

RICHARD BROWN
“SCREAMING EAGLE”

1993

North Beach Vans
Waukegan, IL.



MEMORIAL TO RICHARD BROWN

Way back when I first met Richard, sometime in the late seventies, he called himself, Screaming Eagle. He was a member of Northbeach Vans, form Waukegan vans. I would see him and his good friend, Mudshark, everywhere in northern Illinois, and Wisconsin. Despite the fractioning of Northbeach Vans, he remained a member of his original club.

Thing I remember about Richard was always seeing him a County Line Vans' Beer Bust. I remember when his wife, Cindy, gave birth to a son, after two or three girls, and the oldest was almost grown. I remember the most original, goofy, and sometimes obscene hats he wore to all the Mad Hatter parties.

As I said, back at the beginning he called himself. Screaming Eagle, but somewhere along the way he started calling himself Dirty White Boy. Also, I said he was a dedicated Northbeach vanner. But, in the late eighties or early nineties, he said he wanted to become a member of Suds City Vans. I why shouldn't he. He came to all our events, partied with us, and was a good friend. Finally, about 1992, Richard joined Suds City Vans.

Sadly, his membership and his life was cut short at the end about the 1st of May, 1993. His hard partying had caused him to have a second heart attack. He was warned, but he didn't want to give up the party. He

probable went the way he wanted to, but we will miss him.