



Colton Lee Donche

May 29, 1997 - February 12, 2026

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Colton Lee Donche was born May 29, 1997. Resided in Belen New Mexico and suddenly passed away on February 12, 2026. Colton was a man of many things. Silly was one of his best and main qualities, never a dull moment with him around. Always lighting up a room when he walked in. At the young age of five, Colton developed a love for riding. Starting with calves and blossoming into an amazing bull rider. He took first place in the Luna Days Rodeo in Luna, New Mexico. That was not his only love; his love for his family was immeasurable! His wife, who he adored, and his children were his world. Colton was a great daddy, an amazing husband. A great son and amazing brother; the best friend and always someone to that you could completely count on to be there when you needed a hand. He was a great mechanic and even better welder and was very passionate about his work and loved his job very much. Colton is survived by his wife Mariah Donche; son, Conner-lee Alexander Donche; daughter, Emma-lee Faith Donche; father, Frank Donche; mother, Candice Donche; brother, Darren Donche (Katie); nieces, Kacelynn and Shaylen; his sister, Tamara Donche husband, Andres, nephew, Emerson and niece Kinsley; grandmother, Marcia Donche; mother in law Danielle Garcia; sister in laws, Adrianna Garcia (Isaiah); niece, Trinity' sister in law, Mackenzie Garcia (Ethan); brother in law, Matthew Garcia and fur nephew Tazz; sister in law, Savannah West and grandmother Zoraida Chavez-Garcia. A mile-long list of aunts, uncles and cousins who he loved very much. Colton

is preceded in death by his four angel babies; grandfather, Alexander John Donche, grandmother, Ruth Gettings; aunt, Jeannie Scalf; great grandmother, Donna Morgan; aunt, Michelle Knapp; uncle, Kenneth Donche; cousin, Nathan Donche and David Denwalt; great grandmother, Canda Chavez and uncle Ray Santiago. His horse, Cisco and his beloved dog Gunner.

Previous Events

Colton Last Buck

FEB 28. 2:00 PM (MT)

Sheriff Possse Arena
Belen, NM 87002

Celebration of Life

MAR 1. 12:00 PM (MT)

Sam's Place Event Center
544 Main St NW
Los Lunas, NM 87031

Tribute Wall

AK

“ I’m so sorry for your loss. Colton was a great guy. He was always so kind and helpful with stuff I needed at work. He will be missed. Fly high and easy Colton!

Adrian K - March 01 at 02:52 PM

JM

“ So sorry for the loss of Colton to all who knew him, especially his family and friends. He was taken too early. Our family was blessed to be a part of Colton and his family's life. He was always so giving, kind, hard working and full of humor. He made going to work a better day just knowing he was there. Our heart was broken after hearing about the loss of Colton. This little pic on his tool box brought a smile to my face just knowing he was a believer in Jesus Christ. Hope to see him again. Prayers for the Donche family.



Jon T. McCready - March 01 at 11:41 AM

RM

“ Renee M. Martinez lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche



Renee M. Martinez - February 27 at 11:13 PM

JT

“ We are so sorry for your loss. We will keep you in our prayers.



John & Donnita Thompson - February 27 at 09:14 PM



“ My heart breaks. I pray God will comfort all his family at this time. And may the Father's Love surround you during this time. Hugs & Love, Mary Ann & Rick Nickel.



Mary Nickel - February 24 at 09:17 AM

PT

“ Colton Fly With The Angels
God Bless You Always



Marty & Patricia Trujillo



Patricia Trujillo - February 23 at 08:25 PM

EP

“ I'm so sad by your loss Candy.💔💔 My condolences to you and your whole family.☐



Eugenia Vigil Peña - February 23 at 10:51 AM

MG

“ *Marge Garcia lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Marge Garcia - February 21 at 02:15 PM

MG

To all of the Donche family, I send my deepest condolences to you all. Colton was a fine young man, husband , and father. Sometimes we don't understand why God takes one of our loved ones but just know He has a higher purpose that we don't always see. God bless Mariah and the sweet babies and all of the Donche family. I love you all, Auntie Marge

Marge Garcia - February 21 at 02:23 PM

RS

“ *Roberta Sanchez lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Roberta Sanchez - February 21 at 02:23 AM

IS

“ *To the Donche family,
Colton was my student when he was in the 4th grade. He always looked so cute in his cowboy hat. Please accept my sincere and heartfelt condolences for the loss of your sweet Colton. God's blessings to your family.*

Inez Sisneros - February 19 at 10:11 PM

BJ

“ *Beatrice Jojola lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Beatrice Jojola - February 19 at 10:09 PM

DB

“ *Denise Braun lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Denise Braun - February 19 at 01:04 PM

MK

“ *Colton you were such a great person inside and out. Thank you for being a great husband to my cousin and a great father to your 2 precious babies.*



Monette and the kids - February 19 at 10:04 AM

AB

“ *Aunt April And Uncle Bill lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Aunt April and Uncle bill - February 19 at 12:53 AM

SG

“ *Shari Gallegos lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Shari Gallegos - February 18 at 11:01 PM

BF

“ *Bailee Franco lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Bailee Franco - February 18 at 10:31 PM



“ *Rosa McGregor lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Rosa McGregor - February 18 at 10:08 PM

RA

“ *Rita C Aragon lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Rita C Aragon - February 18 at 08:57 PM

LA

“ Laurie lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche



Laurie - February 18 at 08:22 PM

KS

“ Candace and all the Donche Family my deepest condolences. You all will be in my prayers. May he rest in peace.



Kathy Giron Silva - February 18 at 06:53 PM

GO

“ My dearest Donche family, My deepest condolences and prayers for you all. Especially, for Colton 's wife and children. Sending love, Ginger

Ginger Oskins - February 18 at 06:27 PM

HG

“ So very sorry for the loss of Colton keeping the family in our thoughts and prayers



Henrietta Garcia - February 18 at 06:00 PM

AB

“ *Arlene BeBault lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Arlene BeBault - February 18 at 05:50 PM

BB

“ *Colton i still can't believe this is real! We will miss you so much. Give grandma and everyone a hug . Love and miss you 🥺*



Brandi Burns - February 18 at 05:18 PM

MB

“ *Megan Bernquist lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Megan Bernquist - February 18 at 05:08 PM

TY

“ *Tammy Yeager lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche*



Tammy Yeager - February 18 at 04:58 PM

SS

“ Steven Savedra lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche



Steven Savedra - February 18 at 04:44 PM

SZ

“ Selina Zamora lit a candle in memory of Colton Lee Donche



Selina Zamora - February 18 at 03:17 PM