

Richard Joseph Yellow Face was born on July 7, 1962 at the Rosebud Hospital in Rosebud, SD.

Richard attended grade school and part of high school in Wood, South Dakota then graduated his senior year at the Todd County High School in 1980. He went on to college at the Spring Field University in Spring Field, S.D. and graduated in 1982 as a Diesel Mechanic.

He enlisted in the United States Airforce and he did his basic training in Lackland Texas then onto the Minot Airforce Base in Minot North Dakota. After his service in the military he came back home and worked various jobs as a heavy Equipment Operator for many Construction companies, Rosebud Sioux Tribe Maintenance Department also fenced for many ranchers.

While growing up, his favorite hobbies included fishing, riding motorcycle, basketball, football and most of all hanging out with friends and playing with siblings.

Richard is survived by his siblings: David Herrmann of Sioux Falls, SD; Donna Herrmann of Mission, SD; Mark Herrmann of Cadott Wisconsin; Jennifer Herrmann of Mission, SD; Kathy White Lance of Rapid City, SD; Robin Starboy of Mission, SD; and his lil brother Jacob D Herrmann of Sioux Falls, SD whom he enjoyed spending time with.

He is also survived by his nieces and nephews: Richenda Iron Heart, Ashley Herrmann, Jerome Eagle Bear, Jr., Sarah Eagle Bear, Aspen Yoro, William White Lance, Jr., Keanu White Lance, James Starboy, Isaac and Steven Starboy; and many grandchildren.

Richard was preceded in death by his mother Sarah Herrmann-Yellowface; father Laverne Starboy; step-father Tobias Herrmann; sister Pauline Starboy; nephew Heath Starboy; and niece Pauletta Starboy.

Richard will be truly missed by many.

Today I walk in perfect harmony across the prairie just mom and me

My days are without suffering or pain I dance in the spring rain

**I've been yearning to go home for sometime
Today my prayer was answered how divine.**

**Weep for me not anymore my family
Today, I walk with mom, across the prairie**

**Today, tomorrow and forever I walk in perfect harmony
"Weep not for me, I am now free."**

By Marty Moore



**In Loving Memory Of
Richard**

Safely Home

I am home in Heaven, dear ones:
Oh, so happy and so bright
There is perfect joy and beauty
In this Everlasting Light.
All the pain and grief is over,
Every restless tossing passed;
I am now at peace forever,
Safely Home in Heaven at last.
There is work still waiting for you.
So you must not idly stand;
Do it now, while life remaineth ~
You shall rest in Jesus' land.
When that work is all completed,
He will gently call you Home;
Oh, the rapture of that meeting,
Oh, the joy to see you come!

“Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me. In my Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also. John 14:1-3

Arrangements By
Holmes Funeral Home ~ Valentine, NE
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In Celebration Of Life Richard Joseph Yellow Face

July 7, 1962 ~ August 18, 2020

Services

Monday - August 24, 2020 @ 12:00pm
Holmes Funeral Home in Valentine, NE
Officiant: Brother Ed Bausell
Committal Prayers at 2pm
Okreek Community Cemetery - Okreek, SD
Prayers by Pastor Kevin Berg

Pallbearers

William White Lance, Jr.	Hugo Eisenbraun, Jr.
Charles Fast Horse, Jr.	Will Dickson
Jerome Eagle Bear	Leo Cordier
Jesse Hibbs	Aaron Iron Heart, Jr.

Honorary Bearers

Leon Wright	Jack Brandis
Clarence Eagle Hawk	Brad Hunger
Jeff Felix	George Guerue
Holden Turkey	Keanu White Lance

All Veterans, Relatives, Family & Friends