



## Rick D. Thomas

January 27, 1959 - July 11, 2009

Rick D. Thomas lost his battle with cancer on July 11, 2009. During his long fight against this disease, he remained the same caring Rick that his family and friends knew him to be. His mental and emotional strength prevailed, trying to beat the cancer to the bitter end. Rick was born in Shelbyville, Indiana on January 27, 1959 to Barbara Curran and Willis Thomas, who both survive him. He graduated from Greenfield High School and currently lived in Indianapolis. In 1995, Rick co-founded Circle City Millwork and Supply in Indianapolis and served as its president. His selfless nature was evident, always putting others first. He found joy in happy times with his family. Rick was known as a positive thinker and fun-loving fisherman who dedicated himself to his family and business. Memorial services will be held Thursday, July 16 at 6:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St. with visitation from 4:00 p.m. until time of service. His wife of 29 years, Debbie (Cline) Thomas, survives him along with their three children, Stephanie Thomas, Jackie Thomas(Rob McNeal), and Erick Thomas. Other survivors include grandsons, Daeon and Evan, brothers, Greg, Steve, Doug and Anthony Thomas, sister Amber Thomas, father-in-law and mother-in-law, Clifford and Sara Cline, sister-in-law Margie Buffington (Mark), brother-in-law, Daniel Cline (Janice). Donations may be made to the Make-A-Wish Foundation of Indiana, 6325 Digital Way, Ste. 150, Indianapolis, IN 46278-1697.