



Raymond Eugene Hopper

November 2, 1956 - May 3, 2016

Raymond Eugene Hopper, age 59, passed away on May 3, 2016. Raymond was born on November 2, 1956 to Cecil Shelby Hopper and Mildred Claudine Collins in Goshen, California. Raymond is the fourth of five children. He spent his early childhood in Goshen and then moved with his family to Tulare, Ca. Raymond went to school in Tulare and graduated from Tulare Western High School in 1974. As an adult he moved to Visalia. In 1987, he married his wife of 28 years, Diana Lynn Miller. He had two children, Shirah Hopper, a United States Navy Veteran and currently finishing her degree in organizational leadership, and Jillian Hopper, currently working toward her engineering degree.

Raymond was a devoted Christian, husband, and father. He worked 30 years for the United States Postal Service as a mail carrier. Raymond enjoyed spending quality time with his family and camping trips to the beach and mountains. He was an avid 49ers and Giants fan. He is survived by his wife Diana Lynn Miller-Hopper and his two daughters Shirah and Jillian. Memorial services will be held at First Jesus Name Church of Cameron Creek, 29076 Road 164, Farmersville, at 10am on Tuesday, May 10, 2016.

Previous Events

Memorial

MAY 10. 10:00 AM (PT)

First Jesus Name Church of Cameron Creek

29076 Rd. 164

Farmersville, CA 93223

<https://www.facebook.com/Cameroncreekchurch/>

Tribute Wall

Debi
Rogers

“ I first met Raymond in Redlands California where he would visit his big brother Mikes church, not long after he graduated. He used to load his car up with the teens from the church and we would go get ice cream, or del taco and cruise around Redlands and San Bernardino. We eventually moved up to Tulare, where we all attended church. He was always fun to be around, and was always smiling and joking around. I am saddened by the loss. My sincerest condolences go out to his wife, daughter's and extended family. He is with his mom, brother and dad now, and I know Claudine and Allen, were there to meet him at those pearly gates. The Hoppers will always have a close spot in my heart.



Debi Rogers - May 16, 2016 at 06:46 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Raymond Eugene Hopper.



May 07, 2016 at 05:52 PM

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“ My condolences to the family. It's been many years since I seen you guys. So Sorry for what you were going through in this illness that caused this tragedy. Will always remember Ray as the happy polite Man that he was. Ray loved the Lord and loved his wife and children very much. We can't judge unless you've walked a mile in another man's shoes. I pray for God's blessings on the family as you process Ray's death and the circumstances that led up to this tragedy. I ask that Jesus bring Beauty out of the ashes of the circumstances of Rays passing. I asked that Peace is given to the family and to the community and all that were involved. I ask that understanding be brought forth from the confusion. In Jesus Name. Amen.

Thacia Testerman - May 06, 2016 at 06:28 AM

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I want to express my sincere heartfelt condolences to all the family. Dianna & Jillian I want you to know how much we love you and are so sorry for your loss. I will always remember Ray as a kind gentle man who so loved God and his family. I remember how much he loved helping at the church. I want you to know you are in our thoughts and prayers. I pray the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will comfort you today and in the days to come.

Terri Heron

Terri Heron - May 06, 2016 at 11:01 AM

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We will remember Ray as the beautiful person he was. I had the opportunity of working with Ray at the US Postal Service for 19 years. He was a wonderful friend and fellow co-worker. Always giving his all to the task at hand. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Hopper family during this difficult time as they mourn their loss of husband, father, and friend. Ray, You will be missed and we shall meet again.

Brett & Glenda Fly, Visalia CA

Brett & Glenda Fly - May 10, 2016 at 09:39 AM



Diana, may God bless you and your family during this difficult time.

Debra Copeland

Debra Copeland - May 10, 2016 at 12:54 PM