



Arun Khaja

April 9, 1980 - July 2, 2025

December 9, 1979 – July 2, 2025

With heavy hearts, we announce the passing of Arun Khaja, a deeply cherished husband, father, brother, son-in-law, and friend, who left us far too soon on July 2, 2025, at the age of 45.

Born on December 9, 1979, Arun brought light and laughter into every life he touched. His kind heart, generous spirit, and ever-jovial nature were the cornerstone of who he was. Whether through a warm smile, a listening ear, or his unshakable optimism, Arun had an unmatched ability to uplift those around him.

He is lovingly remembered by his devoted wife, Thanuja Poothaluri, and his beloved daughter, Poshitha Lakshmi Sri Tanvi Khaja. He is also survived by his sister Lakshmi, her husband Krishna, and their daughters Dharmika and Paarnika; and by his sister Bhavana, her husband Tanmoy, and their sons Arjun and Rudra.

Arun was a beloved son-in-law to Nagamani Poothaluri and Venu Madhav Poothaluri. He is also lovingly remembered by his grandmother Jaya Lakshmi Paruchuri, and his uncle Tirumala Rao Paruchuri, along with a wide circle of extended family and close friends.

Arun's presence will be profoundly missed by his dear friends and by the many others whose lives he touched with his compassion, humor, and integrity. He leaves behind not just memories, but a legacy of love, laughter,

and friendship. His spirit will continue to inspire all who knew him.
We will remember your kind heart and jovial nature forever, Arun. Rest in
peace.

Services are being held at:

Westlawn Chapel & Mortuary Inc.

105 S Arizona Avenue

Willcox, AZ 85643

Date:07/02/2025

Time : 4:00 PM

If you'd like to send a cash gift, please feel free to use Zelle or Venmo to
Thanuja Poothaluri at 612-616-2654. Thank you so much!"

Cemetery Details

Westlawn Crematory

105 S. Arizona Ave.
Willcox, AZ 85643

Previous Events

Funeral

JUL 2. 4:00 PM (MT)

Westlawn Chapel & Mortuary Inc.
105 S Arizona Avenue
Willcox, AZ 85643
(520) 384-2413
westwx@vtc.net
<https://www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com>

Tribute Wall

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“ We met over the nett on yahoo chat site. At that time I was going through a divorce with my husband who was a drunkard and would physically abouse me. Arin was 10 years younger, but had wisdom way beyond his years. We became good friends and he was very consoling always ready with advise and in turn i would give him advise on certain life values also.
He was a good soul, always cheering me along my rough path. I will always remember him fondly.
My condolences to his wife daughter who he loved and was so proud of and to all his extended family.
May his soul rest in peace

Cheryl Thomas - July 04, 2025 at 08:06 AM

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“ Rahul Reddy Mamidi (Childhood friend) purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Arun Khaja.



Rahul Reddy Mamidi (Childhood friend) - July 02, 2025 at 01:48 PM

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“ Rahul Reddy Mamidi (Childhood friend) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Arun Khaja.

Rahul Reddy Mamidi (Childhood friend) - July 02, 2025 at 01:48 PM