



Richard Ray Campbell

December 2, 1963 - September 4, 2021

Richard Ray Campbell, age 57 of Nashville, TN, passed away Saturday, September 4, 2021. He was born December 2, 1963 in Nashville, TN to Charles Jones Campbell and Madeline Ray Campbell.

“Coach Campbell” as he was affectionately known, was an Honors Mathematics teacher with Metro Nashville Public Schools. A “Teacher of the Year” with Metro, he taught as well as serving as the football and basketball coach at various schools in Nashville, including his alma mater, Stratford, Hunter’s Lane, and Overton where he finished his teaching career.

Coach Campbell was preceded in death by his father, Charles and a brother, Charles Michael Campbell.

He is survived by his mother, Madeline; brother, Keith Campbell; many extended family members, friends, and countless students whose lives he touched.

A celebration of Coach Campbell’s life will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Thursday, September 9, 2021 in the Chapel of Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home. Burial will follow in Woodlawn Memorial Park. The family will receive friends from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 8, 2021 and from 1:00 p.m. until the time of service on Thursday at Phillips-Robinson

Funeral Home.

Flowers will be accepted or memorial contributions may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 8. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home
2707 Gallatin Pike, Nashville, TN US 37216
Nashville, TN 37216

Visitation

SEP 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Celebration of Life

SEP 9. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall






“ *Richard Ray Campbell*

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“ *Coach Campbell was my “next door neighbor” at Hunters Lane for years. He never let an athlete slack in any of my classes. (A few bear crawls put fear into any heart...All I had to do if someone was clowning, was mention his name). Once, I had a freshman player waiting outside my door for a “come to Jesus” talk & when Coach saw him he asked if wanted to play varsity the next year. The young man said “Yes sir” but before he could say another word, Coach Campbell said “Then you better straighten up, because if you disrespect her, you will never put on a jersey for me or step foot on my field.” He meant it. Coach Campbell was 100% authentic every single day. I will miss his loyalty, support & friendship forever.*

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