



Richard J. Barzanti Jr.

February 19, 1959 - September 8, 2025

Richard James “Rick” Barzanti, Jr., 66, of Dilliner, Pa., died unexpectedly Monday, September 8, 2025 at his home. Born in Morgantown, W.Va. on Feb. 19, 1959, he was a son of the late Margaret “Peggy” (Courtney) and Richard J. Barzanti, Sr.

A 1977 graduate of Mapletown High School, Rich also honorably served in the U.S. Navy from 1985 – 89. He retired several years ago as an information technology specialist with the Mon General Hospital and HealthSouth Rehab Center.

He is survived by his one brother, William Barzanti and wife Kerryann of Dilliner; he was the favorite "Uncle Rick" and always looked out for his three nephews, Alexander, Santino and Vincenzo; several cousins and their families, and many friends. Always the life of any party, Rich will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Also deceased is his brother, Michael, in 2018.

Friends and family will be received in the Richard R. Herod Funeral Home, Point Marion, on Saturday, September 27th, from 2 -4 and 6 - 8 PM. Private interment will be in Highland Cemetery, Davistown.

Cemetery Details

Highland Cemetery

Steel Hill Road
Mount Morris, PA 15349

Previous Events

Gathering of Family and Friends

SEP 27. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Herod-Rishel Funeral Home
501 Morgantown Street
Point Marion, PA 15474
(724) 725-5245
rishel@atlanticbb.net
<https://www.herod-rishel.com>

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SEP 27. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TK

“ I didn't know Rick had passed until a few minutes ago. I'm sorry to hear this. He was a character. I met him when I was a reporter. My colleague, Bob, and I always enjoyed covering the board meetings and getting to talk to Rick. I had a few fun evenings sharing a beer with Rick and b.s.ing. He is missed

Tara Kinsell - October 07, 2025 at 07:06 PM



“ I worked with Rick in the '80s when he was in the Navy. We both worked at AIMD Power Plants at NAS North Island. We had some good times back then. Rest in peace, my friend. Till we meet again.

Pam Skaggs - October 07, 2025 at 04:41 PM

KG

“ Was sad when Rick left us in Mon General's IT Department as we interacted a lot and I could always count on him. Happy that he found a good new work home, though. He was intelligent, helpful, efficient, and full of opinions and interesting tales. My sympathies to all who loved him.

Kristie Gregory - September 26, 2025 at 12:03 PM

MM

“ I worked with Rick at HealthSouth for several years in the early 2000's. His humor and wit were a welcome change from behavior of most of the other "higher ups" we had to endure. We became fast friends and I respected his knowledge and expertise. He was truly one of the good guys, whom I considered a friend. Fly High my friend, you will be missed!

Marty Mullins - September 25, 2025 at 05:05 PM

JM

“ John and Tracie McKinney purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Richard J. Barzanti Jr..



John and Tracie McKinney - September 24, 2025 at 04:05 PM

KH

“ My condolences to the Barzanti family. Bill n KerryAnn so sorry to hear about Rick. Terry n Joann sorry for you loss also. May Rick RIP 🙏



Karen Hughes - September 19, 2025 at 03:27 PM

JW

“ Rest in peace Pinko.. I will miss our bantering and quoting lines from Goodfellas.

Jimmy Wilkins - September 14, 2025 at 10:16 PM

VC

“ I enjoyed many years of working with Rick at Mon General Hospital’s IT department. We remained FB friends after we both retired, and looked forward everyday to see what he had posted. My condolences to his family and friends. Vicki Conner

Vicki Conner - September 13, 2025 at 03:43 PM

TB

“ Bill Kerry and Boys, I can't begin to tell you how much he meant to me also having something to talk about at our coffee sections especially talking about the people in Bobtown we grew up with he knew a lot of people and he surely will be missed. Until we meet again i guess it is coffee alone. Rest in Peace cuz.



Terry Joann Barzanti - September 12, 2025 at 09:01 AM

DD

“ Our dear friend Rick. We are so sorry to hear of your passing. You kept up laughing for over 60 years. Your imitations, jokes of all kinds, remarks that made use roll in laughter.
Going through Bobtown Elementary and Mapletown, you definitely earned class clown
We will miss you so much, gone too soon. Together we almost got kicked out of Herods Funeral Home for laughing so loud. You we like a brother to your classmates. You made the class of 77.
Remember SHOEHORN !!!
I CAN GO ON. So many friends you made. I will not say goodbye, but until we meet again. Dont put a "no vacancy sign" on heavens gates and last but not least leave the angels alone!!! He's still watching you. We love you Rick, thanks for the memories.
Remember all of us at The Faust house, hayrides and bonfires. Too much to mention. Thank you for being in so many chapters in our lives. Deeply saddened. We won't forget you. From Denise and so many classmates.

Denise Desmet - September 11, 2025 at 07:55 PM

DD

P.S. Don't get kicked off Heavens Facebook.

Denise Desmet - September 11, 2025 at 08:10 PM



One of the greatest guys I ever knew. He made my graduation party the most rememberable thing. Gonna miss you PINKO ❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️



Karen Shorraw - September 13, 2025 at 01:23 AM