



## R. Nick Nichols

June 23, 1954 - September 5, 2016

Nick was born in Kansas City, Missouri, and moved to Springfield. He later attended school in Bolivar, and Fair Play before joining the Army in 1971. Nick had his own satellite company in Fredericksburg, Virginia. He had done this for many years before selling out and moving back to Bolivar, to be close to his mother and family.

Nick was a friend to all who knew him. He always lived life to the fullest. He never met a stranger. He will be missed by all who knew him.

He is survived by his father, Butch Mincks; sister, Shelly Mincks, and fiancé Jason Hopkins, of Bolivar; sister, Debbie Stiles, and husband Mike, of Bolivar; fur babies, Sugar and Shadow; daughter, Nicole Nichols Boyington, and husband Drew, of Nixa, Missouri; son, Nicolas Nichols, of Arlington, Virginia; son, Chris Lewis, and wife April, of Fayetteville – Fort Bragg, North Carolina; daughter, Kalila Hammett, of Ozark, Missouri; grandchildren, Zoe Boyington, Kyle Lewis, Kaylyn Lewis, Colin Lewis, Aiden Hammett, and Dominic Hammett; nephew, Jeff Stiles; nephew, Jonas Redd; niece, Kim Segui, and husband Dario; great nephew, Dalton Segui; great nephew, Logan Segui; great niece, Mikayla Stiles; good friend, Rob Williams; and many friends.

Nick is preceded in death by his mother, Virginia Mincks; father, Dallas Nichols; grandmother, Lucille Jarman; and great grandma Rose.

A graveside service, with full military honors, will be held at 2:00 pm, on Saturday, September 10, 2016, at Greenwood Cemetery, in Bolivar.

# Previous Events

## Graveside

SEP **10**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Greenwood Cemetery  
S. Dunnegan Ave.  
Bolivar, MO 65613

# Tribute Wall



“ *R. Nick Nichols*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *R. Nick Nichols*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



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**Christine Travis** - September 14, 2016 at 12:31 PM



“ *Loved my husband with all my heart. I hope he found peace and happiness.*  
*Chris*



**Christine Travis** - September 14, 2016 at 12:19 PM



“ *With Distinction was purchased for the family of R. Nick Nichols .*



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September 09, 2016 at 12:16 PM



“ *Nick IS the man!!! When ever you were around him, you were having fun. Always ready to do something, and never wasted a minute even if he was wasted😂 He IS kind and I really enjoy who he IS. When ever I think of him I think of acdc or guns n roses because being around him gave you the same feeling as that music. He lived a great life and lived everyday like it was his last. Never waste a moment. Love you buddy*

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**Cody Boyington** - September 08, 2016 at 09:35 AM



“ *Michael Finch  
2 minutes ago  
Nick was a good friend he would sit there and talk to you if he did not know you .he always love his sugar, sugar was his baby. Nick would go out of his way to help someone or tech them how to do anything. Nick R.I.P.we will all miss you*



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**Michael Finch** - September 07, 2016 at 09:46 PM



“ *Michael Finch*  
*2 minutes ago*  
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**Michael Finch** - September 07, 2016 at 09:45 PM



“ *Michael Finch*  
*2 minutes ago*  
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**Michael Finch** - September 07, 2016 at 09:43 PM



“ *Too many to tell even though I only knew him for 8 years, this one pretty well sums him up though. He was telling me the day he had the accident last year that the first words out of his mouth to the kid that hit him were, " you better hope my Sugar is not hurt". That was Nick. R.I.P. buddy, lots of folks will be missng you.*

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**Joe Black** - September 06, 2016 at 09:55 PM



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**Michael Finch** - September 07, 2016 at 09:40 PM

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*I have not seen Nick in a long tl'm but remember when I was little and he would let me hang out with him and his wife. He made me feel special.*

*What great memories*

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**Terrie McClelland** - September 08, 2016 at 06:09 PM