

# ALL COWBOY & ARENA CHAMPIONS HALL OF FAME

## Rick Young



Rick has won many accolades over his fifty year career in rodeo.

In 2004 he was inducted into the Cowboy Hall of Fame in Oklahoma, City.

In 1974 he was selected to work the National Finals Rodeo in Oklahoma City, and in 1980 was named PRCA Clown of the Year.

Young worked the Wrangler World Bullfighting Championship Series for 1980 through 1983, and in 1981 he competed in the National Finals for World's Champion Bullfighter title.

In the 1990s, Young switched to performing as an arena barrelman. He was named "Coors Man in the Can" in 1991, 1994, 1996 and 1997.

Rick appeared in several movies including Alvarez Kelly, The Great American Cowboy, The Stunt-O-Rama, Everybody's All American and he Heat of the Night.

Over his career, he has worked many major rodeos throughout the U.S. and Canada.

In 2009 the Sikeston Jaycee Bootheel Rodeo in Missouri honored him with a customized trailer complete with "Rick Young Rodeo Clown" emblazoned on it to celebrate the 50th year anniversary of him working the rodeo.

