



Emmanuel "Manny" Lyle Roddy

November 27, 1984 - October 28, 2025

Emmanuel "Manny" Lyle Roddy, 40, of Mooresville, and formerly of Manistique, MI, tragically left this world unexpectedly on Tuesday, October 28, 2025. He was born in Manistique on November 27, 1984, to Timothy Patrick and Loris Mary (McManus) Roddy.

Growing up in the rural wilderness and natural beauty of Michigan's upper peninsula, Manny was the youngest of two children, and the only son. He proudly graduated with the class of 2003 from Manistique High School, and upon graduation, he packed his bags and headed south where he planted roots in Mooresville to attend the Job Core for training. Initially securing employment with Menards in Camby, he found his niche at Lowe's Warehouse in Plainfield, working as a forklift operator and logistics specialist for the last 15 years.

A member of the First United Methodist Church of Mooresville, Manny helped with children's ministries, and he never turned down the opportunity to volunteer, assisting those in need. In the last three months, he found Christ, read his Bible daily, and finally found himself worthy; he served and loved without hesitation. The example Manny set made those around him want to be a better person.

Adventurous at heart, Manny was known to go cliff diving, hiking, and was a

power lifter at Core Fitness. He truly loved music of all kinds and regularly listened to jammed out to his favorite tunes. He treasured his family immensely, had a wide and tight circle of friends, and would give the shirt off his back when needed. He adored animals, especially his feline friends, and was loved by all who knew him. A beautiful human being through and through, he was as pure as they came, and he could strike up a conversation with anyone he met. Leaving this world all too soon, he left an indelible mark on those around him and will be forever missed but never forgotten!

Manny was preceded in death by his father, Timothy Roddy. He leaves behind his mother, Loris Roddy of Manistique, MI; sister, Julie Toenessfen (Andy) of Manistique, MI; uncles, Leland McManus (Gloria) of Woodlands, TX, David Roddy of Manistique, MI, and Ed Roddy of Menomonee Falls, WI; several cousins; and his kitty cat, Azuka.

Cremation Arrangements were entrusted to Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel, in Monrovia. A Celebration of Life Memorial Gathering and Service will be held on Saturday, November 15, 2025, at 8451 Mills Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46241-9511, from 2pm until 4pm, with the Celebration of Life Memorial Service beginning at 2:15pm. For more information, click <https://www.facebook.com/share/1CVgzgWbjt/?mibextid=wwXlfr>. To share a favorite story, send the family an online condolence, or light a candle in Manny's memory, visit his tribute page at www.lightmemorial.com.

Cemetery Details

Cremation

585 E. MAIN STREET
Monrovia, IN 46157
<http://www.lightmemorial.com>

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Gathering

NOV 15. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM.

Amanda O'Dell's House
8451 Mills Rd
Indianapolis, IN 46241-9511

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Tribute Wall



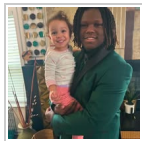
“ *Lori's I tried to call you but the no I have did not work I'm so sorry for my grand son not trying to get help I love you guys love mom*

Patsy wise - November 23, 2025 at 07:33 PM



“ *Manny your missed and loved. 20 years I know your in peace. Balloon release today 3:45*

Alexandrea Campos - November 13, 2025 at 01:44 PM



“ *Manfred you were more than a friend; you were a brother to me for almost 20 years. Man does time fly by! You were namny to my youngest daughter. You made it a point to call and say you loved that family of ours built from many diverse places. You were the voice of reason and was not afraid to call us out in a nice way when we needed it. That's something that I am having a hard time grasping at this point of time. I will always cherish your memory brother.*

Autumn Latham - November 12, 2025 at 10:05 PM



“ *I really miss you, Manny...I am so heartbroken. I plan to see you again when Jesus reunites us. I love you always.*

Adelaide Whitlow - November 12, 2025 at 01:24 PM

DG

“ Debbie, George, Gabrielle, and Garret purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Emmanuel "Manny" Lyle Roddy.



Debbie, George, Gabrielle, and Garret - November 06, 2025 at 11:51 AM

DG

“ Debbie, George, Gabrielle, and Garret planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Emmanuel "Manny" Lyle Roddy.

Debbie, George, Gabrielle, and Garret - November 06, 2025 at 11:51 AM

JA

“ I've know Manny for years at work. When I would visit the branch in Plainfield, IN, I always made a point to speak to Manny daily. He was kind, respectful and just a super nice guy. Manny reached out to me this summer, checking on me since I've been away from work. I'm so greatful I was able to speak with him one last time.

To his Family, God bless you all and RIP Manny, you'll always be missed.

Johnnie Alexander - November 05, 2025 at 03:58 PM

DN

“ I’m thankful I had the opportunity to meet Manny. His positive attitude, friendly smile, and kindness were such a breath of fresh air in this world. I’m sad that I didn’t have longer to get to know him better.

I only met him in July and then he started coming to our church and our small group. We really seem to be making connections. I was so looking forward to getting to know him better. His enduring faith was admirable, as well as his kindness. He had an inherent spiritualness to him that seemed to walk hand in hand with his kindness.

I’m praying for all of us whose lives he enriched in this mortal realm and now mourn his absence. I’m confident he has found peace beyond understanding in the presence of the Savior.

David Nance - November 04, 2025 at 09:48 AM

JW

“ There will never be another Manny. He fiercely loyal, kind, and caring to anyone he called a friend in his life. We had so many conversations about life and what our expectations of people were about. Manny helped me get through a few difficult times in my life, but we also shared a lot of common interests. I love my friend and I will never forget you.



Joey Williamson - November 04, 2025 at 07:57 AM

AM

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to his family and friends. I didn't know him very long, but we recently had a conversation after church a few weeks ago. During that conversation, the sun was shining so brightly through the stained glass window, accentuating the cross. Manny pointed to the cross and said, "That's what it's all about." And I agreed with him. Simple, powerful, and true. Rest in Heaven with Jesus, Manny.

Angie Madden - November 03, 2025 at 08:40 PM

VA

“ I only knew him a short while. He started worshipping at mu church a few months ago. We miss him.



Virginia Austermiller - November 03, 2025 at 04:52 PM

CV

“ Manny...aka Manny Fresh!!! I cried for you my brother...I really did...and I will honor your memory by being the best person I can, taking pages out of your book. You touched a lot of people Manny and a lot of people really did love you! The most important thing was feeling your love through your presence, advice, gifts, and other people. Manny you might not have believed that you weren't a god, but my brother...you were a divine pure soul! Im glad to have been your friend for nearly 20 years! From Atterbury Job Corps...C-Wing! Im glad to have excellent memories about you my brother! My best friend! I hope one day...when we finally meet, we will all be in a world where our differences dont matter! Where love thrives and illness, mental and physical doesnt take the ones we love! What was very important was hearing you say to everyone in full color, of body, soul, mind, and heart...that you loved us! I love Manny and I'm glad to have told you that before you left us. Youre not really gone Manny, a lot of people you touched and cared for will always keep a piece of you. Dont worry my brother, Azuka is in good hands, I'll make sure she is good. Rest In Power My Friend.

Cean.



Cean Vincson - November 03, 2025 at 04:16 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Amanda - November 03, 2025 at 03:57 PM

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“Manny you are one of a kind. There is a space left earth-side that will never be able to be filled. Thank you for everything. We all love you so much



Amanda - November 03, 2025 at 03:55 PM