



Ricardo J. "Ricky" Vargas

November 20, 1986 - April 24, 2026

Ricardo J. "Ricky" Vargas, age 39, of Lorain, passed away suddenly and unexpectedly at his residence on Friday April 24, 2026. Ricky was born in Fremont, Ohio on November 20, 1986. In 2004 he relocated to Lorain where he attended Admiral King High School. While enrolled there, he was a member of the varsity football team. Ricky proudly wore jersey number 75 as a lineman for the Admirals and received a varsity letter for his accomplishments on the gridiron there.

He was currently employed as manager of the A T & T retail store in Lorain; previously, he had been a member of the sales team at the company's store in North Olmsted.

Ricky enjoyed soccer and formerly played goalie; when not actually playing, he enjoyed following the Manchester United Club. An avid fan of the Dallas Cowboys he enjoyed collecting sports cards and Star Wars Lego pieces in his free time.

He is survived by his daughter Leah Jasmine Vargas, mother Rosa Macias (Lorenzo), father Juan Vargas (Mari De La Luz Rios), sisters Ariana Henriquez-Gutierrez (Jonathan), Claudia Kushinski (Michael), and Amanda Arroyo (Jorge), and brother Andres Vargas. Ricky also leaves a host of extended family members of the Vargas, Sandoval, Macias, and Rios

Families; he was preceded in death by his son Isaac Vargas in 2016).

Visitation will be Saturday May 2nd from 8:30 a.m. until the time of his Mass of Christian Burial at 9:30 a.m. in Sacred Heart Chapel – 4301 Pearl Avenue, Lorain. Reverend Alex C. Spenik, Pastor of the parish will preside.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are strongly encouraged to Ricky's family for the benefit his daughter, Leah.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 2. 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Chapel
4301 Pearl Ave
Lorain, OH 44055
<https://sacredheartchapel.org>

Funeral Mass

MAY 2. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

YV

“ I’m so sorry to hear of your loss. Please accept my sincere condolences during this difficult journey.



Yesenia Martínez Valadez - May 01 at 09:13 PM

TJ

My prayers and condolences go out to your whole family. Rico was a joy to be around. He will be missed immensely by his AT&T family and I. Rico was loved by many and will be missed by many! Forever in our hearts! Never forgotten!

Tiffinie Johnson - May 02 at 09:47 AM

BS

“ Bri S. purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Ricardo J. "Ricky" Vargas.



Bri S. - April 30 at 07:12 PM

OC

“ OSUP Community Primary Care purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ricardo J. "Ricky" Vargas.



OSUP Community Primary Care - April 30 at 06:16 PM

EH

“Wow, my heart hurts to see this news. I will always feel his impact & now his loss strongly.

How crazy & wonderfully he impacted my life as stranger's at the AT&T store & at first just because we smiled & took a minute for us two to acknowledge each other and simply converse, every time after paying my bill, we chat a few, if no one there...

I am never one for change, Phone styles that is, until finally, the old dreaded iPhone 6 stopped working. Imagine that after all of that time, the joking and conversing in regards to the "old dirt phone". He is the one who stepped in to help me pick out phone and figured out the plan.

I would always say, when leaving...

"See you in 30 days my friend".

He would say, "have a great month, see you then"!

Your Loyal AT&T Customer

Etta Heck

Etta Heck - April 29 at 05:14 PM

RR

“New Millennium Ministries would like to express condolences to Leah and other families and friends of Mr. Ricardo who went home to be with the Lord. May the memories you built and share together bring you much peace, love and joy. Rest in Peace Ricardo

Rita Ramphal - April 28 at 01:18 PM

RA

Rosa, I am so sorry for your loss. I'm hoping that everyone can get through this loss. I didn't know him personally, but he seems like a very happy boy.. he reminds me a lot about you. Make I get you through this. I love you, Tia Rosa.!

Rosa Arellano - May 03 at 08:18 AM