



## Gary Lee "Cowboy" Tucker

December 20, 1982 - September 15, 2014

Gary Lee "Cowboy" Tucker of Cochise died September 15, 2014 at the age of 31. He was born in Pearce/Sunsites on December 20, 1982 to Leroy Tucker and Diane Kathleen Segal Tucker. Gary attended Valley Union High School where he played football, was a farmer, vineyard manager but his greatest love was being a farrier and cowboy. On April 19, 2012 in Bisbee he married Palma Bergeron who survives him. He is also survived by his children Travis Tucker of Morenci, Ryder Lee Tucker, Aiden Stapleton and Bryson Stapleton all of Cochise. His parents Leroy and Diane Tucker of Cochise and his sister Shannon Lee (Michael James) Votaw along with his niece Madison Hayles Smith also survive him. His mentor and father figure George Thornburgh of Pearce also survives him. A life celebration will be from 4 to 6 P.M. on Saturday, October 4, 2014 at Wynne Chapel. Please bring food to share with your memories.

# Cemetery Details

## Westlawn Crematory

105 S. Arizona Ave.  
Willcox, AZ 85643

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

OCT 4. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (MT)

Wynne Chapel  
2057 N. 1st Lane  
Cochise, AZ 85606

# Tribute Wall



“ Gary Lee "Cowboy" Tucker

January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ You know everone keeps telling me give it time it will get easier... Its not!! As the days go by the more I miss you. And just wish I could see your face, have you wrap your arms around me and tell it will all be ok.. I don't know what to do without you. I would give anything just to see you again. you knew how to comfort me like know when else could. I'm trying to find peace with knowing that you are in a better place, but I guess my selfishness still wants you here with us.. I miss you so much. I love you

palma tucker - October 21, 2014 at 09:12 AM



“ My cowboy,  
Every day that goes by I think of you, I miss you more than words can express.. you made me feel true love, from our first kiss to our last. We both had our faults but nothing ecer changed our love for each other nor will it. I wish you where here to share seeing our son grow. He is so much like you already. It is still hard for me to believe you aren't here anymore.. I just wish I could have one more day with you. To tell you how much you mean to me, to tell you I will never give up on you. I know you didnt want this.. I feel you here with me when I lay down every night. I pray that you come see me in my dreams!! I love you so much and we are lost without you. Until we meet again rest in peace my husband❤️  
Always and forever your wife. .

palma tucker - October 07, 2014 at 12:07 AM

AT

“ Dearest Gary,

*It has been weeks since your life was taken from us all too sudden. Our lives are devastated and our hearts broken. I know we have chosen separate roads to follow but that doesn't change the fact that you were my first love and that I wouldn't be the strong, independent woman that I am today without you. We had many good times and bad as most relationships go but the good ones are the ones that stick out the most! Just like our first dance, first kiss, the first time you brought me home to your parents! Or Our wedding day when we were pronounced husband and wife the horses in the back took off running leaving a cloud of dust in the sunset! Those are the times I remember and the ones I hold onto the most! You were an amazing man with so many talents! I was never disappointed by the love and friendship you showed towards everyone even though they would turn their backs on you and hurt you! All you ever wanted was to be loved and friends with everyone no matter what! I admired your ability to forgive! I was lucky the last time we spoke and you apologized for the heartaches, I was able to tell you that I forgave you and I got to thank you for the good times in our lives spent together! I have no regrets! Life is a learning experience! I am glad that I got to know you for your heart! I saw it all through your beautiful brown eyes! Long ago you dedicated a song to me "I'd come for you" by Nickelback and I believe every word that no matter what if I was ever in trouble or needed your help, you would be there for me! You are here with me now! You are a bright star! I am proud of your accomplishments and I am truly sorry that your life was taken so soon! I pray for justice and that there is peace for our families! We shared a bond that was never broken and a love that kept our friendship going! I miss your voice and beautiful smile! I can picture you now looking into my eyes with so much pain, you didn't cause this and you didn't ask for it, so please let your spirit lay to rest! May God bless us all! You will always be in my heart!*

*Always and forever,*

*Your Angelbaby Audrey Tucker*

**Audrey Tucker** - October 04, 2014 at 03:46 AM

TM

“ Gary I know you are with God and we choose to remember you the last time we saw you happy about life and how you loved your kids. We know how much you loved Shannon so we are going to support her now and we pray for Shannon and your parents and your kids. God bless you Rest In Peace



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**Terri M** - September 29, 2014 at 08:24 PM

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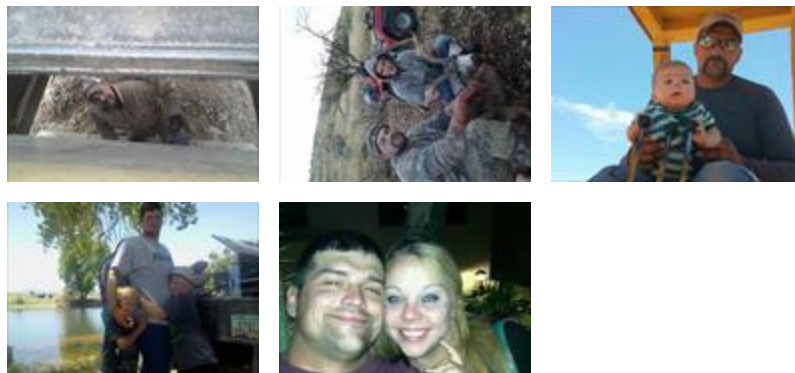


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**Palma** - September 21, 2014 at 11:15 AM

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**Westlawn Chapel** - September 19, 2014 at 07:07 PM

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“ Words can't describe the pain of losing you! I love you so much! There are so many things that I wish I could have told you before you were taken from us but I am blessed to have spoke to you three weeks prior. I will always cherish this summer when I got to see you. Such a handsome face, you look so much like your daddy! Mom and dad are in pain and I wish I could take that from them. Things happen for a reason is how we have been raised but this is not the way things should have went. An older sister should never have to bury her younger brother, and parents should not have to bury their son. I look into those beautiful brown eyes of yours and I can only wish I had one more chance. We spent so many years wasting time and energy on unimportant things. If I could take it all back and do it over again, I would make tons of changes. You had your flaws, you had your issues, but one things you never lost was your heart! You will always be my baby brother, my Bubba! If anyone can learn from this; I hope they can learn to cherish every minute, don't sweat the small stuff and regardless always love one another. Madison loves you so much, mom and dad as well. No one but you knows what happened the morning we lost you but I will not rest until I figure it out. The life you had was blessed in so many ways. You will always be my best friend even if afar! I love you Bubba! Hugs & Kisses, your big sister, Shannon Lee (Tucker) Votaw

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**Shannon Votaw** - September 18, 2014 at 07:28 PM

PB

Omg that just crushed me... shannon I wish I could just rewind that night. He was my everything I am lost without him. But having u gives some comfort. If that means anything

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**palma tucker and our boys** - September 18, 2014 at 09:32 PM

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“ 2 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Westlawn Chapel - September 18, 2014 at 10:21 AM

PB

*One of the best days of our lives* ❤️

palma tucker and our boys - September 18, 2014 at 02:13 PM



“ *May the Lord be with you all. Sorry for your loss. Always here.*

Tania Mead - September 18, 2014 at 12:37 AM

PJ

“ *My condolence to Gary's parents Leroy and Diane and his sister Shannon and his wife Palma and the boys. My prayers and thoughts are with you all. May Gary rest in peace, he will be missed.*



peggy jackson - September 17, 2014 at 09:47 PM

PB

*Thank you ?*

palma tucker and our boys - September 17, 2014 at 10:35 PM

PB

“ *I love you so much Gary. I am lost without you.. forever in our hearts*

palma tucker and our boys - September 17, 2014 at 09:00 PM

JM

“ *John&Bertha Mueller lit a candle in memory of Gary Lee "Cowboy" Tucker*



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**John&Bertha Mueller** - September 17, 2014 at 07:53 PM

JO

*We Will Always Remember you by your kindness and honesty. God Bless You And Know You Were Loved.*

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**John** - September 17, 2014 at 07:57 PM