



## Richard Paul Peick

October 27, 1960 - May 30, 2026

Richard Paul Peick, age 65, of Bloomington, Minnesota, passed away peacefully on May 30th, 2026, at Abbott Northwestern Hospital after a long, stubborn standoff with heart disease.

Born on October 27th, 1960, in St. Paul, Minnesota, Richard was the beloved son of Thomas and Patricia Peick. Richard built a fulfilling career as an engineering project manager at Uponor, where he worked for 28 years before retiring in 2018. On July 1st, 1995, he married the love of his life, Tami, and together they shared 30 beautiful years of marriage.

Everyone knew Richard for being patient, creative, and incredibly thoughtful. Well-known for his talents in the kitchen and woodworking, Richard possessed a deep, lifelong passion for music. After teaching himself to play the electric bass as a kid, he went on to join many different bands throughout the years, gigging and making money performing shows all around Minnesota, rocking numerous neighborhood block parties, and turning his basement into the ultimate jam room. He was incredibly proud to share his love of music with everyone in his life. When he wasn't practicing or performing, Richard could be found hitting the golf course, watching Minnesota sports, sneaking blueberry muffins to his favorite dog, Jakie, and constantly going the extra mile to help others. Above all, Richard loved his family and friends deeply and cherished every moment spent with them.

Richard is survived by his loving spouse, Tami; his children, Sami Clement (Alec) and Zach Peick (Sarah); and his mother-in-law, Sharon Jorde. He also leaves behind eight brothers and sisters, along with all of his nieces and nephews whom he loved spending time with, as well as countless friends he made throughout his life. Richard was preceded in death by his parents, Thomas and Patricia Peick; his brother, Dan Peick; his niece, Shalin; his nephew, Jake; his father-in-law, Richard Jorde; and his beloved black lab, Jakie.

Following a private morning service for his spouse, children, siblings, and those personally notified, a public Celebration of Life Open House will be held from 3:00 PM to 6:00 PM at the Bloomington Event Center in the Lower Knights Hall (1114 American Blvd W, Minneapolis, MN 55420). Our hearts would be full to surround ourselves with everyone who shared in Richard's journey, his beloved extended family, his music community, and the many friends who became family over the years. All are warmly welcome to join us to enjoy drinks, savory appetizers, and desserts as we raise a glass in his honor.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a memorial donation to the Minneapolis Heart Institute Foundation, as heart research gifted us precious extra years with Richard, or Open Arms of Minnesota, which reflects his lifelong passion for feeding and taking care of others.

#### Private Family & Close Friends Service

To honor Richard's wishes, a private service for his spouse, children, siblings, and those personally notified will be held on Friday morning.

- Date: Friday, June 12, 2026
- Time: 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (Coffee and pastries will be served)

- Location: Washburn-McReavy Dawn Valley Chapel
- Address: 9940 Bush Lake Road, Bloomington, MN 55438

### Celebration of Life Open House (All Are Welcome)

Everyone who shared in Richard's journey, his beloved extended family, his music community, and the many friends who became family over the years are warmly invited to join us for a casual, open-house style celebration of his life. Please come as you are to share a favorite story and listen to some good music. Join us for drinks, savory appetizers, and desserts as we raise a glass to Richard.

- Date: Friday, June 12, 2026
- Time: 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM
- Location: Bloomington Event Center (Lower Knights Hall)
- Address: 1114 American Blvd W, Minneapolis, MN 55420

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUN 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Dawn Valley Chapel  
9940 Bush Lake Road  
Bloomington, MN 55438

## Celebration of Life

JUN 12. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Bloomington Event Center  
1114 American Boulevard West  
Bloomington, MN 55420

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard Paul Peick.*



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June 12 at 09:50 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Richard Paul Peick.

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June 12 at 09:50 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard Paul Peick.*



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June 10 at 08:19 PM



“ *The Cutias, Walkers and Bruzas purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Richard Paul Peick.*



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**The Cutias, Walkers and Bruzas** - June 10 at 10:38 AM

JK

“ Jeannie, lyle Stanley and kids purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Richard Paul Peick.



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**Jeannie, lyle Stanley and kids** - June 09 at 02:45 PM

SH

“ Sharon purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Richard Paul Peick.



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**Sharon** - June 08 at 02:58 PM

JO

“ Whenever I talked to Richard, I'd say “I love you” and his response was always “love you more”. He was my hero. When we were dealing with our dad's dementia, he was my backup. When my husband was dying, Richard is the one I called and cried with. I'm going to miss him more than words can say but he's been fighting his heart disease for so long that I find peace that he's in God's loving hands now and won't suffer anymore. I still love you brother and look forward to the day I hear you say “love you more” again. Rest in peace sweetheart.

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**janet och** - June 04 at 07:05 PM

KK

Richard was such a kind soul. I remember his days in our neighborhood as the kids grew up with him. He always had a kind word to say and a smile that made you feel warm inside. Jackie kept him in line and was his very special sidekick. Richard also played at the neighborhood block party. Special memories. ❤️

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**Kim Koss** - June 04 at 08:42 PM

DE

*Richard will always be Dickie to us. Our block on McLeod had 20 + teenagers lovingly called the McLeod street gang. It was fun watching them grow up. Our son and Dickie were especially close. He spent a lot of time at our house. He came over one day and asked if I would give him a haircut. He said his dad would probably put a bowl on his head and cut around it. We saw him periodically over the years and he was still the special Dickie we remembered. I believe our son, Terry, greeted him in heaven saying "Dickie, where have you been, you've got to see this " Larry and Joanne DeYoung*

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**DeYoung's** - June 06 at 05:30 PM

MF

*The thought of Richard smiling warms my heart. I can hear his voice clearly as he says "Yes. I do." iykyk  
Going to miss talking with you about music..*

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**Mark Foss** - June 11 at 08:02 PM