



## Franklyn Rivera

July 10, 2008

Rivera, Franklyn Anthony Age 39, of Mpls, passed away 07/06/ 2008.  
Survived by fiancée, Jessica; parents, Helen & Alfred; sons, Kieran and Eli;  
brothers, Tony and Alfred Jr. Service Thurs., 07/10/2008, 2:00 PM at:  
Washburn-McReavy Davies Chapel 612-377-2203 2301 Dupont Ave S.

# Tribute Wall



“ 4 years ago. Wow. Miss you, Frank.

July 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Still miss you....I think about you nearly everyday.Scenery.

January 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Frank--I was hanging out with your old homeslice roommate the other day....it was her birthday. We shared a couple of stories. It was lovely. You are still missed by both of us everyday.Keep smilin' friend. xo

July 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Message from Franks Aunt; Sadly letting all know that Helen(Franks Mother) passaway on Sunday Morning March 26th. She like Frank will surely be missed greatly by her Family ... Orlena

March 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ Oddly, I was just thinking of Frank on Thursday night, wishing he was at the Queers show at the Triple Rock. A guy up front kind of looked like him, so I enjoyed pretending it was.

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*Letta Page,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Letta Page** - December 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RV

“ We all miss Frank,it brings tears to my eyes wriying this, a good friend that can never be replaced. We love you my brother

~

Ray V,

Winnipeg, Manitoba

[Contact Me](#)

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Ray V - December 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

HR

“ Hello My Angel, Guess What? Kieran and Eli moved less than a mile from where you lived on Garfield St. OMG do you know if you were still here you would only be 0.62 miles from them, only a 2 min drive. Franklyn I miss you much and think of you at least a millions times a day. I hope I can see you soon. Bye for now my Baby..... I love you and miss you!!!!XXOOXX Mom

~

*Helen Romero,*

*Laguna Niguel, California*

*Contact Me*

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**Helen Romero** - October 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM



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*Helen Romero,*

*Laguna Niguel, California*

*Contact Me*

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**Helen Romero** - October 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

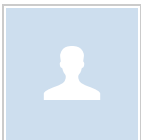


“ Hi Frank,I just found this site. I needed to look you up for some reason today. *\*\*sigh\*\**I miss you. Your quirky sense of humor, your crazy hair, your responsibly impulsive outlook, the way you'd con me into doing (almost)anything....all of those amazing memories. I look at that picture of us from one of Paul and Jeremy's cocktail parties, and it brings a smile to my face. You just had that effect on people. I knew the instant we met that we would be great friends. But then again, you already had a nickname for me, so I was sold!! am so proud to have known you. I think about you. Every. Day. I probably always will. You were one of my favorite people, and still are. I will come back here and visit from time to time. Share old memories when I need to....Til we met again, old friend,Your Scenery xo

[Contact Me](#)

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August 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Hey whats up? Just thought I'd use your line.. Miss you lots, keeping in touch with your boys, always will.Love you, Aunt Orlena

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July 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Thank you Mike B.for remembering my baby. I still have not gotten over him being gone. We used to joke; he would tell "mom you can't follower me all over the nation". I did follow him to Minnesota, but I guess for now I can't follow him.....one day soon I hope too.Thanks again!!!

[Contact Me](#)

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July 14, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ I love and miss you so much my friend. Hope to see you again someday. You can tell me more of those jokes that made me cry from laughter. Miss you more and more with each passing day. F.A.R R.I.P.

~

*Mike B,*

*Columbia Heights, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Mike B** - July 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ ~

*Ray V,*

*Winnipeg, Manitoba*

*Contact Me*

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**Ray V** - June 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

HR

“ Hello My Angel, Couldn't sleep so I decided to write and let you know how much I miss you. Our birthdays are coming up wish we could be together to celebrate. Maybe soon we'll be together for always. Say hello to Grandma Grace & Harold. Love you my baby and miss you too. Love always, Mom.

~

*Helen Romero,*

*Laguna Niguel, California*

*Contact Me*

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**Helen Romero** - June 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Your light will forever shine.Miss you my Baby.Love Mom*

*Contact Me*

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March 29, 2010 at 12:00 AM

HR

“ Hey U.....It's Mom. I think of you always and continue to miss you so much.I Love you my Baby.Love you always and forever.Mom

~

*Helen Romero,*

*Laguna Niguel, California*

*Contact Me*

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**Helen Romero** - January 30, 2010 at 12:00 AM

HR

“ i miss my baby soo much i want to joiN him as soon as i caNI LOVE  
YOU MY BABY,MY ANGLE MY EVERTHINGMY EYRS MY SOUL  
MY LIFE \PLEASE COMEAND GET ME AS SOON AS YOU CAN i  
want to to be with you

~

*helen romero,*

*lafuna niguel, California*

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**helen romero** - September 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *always remembered and never forgotten you will stay in our hearts*

~

*Ray*

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August 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Already a year, still wish you were here....Aunt Orlena*

*Contact Me*

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August 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ well my Brother has been gone now for over a year...I still have a hard time accepting this but I have too...I really loved Him and wherever He is I hope he is happy and thinks about me once in a while...I will always love my Little Brother...

~

*Freddy*

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July 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ You will truly never be forgotten, Rest in Peace today.

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July 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ *Frank was one of the most assessable, kind persons I have met in my life. I'm sorry to see him go and will surely miss him.*

~

*Carissa Clark,*

*Los Angeles, California*

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**Carissa Clark** - March 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ *Frank, You were one of the best friends I ever had. You will be missed by all of your Canadian friends forever. Rest in Peace (dad), Loving you and Missing you always, Lisa*

~

*Lisa Johnson,*

*Winnipeg, Manitoba*

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**Lisa Johnson** - July 31, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ I will never forget all of the fun Frank, Norman and I had. Those 2 made me laugh and always were there to help me forget about the problems in my life. People like Frank are what life is all about. Please remember to be kind to one another, that is what Frank would do.

~

*ann meyers,*

*minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**ann meyers** - July 24, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Frank; Derek & I and you and Jess never got to make that mean meal that we always talked about. I thank you for being such a great individual. I am a better person thanks to your friendship, your smile, your warm heart and everything you ever said or did for me. I miss you. I am so happy that I had the chance to have a few drinks with your Mother and hear some of her cute stories about you. Jess I am so sorry....If you need anything please let me know what I can do. I am still in shock and so saddened... Love you buddy.

~

*Jen Harrison,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

**Jen Harrison** - July 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

Jl

“ I signed this guest book once already, but i just remembered and wanted to tell everyone something about Frank that makes me smile. We had been talking about starting a band, it was to be so rad. The first thing he gave me was the queers cd. he said " listen to this...this is what I want our band to sound like." i was cool with that. then he told me how he had it all planned out. The band was to be called The Heartbreaks. Our first album was going to be titled Boy meets Girl. The 2nd, Boy gets Girl, and our 3rd was Boy loses girl. He told me he had all the song titles figured out. Everything was so thought out it made me laugh. I asked him if he had written any songs, he said " No...I haven't got to that yet." I will always remember that. 3 albums so planned out, yet no songs. wish we could have jammed more in my basement. This year I will name my habanero salsa after frank....i just don't know what yet. thanks for all the memories, buddy.

~

Jonny Imperial,

MPLS, Minnesota

*Contact Me*

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**Jonny Imperial** - July 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ *Wow. i never ever will get to know you the way i should have. i'm devastated. you are an amazing soul.Besos siempre....Por Vida.*

~

*Sara,*

*Minnesota*

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**Sara** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ I don't even know what to say...who didn't love hanging out with Frank? I could always count on him to make me smile. My sympathies go out to those that were left behind.

~

Joye,

Appleton, Wisconsin

[Contact Me](#)

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**Joye** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ *Frank was an amazing friend and a wonderful man. I will miss him dearly.*

~

*Erin McIntosh,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Erin McIntosh** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ *frank-we were all better off with you here. mpls will not be the same w/o you. blessings for your family.*

~

*matt larsen,*

*slc, Utah*

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**matt larsen** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ I will miss your jokes at work and want you to know that "I Heart You"!

~

*ALisha Walden,*

*Mpls*

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**ALisha Walden** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“*Frank you were a great friend, roommate, and bandmate. You will be missed.*”

~

*Bucky*

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July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Rivera Family, Frank is a wonderful friend... a genuine character. He was quick with a smile or a joke and never failed to communicate his passion for his friends and colleagues. I loved his irreverent sense of humor. I will miss Frank greatly and will be praying for your family during this time of grieving. Just know that I will hold his memory close. He made us all better. God Bless, Brock*

~

*Brock Heinrich,*

*Big Lake, Minnesota*

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**Brock Heinrich** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ *Frank, You made everyone around you so happy, you will be truly missed.*

~

*Bob Wood,*

*Saint Paul, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Bob Wood** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ One of the most amazing people I have met, you will be missed brother. My thoughts go out to his family and friends.

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*Mike F,*

*Coon Rapids, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Mike F** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of grief. May your memories bring you comfort.*

~

*mary,Jenny,Rosa Lee,*

*St.Paul, Minnesota*

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**mary,Jenny,Rosa Lee** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Jessica, I'm so sorry for your loss. If you need anything at all, just ask, Krystal and I will be there for you. My heart goes out to all who knew and loved him.

~

*Diane Bergquist,*

*St Paul, Minnesota*

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**Diane Bergquist** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

NP

“ *one of the kindest, and most hilarious people I've met/worked with.  
take it easy. 331 will miss your positive energyrip*

~

*Noah Paster,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Noah Paster** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ Frank will always be the special stud in my heart(The Captives) a great friend who will always be missed.much love my brother, I hope to see you on the other side.

~

*Raymundo Disease,*

*Winnipeg, Manitoba*

*Contact Me*

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**Raymundo Disease** - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ To Frank's loved ones: It made my day every time Frank said, "Hello, Sunshine." when I arrived for the jam at the 331. I know he said it to every woman in the place. But he made it sound like you were the only one. What a wonderful gift.

~

*Elaine Markey,*

*New Hope, Minnesota*

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**Elaine Markey** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *What a gracious, polite, fun person Frank was when he spent a couple of holiday meals with us. I'm sure he will be missed by his music friends. My deepest sympathy and prayers go out to the family.*

~

*Pete's mom*

*Contact Me*

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July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

ME

“ Seems like yesterday we were cracking jokes and you were making everyone smile. You took a piece of us to heaven. my heart goes out to Jessica, and i hope you always stay with her.

~

*Me,*

*Minneapolis*

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**Me** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Frank, Melynda and I will miss you and all the fun times. you were always a joy to see and could always put a smile on everyones face. We are just glad to have been able to have you in our lives.

~

*Joe Falkowski,*

*St. Paul, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Joe Falkowski** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Frank, it was always a joy to see you. You could light up a room with your megawatt smile. You will me missed.

~

*Catherine Satterfield,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Catherine Satterfield** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

M.

“ One of the few people you could count on to make your day brighter the moment you saw him. Frank, you will be missed greatly my friend.

~

*M.P.G.,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**M.P.G.** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ Frank, Was a stand up kinda a guy always funny, always in to the high end of Fashion. Music in the Twin cities will not be the same. We will all miss you!

~

*James Thornton,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**James Thornton** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ My condolences, prayers, thoughts and tears go out to the Rivera's and to Frank's extended family. Frank was a great man, a vibrant co-worker and a good friend. He will be sorely missed. I am sorry for your loss; peace be with you.

~

*Tonia Lindsey,*

*Blaine, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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Tonia Lindsey - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ We will all miss you, Frank. We're thinking of you.

~

*Kat,*

*Minneapolis*

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**Kat** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ I rememeber you spelling my name wrong on the door at the 331 Club. I corrected you and you fixed it, but from then on, every time you saw me, I was "Jeanne Markley". You were always nice to my Mom, and to everybody else, too. Your smiling face and sweet nature will be missed by us all.

~

*Jennifer Markey,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Jennifer Markey** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ *Frankyln will be missed by all of the gals at Kinderberry Hill  
Minneapolis! We will miss his amazing style and smile. Thanks for  
the memories!The ladies of KBH*

~

*kinderberry hill,*

*minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**kinderberry hill** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Frank I;m really gonna miss ya man. Our time together and living together was some of the most fun i have ever had. Wish you hadn't left. I will always love you, thanks for everything

~

*David Higginbotham,*

*minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**David Higginbotham** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Always smiling, cracking jokes, teasing his hair, and always happy to see you. Frank, you will be sorely missed.

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*Laurie Hefner,*

*Minneapolis*

*Contact Me*

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**Laurie Hefner** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JW

“*Frank was a very special, kind person. He will be missed by many people. Our hearts grieve with all of his friends and family.*”

~

*Jeremy Chard and Aaron Williamson,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Jeremy Chard and Aaron Williamson** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ Oh frank... i am going to miss your jokes, your smile and just how genuinely sweet you were. My heart and thoughts are with the family as well as Jessica and Kumiko.

~

*Karen Leverich,*

*mpls, Minnesota*

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**Karen Leverich** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ Frank, you will be missed by all of us...we love you.

~

*andrew hefner,*

*minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**andrew hefner** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

Jl

“ Frank was one of the nicest people you could have ever known. I am going to miss seeing your smile, buddy.

~

*jonny imperial,*

*mpls, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**jonny imperial** - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ Frank will truly be missed, both by his friends and by local music-lovers. He lit up when a friend walked in the room and happily cajoled me into going on all the scariest rides at the amusement park. I'll just remember him laughing uncontrollably, hands in the air, when we hit the first drop on a rollercoaster. I'm proud to have known him.

~

L. W. C.,

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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L. W. C. - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM