



Richard Corral

August 6, 1958 - March 18, 2012

Richard Corral, age 53, a lifetime resident of Moses Lake, WA., passed away Sunday, March 18, 2012, after a long battle with Huntington's Disease.

Richard had been living at the Washington State Soldier's Home in Orting, WA for the past 4 years.

Richard was born in Moses Lake, WA on August 6, 1958 to Robert A. Corral and Maria Del Socorro Corral. Richard spent most of his childhood years playing and working on the family farm, located in Moses Lake. He loved working on cars and rebuilding engines. At any given time you could find Richard reading car magazines and getting all the new and latest ideas. Richard also enjoyed the outdoors and took an interest in photography. He grew up with three brothers, Daniel, Robert, and Edward Corral.

Richard was employed on the family farm for approximately 4 years after graduating from high school. In 1980, Richard married Mary Butterworth, and shortly after, they had their first child, Andrew. During January of 1983, Richard joined the United States Army (as a Hawk Missile Radar Operator) and attended basic training at Ft. Bliss, Texas. He was then stationed at Kitzigen, W. Germany (Larsen Barracks), and then back to Ft. Bliss, TX. At the completion of his military service, Richard decided to move back to Washington State. Once back home, he was employed with Steve Jorgensen Farms for several years. He later obtained his journeyman's license as an

electrician and became employed with Lad Irrigation, working on pivot circles, until his retirement.

Richard was preceded in death by his Father Robert A. Corral, Mother (Francis) Corral, and brother Edward Corral. Richard is survived by 4 children and 3 grandchildren. Andrew W. (Andy) and Erica Corral, Pasco, WA.; Tawnie M. Corral, Warden, WA.; Casey R. and Nicole Corral, W. Richland, WA.; and Alisha M Corral, Warden, WA. Richard has 3 grandchildren; Nicholas and Avah Corral, Pasco, WA.; and Nalani M. Garza, Warden.

There will a memorial service for the immediate family only. The date will be set at a later time.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Huntington's Disease Society. The website is hdsa.org/donations.

Please sign the online guestbook or leave a note for the family at www.kayser-schapel.com

Tribute Wall



“ Richard was a gentle caring man who will be missed by all who knew him. We will remember Richard for the wonderful man that he was and realize he is in a better place, without pain. Our thoughts and prayers go out his children Andy, Casey, Tawnie and Alisha, along with his siblings Danny and Cindy who will be impacted by this loss the most. We will hold our fond memories close to our hearts and remember that no one is ever really gone if they are remembered.##imported-begin##Robin & Kimmie Marchmonte##imported-end##

March 27, 2012 at 01:33 PM



“ Hey dad, I love you and miss you terribly. But I know that you couldn't be happier and healthier than you are now. You will always be in mine and Nalani's heart. I know that you are watching over us, protecting us, and loving us just as much as we love you. We love you forever dad/grandpa.##imported-begin##Tawnie Corral##imported-end##

March 23, 2012 at 08:04 PM



“ Richard,
You will live on in my treasured memories of working with you, a fine and gentle man. Bon voyage my friend.
Chuck Warren##imported-begin##Chuck Warren##imported-end##

March 23, 2012 at 11:14 AM



“ Dear friends and family of Richard... We have posted your dad's tribute on our page at facebook Please come join the site and share some memories with us. We all express our condolences to each of you who know and love Richard. It is heartening to learn of his longtime association with so many of us from the Columbia Basin including the Updegraves (Lad) and Jorgensens and so many others of our growing up years. Sincerely your friend,
David###imported-begin##David Miles Oman###imported-end##

March 22, 2012 at 10:09 AM



“ We know you are at a better place watching over us! We love you and miss you and there is not one day that passes that we dont think about you!!###imported-begin##Erica Corral###imported-end##

March 21, 2012 at 07:45 PM



“ You will be missed dearly dad. I love you.###imported-begin##Andrew Corral###imported-end##

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