Yea, though I walk
through the valley of the
shadow of death,
I will fear no evil;
for You are with me;

Your rod and Your staff,
they comfort me.

You prepare a table
before me in the presence
of my enemies;

You anoint my head with oil;
my cup runs over.

Psalm 23:4-5

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In Loving Memory Of

Richard "Ricky" Blue Coat

August 4, 1960
Dewey County, South Dakota

May 17, 2025
Denver, Colorado

FUNERAL SERVICE: 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, June 11, 2025
CRST Bingo Hall - Eagle Butte, South Dakota

OFFICIATING: Deacon Iva Traversie and Shirley Dog Eagle

CASKET BEARERS: Jarod Blue Coat, Wyatt Blue Coat, John Blue Coat, Rory Brown Wolf, Merle High Elk, Sam High Elk, and Frank Blue Coat

MALE COUSINS "HONORARIES":
Peyton Red Elk, Jarred Blue Coat, Wyatt Blue Coat, Neil Blue Coat, Frank Blue Coat, Gary Mound, John Blue Coat, Roland Miner, Sam High Elk, Elwood High Elk, and Sheldon Yellow Head

HONORARY CASKET BEARERS:
Carrie Blue Coat & Family, Carla M. Blue Coat & Family, Reba Three Legs & Family, Iva Traversie & Family, Elizabeth Moran & Family, Gayle Dupris & Family, Richard Red Elk & Family, Gilbert Red Dog Sr., Cynthia Cook Family, Nancy Red Dog LeBeau & Family, Sylvia Picotte & Family, Kathy Red Dog, Cyril Cook, Carol Provencal & Family, Pamela Phillips & Family, Grace & Abe Kasto & Family, Karen LeBeau & Family, Marge Clown Family, Sherry Red Elk, Lanny (LaPlante Jr.) Horse With Horn, Faye Rosseau & Family, Winona Kasto & Family, Jenny LeBeau, Shonia Shaving, Rita Shaving, Marvin High Elk Jr., Dawn Bad Male, Steven Mexican, Lilly LeBeau, Homer "Billy" Cook, Tom, Brandon, LeNora, Sheila Hawk Eagle & Family, Dale Dupris & Family

MUSIC: All Musicians and Singers Welcome

INTERMENT: St. Thomas Episcopal Cemetery
On The Tree, South Dakota

Richard (Ricky) Dean Blue Coat, 64, of Eagle Butte, passed away Saturday, May 17, 2025, at his home in Denver, CO.

Ricky Dean Blue Coat was born August 4, 1960, to Jerry V. and Thelma E. (Janis) Blue Coat in Dewey County, SD. He attended school in Eagle Butte and Minneapolis, MN, later joining the Job Corps.

Ricky lived for a short time in Eagle Butte, later moving to Denver, CO until the time of his passing.

Richard is survived by his children: Derek Blue Coat of Bemidji, MN and adopted twins, Kim and Misty of Eagle Butte; two sisters, Mary Ann Blue Coat and Joyce Young Bird of Eagle Butte and one aunt, Margie Clown of Eagle Butte.

He was preceded in death by his parents; son, Keifer; two sisters, Charlotte and Rita; three brothers: Arnold, Vincent and Dale; nieces, Rita LeBeau and Belinda Brown Wolf; and nephews: Vincent Black Bird and Soloman Black Bird.

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