



Richard Andrew Pryor Jr.

August 18, 1962 - June 23, 2022

Richard Andrew Pryor Jr, known to many as Oz, age 59, of Kansas City, MO, passed away on Thursday, June 23, 2022 at Centerpoint Medical Center after a brief illness.

Richard was born on August 18, 1962 in Kansas City, MO. He was the son of Richard Pryor Sr. and Sharon Skinner. He attended Pittsburg High School in Pittsburg, KS. Richard joined the Army in 1979 and was stationed in Germany for 14 months. He received an honorable medical discharge in 1981. After his discharge from the Army he was a foreman for a water tower sandblasting crew. Over the next several years he was an over the road truck driver with his brothers Gary and Mike. He eventually went to work as a foreman for City Construction Services, LLC for 25 years before going on disability.

Richard loved everything motorcycles, from riding in extreme cold temperatures to fixing and building them. He also loved music with Primus and Frank Zappa being two of his favorites. He loved going to the casino and it seemed to be a very profitable hobby for him. Richard was a creature of habit and loved eating at Leeds Diner. He was known as the Mayor of Leeds by many. He lived life to the fullest with a heart of gold and would do anything

to help those in need.

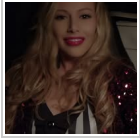
Richard was preceded in death by his father and mother; two brothers, Jeffrey Pryor and Samuel Pryor, three step-brothers, Gary Skinner, Terry Skinner and Michael Skinner and the love of his life, Deborah.

Richard's survivors include sister, Michelle Felker, brother, Mark Skinner, step father, Jack Skinner, step-brother Tim Skinner and aunt, Vicki Vickers.

Dietrich & Shelly Foxworthy, Duke Moore, Michelle Stevens, Don Nicholson and Art Quigg are a few of the many friends that will miss his presence in their lives.

There will be a celebration of life for Oz on July 16th at 3:00 at his home, 3609 Fuller.

Tribute Wall



“ OZ i really miss you alot. You were one of my closest friends. I'm blessed to have gotten the chance to know you and call you my friend. I'll get to hug you again one day. I sure do miss you. Every day. 😞



Gretchen Roman - January 29 at 01:21 AM

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“ It breaks my heart to know he has passed and I am just now finding out. Oz was a very good friend and I will miss him dearly! RIP my friend! Tonya Thomsen Shivers

Tonya Thomsen Shivers - November 08, 2022 at 08:18 PM

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“ Tiana Gomez lit a candle in memory of Richard Pryor



Tiana Miranda Gomez - November 08, 2022 at 05:29 PM

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“ Oz was the nicest person u would ever know he helped alot for people as I did for him .he is gonna truly be missed so bad heart is broken but I know he's resting and I knew he started to get tired..oz RIP LOVE U

Tiana Miranda Gomez - November 08, 2022 at 05:28 PM



“ *All our sympathy to Oz's family & friends...I actually have a question... several of us are wanting to know where the memorial will be held cuz that's not mentioned ...thank you*

Kelly Kiso - July 02, 2022 at 12:54 PM

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It will be held at his house outside. Bring lawn chairs. The address has been added.

Michelle Felker - July 02, 2022 at 11:11 PM



“ *you will be truley missed oz by sam and debbie chard longtime friend i knew when you said love you the day we come to see how you were that something was wrong. Oz was the nicest person he would help you anyway he could. RIP love you ! until we meet again*
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Debbie Chard - July 02, 2022 at 01:04 AM