



## Richard M. Bauer Jr.

October 10, 1951 - March 9, 2015

Hampton - Richard M. Bauer, Jr., 63, of Hampton, died from complications associated with an infection March 9, 2015, surrounded by his loving family.

He was born October 10th 1951 in Valley Forge, Penn. a son of the late Richard M. and Amelia (Killian) Bauer, Sr. Richard and his late brother Doug grew up in Newark, Delaware. Richard graduated from the University of Maine at Orono with a degree in mechanical and electrical engineering. He also played for their hockey and baseball clubs.

Richard ran his own business, Bauer Engineering, since 1989 in Hampton where he spent most of his life. He was always physically active and even hit a home run last summer in a baseball league of men half his age.

Richard had a faith in God and knowledge of the Bible admired by those who knew him. He was an active member of Hampton Falls First Baptist Church for over 30 years. Through this church he led youth group, served on several committees, travelled on mission's trips to Mexico and Kenya, and was a deacon. Anytime someone in the church was in the hospital, he visited with them. They all returned the favor to him in his last days on Earth. Richard was an amazing husband, father and friend. He had a unique sense of humor, and enduring faith right until the very end.

He is survived by his loving wife, Sandra W. Bauer, 4 children, Cynthia Bauer, Minna Bauer, Andrew Bauer, and Julie-Ann Burkhardt, daughter in law, Kate Bauer and son in law, Jacob Burkhardt, 3 grandchildren, Ellie and Emmie Bauer, and Leowen Burkhardt, a mother-in-law, Virginia Wilbur, a sister-in-law , Beverly Bauer Boatright, and a brother-in-law Randall Wilbur.

Visiting hours will be held from 6-8 P.M. Friday March 13, 2015 in the fellowship hall at the Hampton Falls First Baptist Church, 3 Lincoln Avenue, Hampton Falls. A celebration of Richard's life will be held at 1 P.M. Saturday, March 14, 2015 in the sanctuary of the Hampton Falls First Baptist Church with light reception to follow.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to his daughter Cynthia's organization that supports children with disabilities in Kenya, "Kupenda for the Children", P.O. Box 473, Hampton, NH 03843 or go to [www.kupenda.org](http://www.kupenda.org). Assistance with the arrangements was by the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory, Hampton.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Hampton Falls  
3 Lincoln Avenue  
Hampton Falls, NH 03844  
(603) 926-3724

## Celebration of Life

MAR 14. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I am getting ready to buy a place in Maine and thought I would look Dick up. I knew Dick from 7th grade on and we used to play a lot of baseball and touch football over our high school years. He used to hang out with two of my other good friends John Grundy and Art James. To me, Dick was a big guy with a big heart and someone who was easy to get along with. I guess the last time I saw Dick was at a high school reunion. I am sorry I won't be able to reestablish a good friendship when we start spending our summers in Maine.  
God Bless, Dan Shaw

Daniel Shaw - November 30, 2024 at 05:45 PM



“ Richard M. Bauer Jr.

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM

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“ Frank lit a candle in memory of Richard M. Bauer Jr.



Frank - May 16, 2015 at 03:58 PM

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I was sad to hear of Dick's passing, as a member of Vanguard (vision) fitness in No. Hampton i will remember Dick for his countless sit ups and kind personality. My deepest sympathy to the Bauer family. Frank Hampton NH

Frank - May 16, 2015 at 04:05 PM

SA

“ Dick was my husband for 42 1/2 years. He was the father of our four children. They and I will miss him until we meet again in heaven. He was such a man of God as can be testified by his Bible that is held together with a rubber band.

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**Sandy** - April 01, 2015 at 09:54 PM

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“ We will be forever grateful to Dick and Sandy for the compassion, love and faith they demonstrated by adopting our future daughter-in-law, Julie Ann Burkhart, as an infant in the Philippines. The fruits of those qualities are testified to everyday by their children in the wonderful work they do in trying to improve the lives of others. The memory of Dick may eventually fade, but his legacy will be felt in the many generations to come.

*Linda & Ernie Burkhart*

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**Linda Burkhart** - March 12, 2015 at 11:19 PM

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“ Dick was my brother-in-law. He was my first husband's only sibling. Doug was killed in a single engine head on plane crash on June 17, 2003 near our home in Boca Raton, FL, which also happened to be Dick and Sandy's anniversary. Dick stepped up to the plate for both my children and me many many times over the past 12 years. He called us faithfully over the years to check up on us, always adding that he loved us and was praying for us. He was there for both my children's HS graduations and my daughter, Brittany's college graduation this past year at Furman U in Greenville, SC. Dick even checked out Charlie, my husband for the past 7 years and totally embraced our relationship and marriage, treating him as a brother, tho he was only a brother in the Lord, grafted into the Bauer family. Charlie, Brittany, and I spent Christmas with the Dick and the Bauer family in NH in 2013, one year ago, and stayed in their home. Dick always carried his worn out Bible around, he loved God and his family and had a heart for those in need, like myself and my family. We will forever be grateful for the love he has shown his only brother's family.

*Beverly Bauer-Boatright*

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**Beverly Bauer-Boatright** - March 12, 2015 at 11:17 AM