Sisk Brothers Funeral Home, 3105 Whitney Ave., Hamden on WEDNESDAY from 5 - 8 pm. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Pulmonary Hypertension Assoc. (PHA) 801 Roeder Rd. Suite 1000, Silver Spring, MD 20910. www.siskbrothers.com

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

700 Middletown Ave.
North Haven, CT

Previous Events

Calling hours

APR 19. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Sisk Brothers Funeral Home
3105 Whitney Ave.
Hamden, CT 06518
(203) 288-7114
siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net

Funeral service

APR 20. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Johns Episcopal Church
North Haven, CT

Tribute Wall

KY

“ *Condolences to the family. Lots of love.*

Kyle

Kyle - April 24, 2017 at 06:52 PM

ST

“ *I had physics class with Ricky in high school and he was always a joy to be around. He was always making jokes and had a really positive energy that he carried with him everywhere. He was such a sweet and caring soul. I will miss Ricky. Sending my condolences, and lots of light and love.*

Sarah Tankoos - April 20, 2017 at 07:28 PM



“ *SO sorry to hear of your loss. Thank you for letting us know - we were not aware. Thinking of you. Jackie and Fred Dunn*

Jacqueline Dunn - April 20, 2017 at 05:36 PM

RH

“ *Rich and family:*

So sorry for your loss. I loved your son Ricky. I used to love when in come into the Register office and visit. He had such a great outlook on life. His infectious laugh was awesome! and what a sense humor. His "impish" grin was priceless. Take care and know that my thoughts and prayers are with you this day.
Russ Hovick

Russell Hovick - April 20, 2017 at 08:30 AM

TY

“ *I met Richard a few years ago when I worked at Marshall's, he was a very pleasant and respectable young man with a heart of gold. Rich may you Rest In Peace, you will never be forgotten.*

Tracey Young - April 19, 2017 at 08:00 PM

VD

“ Valerie & Darrell purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Richard J. Hodgkins III.



Valerie & Darrell - April 19, 2017 at 06:55 PM

Brianna
Etter
Speaker

“ It has been years but I remember the days of Spring Garden Street to when you all moved into my neighborhood. The years have separated us but I will never forget Ricky. Rick was one of the most kindest gentlest people and friend I ever met. We agreed early before senior year to go to prom when neither of us had a date and we kept to that and went as friends. I send my condolences to your family. Rick will be missed and never forgotten.



Brianna Etter Speaker - April 19, 2017 at 01:32 PM



“ Cheryl's Classic Gift Bundle was purchased for the family of Richard J. Hodgkins III.



April 19, 2017 at 12:03 PM

RM

“ Robert Martinchek lit a candle in memory of Richard J. Hodgkins III



Robert Martinchek - April 19, 2017 at 10:57 AM

LD

“ Larry and Peggy Day purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Richard J. Hodgkins III.



Larry and Peggy Day - April 19, 2017 at 10:50 AM

RI

“ 8 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Richard J Hodgkins II - April 19, 2017 at 10:15 AM



“ *Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray* was purchased for the family of *Richard J. Hodgkins III*.



April 19, 2017 at 08:51 AM

AN

“ *Rich,*

My heartfelt condolences to you and your family!!!

*Anthony Lucibello
Eli Whitney*

anthony - April 19, 2017 at 08:29 AM

BU

“ *Our family had the pleasure of seeing Rick grow up up into a young man. He had his challenges in life but regardless he overcame and he had a smile for you. He is in our thoughts and hearts and we will always remember the good times and what he meant and contributed to the quality of life for all that he encountered. Rich and Phyllis, please know that my heart is in pain for you both. Love you guys. Burgess*

Burgess - April 19, 2017 at 07:39 AM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Richard J. Hodgkins III.



April 19, 2017 at 05:44 AM

BM

“ Ricky will always be in my heart. He had a beautiful soul. He was a kind, thoughtful and generous young man who always had time for you. He had a great sense of humour and loved to tease his mom in a very endearing manner. I will miss our times together when I stayed with the family.

Barbara

Barbara McCrae - April 19, 2017 at 04:33 AM

FK

“ Fiona, Dominic and Kyle purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Richard J. Hodgkins III.



Fiona, Dominic and Kyle - April 19, 2017 at 03:36 AM

EM

“ Rich

I'm really sorry to hear about Ricky. My thoughts are with you and your family at this difficult time.

Ed Menta

Ed Menta - April 18, 2017 at 09:13 PM

PL

“ *Peter Lugenbeel lit a candle in memory of Richard J. Hodgkins III*



Peter Lugenbeel - April 18, 2017 at 07:12 PM

BT

“ *to Rich and Phyllis- We are so shocked and profoundly saddened by the death of your son. Words can't express how much our hearts go out to you. The photos you shared seem to really capture his spirit and love which continues in you and those he loved. May the support of your family and friends and all of your memories sustain you in the weeks and months to come. Beth Thompson and Len Westra*

Beth Thompson - April 18, 2017 at 04:23 PM

EA

“ *to Rich, your wife and all your large family. My heart pours out for you. Such a blessed life Ricky had with such a large family and the love I saw in the photos.*

My deepest heart felt wishes for you and your family. May his happy memories live on in all your hearts.

*Ed Armstrong
Eli Whitney*

edwin armstrong - April 18, 2017 at 02:23 PM

BS

“ *Bryan, Carlos, Manny, Miguel and Susan purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Richard J. Hodgkins III.*



Bryan, Carlos, Manny, Miguel and Susan - April 18, 2017 at 11:45 AM



“ 84 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Sisk Brothers Funeral Home - April 18, 2017 at 10:58 AM

MM

“ *Michell Martin sent a virtual gift in memory of Richard J. Hodgkins III*



Michell Martin - April 18, 2017 at 04:39 AM

SJ

I didn't know your son on a personal level, he helped me at Marshalls and was the nicest young man. My heart goes out to you for your loss. He will absolutely be remembered by many. Sandy

sandy Johnen - April 25, 2017 at 01:24 PM