



## David Ryan Newman

September 9, 1972 - May 3, 2019

David Ryan Newman, age 46, of Huntsville, Texas passed away unexpectedly, Friday, May 3, 2019, leaving behind devastated family and friends.

David, a longtime resident of Huntsville, was born to David and Gloria Newman in Greenfield, Indiana on September 9, 1972, and is survived by his wife of 20 years, Sandy Newman; daughter, Morgan Taylor Newman, and son, David Augusta (Gus) Newman. He also leaves behind his brother and wife, Josh and Morgan Newman of Huntsville, TX and their children, Leighton and Blair, as well as sister and husband, Sarah and Sam Hardin of New Caney, TX and their children, Samuel and Lincoln. He was also loved and adored by brother-in-law and wife, Joe and Katy Tyler of Huntsville, TX and their children Savannah and Ty; brother-in-law and wife, Wayne and Crystal Pool of Huntsville, TX and their children, Emme, Caroline, Cotton, Henry and Sarah; and sister-in-law and husband Suzy and Gary Riley and their children Maddie, Jack, Grady, MaryJo and Raymond. He is also survived by his in-laws: Debbie and Mike Skidmore of Huntsville, TX; Wayne Sr and Debbie Pool of Huntsville, TX; and Mary Jo Pool of Huntsville, TX.

David is preceded in death by his son, Blake Ryan Newman; grandparents, David and Thelma Newman of Huntsville, TX; and Bernice and Pauline Thompson of Wilkinson, Indiana.

David and his family moved to Huntsville in 1980. He graduated from Huntsville High School in 1990 and went on to receive his Associates Degree from DeVry University in Dallas. After graduating, he worked for a time in the technical business before changing career paths to join the oilfield. It was here in the Brotherhood of the Oilfield that he made many long-lasting and cherished friendships. Being a part of the patch was a harsh tradeoff, but he made it work to provide a good life for his family. As a veteran of the oilfield, he cherished every moment he was home. You could always find him around the campfire simply enjoying time with his family and friends. When not at home, he loved to spend his time hunting in South Texas. There were fewer places on earth he would rather be. He was also a member of the American Legion Post 95. As a member of the Riders of the American Legion, he enjoyed rides on his Harley with fellow Riders and truly felt free

from the weight that life sometimes brings.

It is with heavy hearts that we say goodbye to this loving and devoted man. There are no words to express our shock and sorrow; we only have comfort in knowing that he has been reunited with Blake, never to be separated again.

David's pallbearers are special friends Clint Wilson, Justin Waltz, Alan Fulenwider, Jared Hathorn, Tyler Dartez, Randal Prehoda, Burk Yates, Mike Price, Jason Kelley and Dalton Ramon. Honorary pallbearers include Huey Campbell, Joey Williamson, Kameron Thompson, Gary Davis, and Scott Ducote.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Second Baptist Church of Huntsville or American Legion Post 95 in memory of David.

# Cemetery

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# Events

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**McAdams Cemetery**

Huntsville, TX,

**MAY**

**8**

**Visitation**

05:00PM - 08:00PM

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Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home - Huntsville  
1700 Normal Park Dr., Huntsville, TX, US, 77340

**MAY**

**9**

**Service**

10:00AM

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Second Baptist Church  
2517 Sam Houston Ave., Huntsville, TX, US, 77340

# Comments

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“ Dear Sandy, Morgan, Gus, and fellow loved ones,

It's a sure bet that each of us carries many memories of David's generosity. One of my favorites is from the time that Kristi and I arrived with many from the Thompson clan who drove from Indiana to Huntsville for a week-long stay during July 4th holiday. This was the 'big family' visit back in the 1990's with Grandma and Grandpa there too.

I was already lucky to be there for so many great memories that week. Then David decided to devote an entire day to two of his 'favorite' uncles (Steve and me). He decided to take us on a road trip across hundreds of miles and back.

We had a blast. That day made us feel incredibly special and is still one of my best ever adventures. This ended up being much more than a road trip... Our time with David was his gift to help us reconnect and grow closer to him and each other. That day is and always will remain fresh and alive in my mind as if we just got back today.

With deepest sympathy,  
Uncle Barry

**Barry McKinsey** - June 08 at 05:27 PM

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“ Ramona Ready Koch lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



**Ramona Ready Koch** - May 10 at 03:14 PM

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“ Oh Sandy I am so sorry - I know he is with Blake but I can't imagine what y'all are going through. My prayers are with you and your family. - Pam Olson

**Pam Olson** - May 09 at 06:11 PM

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“ Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman

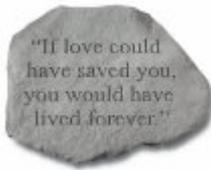


Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb - May 09 at 10:54 AM

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“ Garden Accent Stone - 'If love could have saved you' was purchased for the family of David Ryan Newman.



May 08 at 08:25 PM

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“ Our prayers are with all of the family.  
Diane Smith and Darlene Mann

Diane Pool Smith - May 08 at 06:11 PM

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“ Papa John & Marianne Gosselink lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



Papa John & Marianne Gosselink - May 08 at 06:08 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all!

Papa John - May 08 at 06:08 PM

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“ Sandy and family, we are so sorry for your loss. Our deepest condolences to all the family.

Larry & Martha Grisham

Martha Grisham - May 08 at 10:50 AM

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“ Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of David Ryan Newman.



May 08 at 10:23 AM

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“ Dave & Gloria,

Our hearts are aching for you, it's difficult to say good-bye to such a cherished loved one. We send our deepest sympathy, our prayers & much love to all of David Ryan's family. May you find comfort knowing he is with Blake & safe in the arms of Jesus. So very sorry for your loss.

Love, Sherry & Gene

Sherry Rigney - May 07 at 10:57 PM

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“ Dave & Gloria,  
So very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers to you and your family.  
Barry and Wanda

Wanda Lennis - May 07 at 09:51 PM

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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David Ryan Newman.



May 07 at 04:56 PM

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“ My deepest sympathy is with you and your family at this very sad and difficult time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Love,

Michael and Katrina Sassin

**Katrina Sassin** - May 07 at 02:10 PM

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“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of David Ryan Newman.



May 07 at 12:47 PM

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“ Love, Joe Bill & Tisha purchased the Thoughts & Prayers for the family of David Ryan Newman.



**Love, Joe Bill & Tisha** - May 07 at 11:24 AM

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“ WITH MUCH PRAYER AND LOVE , DONNA MCDOWELL,LISA AND JUSTIN BROWN

**DONNA MCDOWELL** - May 07 at 10:48 AM

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“ Gloria and David--- please accept my sincere condolences on the loss of your son. I'm always at a loss for words during these difficult times, but myself and your friends and classmates will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers.

**Phillip Dockter** - May 07 at 10:46 AM

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“ I can find no words to express how sorry we are for your loss. We will keep you in our prayers.

Gary & Brenda Peryea



**Brenda Peryea** - May 07 at 10:45 AM

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“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of David Ryan Newman.



May 07 at 06:51 AM

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“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of David Ryan Newman.



May 07 at 02:13 AM

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“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of David Ryan Newman.



May 06 at 11:37 PM

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“ With heavy heart I want to tell David's family how sorry I am that he was taken so early. Hugs and love to you all in this time of sorrow. God bless your family.



**Gay and Jud Perry** - May 06 at 10:45 PM

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“ Sydney Paul lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



**Sydney Paul** - May 06 at 09:24 PM

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“ C.C. Koehnle purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of David Ryan Newman.



C.C. Koehnle - May 06 at 08:53 PM

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“ Angela Perry lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



Angela Perry - May 06 at 08:38 PM

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“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of David Ryan Newman.



May 06 at 08:29 PM

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“ Kenneth & Edith Dixon  
Lane Ellisor



Edith;Ellisor Dixon - May 06 at 08:11 PM

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“ Edd & Terry Doughtie Artherholt sent a virtual gift in memory of David Ryan Newman



Edd & Terry Doughtie Artherholt - May 06 at 08:01 PM

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“ Mike And Sheri (Stanford) Baldwin lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



Mike and Sheri (Stanford) Baldwin - May 06 at 06:57 PM

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“ Larra Derden-Ketkoski and Family purchased the Summer's Light Bouquet for the family of David Ryan Newman.



Larra Derden-Ketkoski and Family - May 06 at 05:13 PM

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“ Mark Morgan & Stacy Buckner lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



Mark Morgan & Stacy Buckner - May 06 at 04:20 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David Ryan Newman.



May 06 at 04:16 PM

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“ Our prayers for the Newman Family.  
May God comfort you all during this difficult time.



Rodney N Evelyn Turner - May 06 at 04:02 PM

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“ Blaine, Sherry And Garrett Fabre lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



Blaine, Sherry and Garrett Fabre - May 06 at 03:58 PM

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“ Lori Young lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



Lori Young - May 06 at 03:07 PM



“ My heart is beyond broken for the Newman family. I still can't wrap my head around the news that I received on Friday night. I know the reunion that you had with Blake and grandma & grandpa Thompson had to be amazing that night when you entered into Heaven. I pray that God will give your family comfort and strength as they go through the next several days, weeks, even months as you struggle to understand and find your way without him by your side. Gloria, David, Josh, Sarah, Sandy, Morgan & Gus, as well as the rest of the Thompson family - you are all in my prayers. David Ryan, you are forever my nephew and in my heart. I love you!

**Lori Young** - May 06 at 03:13 PM

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“ Wade & Kelly King lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



**Wade & Kelly King** - May 06 at 02:17 PM

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“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of David Ryan Newman.



May 06 at 12:36 PM

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“ James, Misty, and Brody Henry



**Misty henry** - May 06 at 11:58 AM

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“ We have know David for a long time through his dad at work and the softball field watching my granddaughter playing with his daughter. He was always there for anything the girls needed. He also was a friend to my son. I can't believe such a awesome life has been taken from this world. He will be truly missed. I pray that God will wrap his arms around his family and give them peace.

Peggy Knight

Peggy Knight - May 06 at 11:20 AM

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“ Kale & Krista Murray lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



Kale & Krista Murray - May 06 at 11:04 AM

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“ Prayers for the Newman family. May you find comfort in the days ahead.



Lee Ann (Shelly) Victory - May 06 at 11:02 AM

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“ Such a sweet family. My heart breaks for all of you. May God comfort your hearts during this time.



Teresa Ringo - May 06 at 10:31 AM



“ Shane And Madilene Loosier lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



**shane and Madilene Loosier** - May 06 at 09:20 AM

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“ David you being my oldest nephew there are so many memories forever in my heart, mind and soul you grew into an amazing man, father,son to my sister, brother to josh and sarah father to your children husband to sandy with a beautiful heart and soul with a piece missing after blake passed and now that same missing piece is left here on for all of us on earth loving and missing you always

**Aunt Suzanne** - May 06 at 05:53 AM

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“ Joe And June Smith lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



**Joe and June Smith** - May 05 at 09:48 PM

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“ Clint And Stacey Widner sent a virtual gift in memory of David Ryan Newman



**Clint and Stacey Widner** - May 05 at 09:04 PM

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“ Clint And Stacey Widner lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



Clint and Stacey Widner - May 05 at 09:02 PM

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“ Praying for Sandy and her family!



Kelley Wilkinson - May 05 at 05:50 PM

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“ M. Hyvl lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



M. Hyvl - May 05 at 05:37 PM

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“ John Gosselink lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



John Gosselink - May 05 at 03:59 PM



“ Derwood And Nancy Collum lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



**Derwood and Nancy Collum** - May 05 at 03:55 PM

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“ David Ryan's smile lit up any space he ever walked through. I have no doubt now, that the stars above will be shining a little brighter- in competition. May God wrap you all in His arms, that you might use His strength and courage to help you through these next days. May He touch your hearts, that you might be calmed by His loving warmth and gentleness

Georgiann Christopher

**Georgiann Christopher** - May 05 at 01:42 PM

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“ God bless.  
Gary and Janie Joyce

**Gary Joyce** - May 05 at 01:20 PM

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“ We love you David R. Newman! You have been a wonderful father, son, brother, nephew and friend to all. You brought us so much joy and will never forget you. Hope you and Blake Ryan are enjoying and making more beautiful memories. We pray for your families in the days to follow. Please continue to watch over them!

**Phil and Debbie Thompson** - May 05 at 12:40 PM

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“ Our sympathy to your family! God bless you all!



**David Bradham** - May 05 at 10:28 AM

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“ Mellicent Sikes Wiley lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



**Mellicent Sikes Wiley** - May 05 at 04:55 AM

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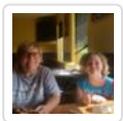


“ Our deepest sympathy to the Newman Family.  
May God comfort you all during this difficult, sad time. We love you all.



**Becky (Martin) & Don Spelce** - May 05 at 12:17 AM

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“ Prayers and love for the Newman family!

**Kathy Schulz** - May 04 at 06:42 PM

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“ Praying for the Newman family!



**Tina Horne Ward** - May 04 at 06:29 PM

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“ Sherry Carter lit a candle in memory of David Ryan Newman



**Sherry Carter** - May 04 at 06:23 PM