



David B. Cooper

August 12, 1948 - January 28, 2019

1948-2019

David B. Cooper, age 70, a resident of Belen, NM, passed away on January 28, 2019. He was preceded in death by his parents, J. Benson and Ethel V. Cooper, and brother, Johnnie Dale Creel. David is survived by his loving wife of 15 years, Linda; 3 children, David James (Beth), Tracy Dawn (DW) and Natalee Diane (Patrick); 2 stepsons, Ken Eugene (Faison), James Allen (Dana) and 10 grandchildren, all of which were his greatest pride and joy. He is also survived by 4 sisters, 2 brothers and a multitude of nieces and nephews. A Graveside service will take place at Pierce Brothers Santa Paula Cemetery on February 8, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. Reception to follow at Community of Christ Church. Please sign David's online tribute at www.romerofuneralhomenm.com Romero Funeral Home, 609 N. Main St. Belen, NM

Cemetery Details

Pierce Brothers Santa Paula Cemetery

380 Cemetery rd
Santa Paula , CA 93060

Previous Events

Graveside Service

FEB 8. 11:00 AM (PT)

Pierce Brothers Santa Paula Cemetery
380 Cemetery rd
Santa Paula , CA 93060

Reception

FEB 8 (PT)

Community of Christ Church
1845 Poli St
Ventura , CA 93001

Tribute Wall



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of David B. Cooper.*



February 06, 2019 at 10:44 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of David B. Cooper.*



February 02, 2019 at 10:40 PM



“ *I had the great pleasure of meeting Dave while he was driving taxi's for BNSF railway. He was great man with many stories and always had a smile in his face! He used to love to talk about his truck and loved that everyone would offer to buy it! He will be missed, my sincerest condolences to the family.*



Daniel Chavira - February 01, 2019 at 08:09 PM

JE

“ Linda and family, Jess and I are so sorry for your loss and our thoughts and prayers are with you as you make this trip to CA. David was a very special and caring person. He becoming a good friend to us. He will be sorely missed by all who knew him. Love you and will be thinking of you. Jess and Judy

Jess and Judy Eppard - February 01, 2019 at 06:40 PM



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February 01, 2019 at 01:23 PM

TW

“ This is the last picture I have of my dad. He sent it to my brother, sister, and I on the Monday he started back on chemo. Typical of Dad to make light of a situation, he said he was “mean mugging” in the pic...looking tough, as always. I wish we had known then that he’d only be with us for another 7 days. I would have hopped on a plane and spent every minute of those 7 days laughing with him, listening to his great stories, reminiscing, getting one of his great back rubs, and hugging him. If only... 💔



Tracy Williams - February 01, 2019 at 10:34 AM

NC

You and me both. I can't stop thinking about how we discussed flying down on Sunday, but we thought we had time to make that decision. I know these thoughts aren't particularly healthy, but I can't seem to stop them.

Natalee Cooper - February 01, 2019 at 12:18 PM



i talked with Joy on Friday and she updated his condition to me and i was thinking i need to call my brother this weekend but got sidetracked and forgot... i sure regard it now. i'm still very emotional over our loss. everybody loved my brother, he was much like my mom, genuine in his heart to everybody. we all loved him for it and always will.

Tim Cooper - February 04, 2019 at 11:14 PM



“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Tim Cooper - January 30, 2019 at 09:18 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of David B. Cooper.



January 30, 2019 at 04:05 PM

LW

“ *David was a joy to know and be around. He loved my sister Linda with every glance he stole.*

Lonny R. Waddle - January 30, 2019 at 03:57 PM

JC

“ I never got to meet my great uncle Dave but last year I was working on my family tree and couldn't find any photos of my grandpa (my dad's dad) or anything about him and no one had the time to help me with it...except for Dave. He messaged me and told me he would help me with it and for the next week and a half every morning when I woke up there was a message from him with photos and more information for my family tree then I ever thought I'd get to have. I don't think he ever knew how much that meant to me, even though he had never met me he was glad to help and answer any question I had for him. Sending love and prayers to his wife and kids and grandkids and anyone I may have missed...fly high uncle Dave. I'll meet you in heaven. 💕

jennifer marie creel - January 30, 2019 at 01:08 PM

NC

I love this story, Jennifer. He told me all about chatting with you and getting to know you while helping with the family tree. He loved being helpful and I think it meant as much to him to share with you as it did to you to fill in those gaps in your history. ❤️ He touched so many lives and we will all miss him. Love to you and your family.

Natalee Cooper - January 31, 2019 at 04:52 PM



“ In Memory - 6" L x 2.5" H Memorial Stone was purchased for the family of David B. Cooper.



January 30, 2019 at 09:17 AM

NC

“ In order to make sure anyone who is able to attend is aware, the service will be Friday, February 8th at 11:00am at the Santa Paula Cemetery off W Santa Paula Street in Santa Paula, CA. My Dad's parents and brother are buried there and it was his wish to be interred there with them. We will probably also do a memorial of sorts in WA, but we haven't worked out those details yet.

Thank you so much for all of your prayers and support at this difficult time. My Dad was loved by many people and it warms our hearts to know he was loved as much as he loved you all. Rest In Peace, my sweet Daddy-O. I love you forever and ever and I carry you in my heart always.

Natalee Cooper - January 30, 2019 at 12:12 AM

MS

My deepest condolences in the lost of your Dad....he was one super guy....enclosed healing energy from my heart to yours...Rest in peace my friend...

Margie & Syl Saavedra

Margie Solis-Saavedra - January 30, 2019 at 11:09 AM

TB

“ I never had the pleasure to know or meet this man. I only know of him through a daughter that he raised. She has made such an impression on me that I named my own daughter after her and raised her to model many of the same qualities. I swore I would raise a fiercely strong, wickedly smart and independant woman. A woman who would stand up for herself and would never have to look to a man for her money or her own self-worth. I am proud to say that Natalie will graduate with Honors from the University of Washington in about a year, carrying the torch of a fire that this man lit decades ago -- and she will do so for decades to come. She may have a daughter of her own one day, and the torch that David B. Cooper has lit will carry on through generations to come. Well done Mr. Cooper ! Rest in Peace.

Terry Brennan - January 29, 2019 at 03:13 PM

BC

“ So blessed to be able to be part of the Cooper family! Dave and Linda took me in as one of their own in a matter of minutes! Good memories of silly jokes, playing dominoes, a few holidays and a couple of great weddings! I will forever be grateful and will miss him!

beth cooper - January 29, 2019 at 02:26 PM

JS

“ I adored this man from the minute I met him when I was young. I loved his laugh and his sense of humor. Blessing to you Dave and your family.

Jodie Schmidt - January 29, 2019 at 02:09 PM

JD

“ 5 files added to the album Memories Album



Judi Dempsey - January 29, 2019 at 01:59 PM

RO

“ Rosalinda A. Ortiz sent a virtual gift in memory of David B. Cooper



Rosalinda A. Ortiz - January 29, 2019 at 01:36 PM

DR

“ Dicky And Suzanne Romero lit a candle in memory of David B. Cooper



Dicky and Suzanne Romero - January 28, 2019 at 04:26 PM