



Jody Wayne Burks

February 5, 1969 - September 19, 2014

Jody Wayne Burks, 45, passed away on September 19, 2014.

Jody is survived by wife, Jeanette, son Joshua, daughter Julia, parents Vickie and Ronnie Burks, brothers Ronnie Jr. and Brian (Shara and Clyde), Papa Hank Harvey, and preceded in death by his Nanny Hazel Harvey, both of whom were very instrumental in Jody's life for which he was exceedingly grateful. Jody was also loved deeply by mother-in-law, Bonnie Cook, sister-in-law April Cole (Daron, Brandy, Wyatt and Holly), and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews from both his and his wife's family. Jody was happy to have recently connected with family in Tennessee whom he loved dearly.

Jody was born on February 5, 1969 in Mountain View, California, however spent his childhood years in Ivanhoe. Jody graduated from Sequoia High School in Visalia, followed by fulfilling a four year term in the United States Coast Guard. Jody was a diligent professional, serving as an Electrician for many years, most recently with Dan Freitas Electric. He loved taking road trips, vacationing in Yosemite with his family and extended family, he enjoyed working on his property planting trees and shrubs that he would nurture from cuttings, and always looked forward to when family from Los Angeles or Alameda would be coming to visit. He was often considered quiet, but when you could find that subject that got him going he could keep you entertained for hours with his vast knowledge. Those of us whom have had those

conversations with him will cherish them always. "Jodo", how he was affectionately known by close family members, will be greatly missed by all who knew him whether it be personally or professionally.

A Celebration of Life Memorial will be held on Saturday, October 11th at 11:00 a.m. at Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel, 127 East Caldwell Avenue, Visalia, California 93277.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **29.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (PT)

Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel
127 E. Caldwell Ave
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Service

OCT **11.** 11:00 AM (PT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Jody Wayne Burks.* ”



October 08, 2014 at 01:56 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jody Wayne Burks.* ”



October 08, 2014 at 12:27 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with the family during this difficult time.* ”



Rebecca Pendleton - September 30, 2014 at 06:50 PM



“ *Julie Alafs lit a candle in memory of Jody Wayne Burks* ”



julie alafs - September 29, 2014 at 06:17 AM

JF

“ Jody has been a long time loyal and devoted employee. He was an inspiration to all of us. Not only as an employee, co-worker, a team player, but as a friend, part of our family, a brother. His dedication and integrity made him so special and unique.

We have been so blessed to have had Jody involved in our lives, to have had the pleasure of knowing and working with him. Jody's memories will always have a special place in our hearts that we will always cherish. We will forever be so thankful that our paths have crossed and Jody was a part of our lives. He will truly be missed by all of us who knew and worked with him.

Our hearts and prayers go out to the families at this most difficult time.

With Our Deepest Sympathies,
Danny & Jeanette Freitas

Jeanette Freitas - September 26, 2014 at 07:29 PM

FS

“ Freitas Electric Office Staff lit a candle in memory of Jody Wayne Burks



Freitas Electric Office Staff - September 26, 2014 at 12:26 PM

GA

“ Gabriel & Aiden sent a virtual gift in memory of Jody Wayne Burks



Gabriel & Aiden - September 25, 2014 at 12:44 PM

AA

“ Auntie, Gabriel & Aiden lit a candle in memory
of Jody Wayne Burks



Auntie, Gabriel & Aiden - September 25, 2014 at 12:42 PM