



## Nick Linton

November 19, 1951 - March 29, 2016

Nick Linton was born in Littlefield, Texas on November 19, 1951, and left us on March 29, 2016. He loved being a farmer and most especially his many years with Spitler Land and Cattle located between Sunizona and Elfrida, AZ. When the Spitler farm sold in 1997, Nick became a partner in Rucker Enterprises, known as 'Don's Pipe Company' and 'Rucker Farm & Auto'. Nick and Denise (Osborne) were married on December 21, 1975. He is survived by his wife, Denise, and three sisters: Janet Rabel and Donna Harmon of Texas, plus Mary Linton of Arizona. He is also survived by two younger siblings, Michael Linton and Donna DeLong of Colorado. He was preceded in death by his parents, Ray and Hazel Linton.

Please think of Nick with a smile and extend your thanks to any farmer(s) you may know. The family asks that remembrance donations be made to the following rural healthcare providers: Douglas Dialysis Center at 99 E. 16th Street, Douglas, AZ 85607, and/or Northern Cochise Community Hospital, Inc. at 901 W. Rex Allen Drive, Willcox, AZ 85643. Arrangements entrusted to Westlawn Chapel, Mortuary and Crematory of Willcox, Arizona. You may express condolences at [www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com](http://www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Nick Linton*

January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ *Denise,*

*We have been thinking about you and Nick and the things we enjoyed together.*

*Having Nick as a friend meant a great deal to us.*

*Rich and Janette Thompson*

**Richard Thompson** - May 03, 2016 at 09:32 AM



“ *Susan Poire lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton*



**Susan Poire** - April 13, 2016 at 12:13 PM



“ *Denise this is Suzanne (Riggs) Summers. Heard of the sad news through the family back home today. I live up in the Panhandle of Texas. I hope my prayers can help comfort you during this time. Sure doesn't seem that 40 years have gone by since we were all together. I will always remember the good times we all shared. God bless you Denise.*

**Suzanne (Riggs) Summers** - April 11, 2016 at 08:01 PM

BK

“ *Barbara Kocevar lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton*



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**Barbara Kocevar** - April 07, 2016 at 09:52 PM

MA

“ *Mart lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton*



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**Mart** - April 05, 2016 at 10:23 PM

MA

“ *So sorry for your loss Denise, having just lost Lauren 3 weeks ago I feel like I know what you are going through. Nick and I shared some of the most memorable times in my life. He was truly a great friend who I will never forget. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and his family. May God Bless you,*

*Mart*

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**Mart** - April 05, 2016 at 10:22 PM

GL

*Denise, I also have lost a very good friend. Condolences to you and family. Prayers are with you. Gary Laurence*

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**Gary Laurence** - April 12, 2016 at 09:30 PM

PA

“ *Paco And Kim Aguirre lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton*



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**Paco and Kim Aguirre** - April 01, 2016 at 10:58 PM

EM

“ *Ellen Morris lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton*



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**Ellen morris** - April 01, 2016 at 11:46 AM

TM

“ *Our thought and prayers are with you Denise  
John, Bertha & Terri Mueller*



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**Terri M** - March 31, 2016 at 11:53 PM

CB

“ *Carolyn Brassard lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton*



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**Carolyn Brassard** - March 31, 2016 at 05:36 PM

BW

“ Nick was a very special friend to David and myself. Denise, you and Nick helped us through some very difficult times. I feel our friendship has remained strong even though there is a great physical distance. I am so glad I got to see him last fall. He will be so missed. RIP Nick.

Bethel Wentz - March 31, 2016 at 09:33 AM

LS

“ Denise, I am so sorry to hear of Nick's passing. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. I hope your happy memories of Nick will help you get through this very difficult time. Please accept my heartfelt sympathies. Lois Buck Sims.

Lois Buck Sims - March 31, 2016 at 12:43 AM

MD

“ Martie Doke lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton



Martie Doke - March 30, 2016 at 03:47 PM



“ Ann Varvel lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton



Ann Varvel - March 30, 2016 at 02:06 PM

ID

“ *Imaging Department lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton*



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**Imaging Department** - March 30, 2016 at 01:37 PM

EW

“ *Edna Wien lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton*



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**Edna Wien** - March 30, 2016 at 12:07 PM

PM

“ *Our deepest sympathy to Denise and family. May God bless you and give you strength through the loss of Nick.*



*Our thoughts and prayers.*

*God Bless!*

*Patsy and Pete McCanne*

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**Patsy McCanne** - March 30, 2016 at 11:51 AM

KL

“ I felt honored to be able to call Nick a friend. Nick loved to try to put on this rough and gruff forefront but once you got to know him you knew he was really a soft hearted and very kind man. He loved Denise with every bone in his body. I know she has a huge hole in her heart with Nicks passing. Denise please know your many friends are here to support you in this sad time. We love you.  
Dennis and Kathy Leonard

Kathy Leonard - March 30, 2016 at 10:26 AM



“ Betsy Ajeman lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton



Betsy Ajeman - March 30, 2016 at 08:34 AM

RG

“ Thoughts and prayers for Denise and the Linton family.  
Rhyna (Jones) Giudice



Rhyna (Jones) Giudice - March 29, 2016 at 11:18 PM

ED

“ Esther Dixon lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton



Esther Dixon - March 29, 2016 at 06:14 PM

RB

“ *Rita Bedolla lit a candle in memory of Nick Linton*



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**Rita Bedolla** - March 29, 2016 at 05:56 PM