



Travis Lee Pool

December 3, 1939 - February 6, 2014

Travis Lee Pool Travis was born December 3, 1939 in Richards, Texas and passed away Monday afternoon, February 3, 2014 at his home after a lengthy battle with cancer. Visitation will held from 5-8 pm at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Huntsville, Texas, Wednesday, February 5th. Services will be held at 10am Thursday, February 6, 2014 at the Richards United Methodist Church, with burial following at Bays Chapel Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Bays Chapel Cemetery, P.O. Box 250, Richards, Texas 77873 or the Richards United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 576, Richards, Texas 77873. Travis always had numerous projects in the works, building hotrods, racecars, engines, guns & knives. His most recent purchase is a 1954 "Seagraves" fire truck, which he had plans to restore. His pride and joy was his 1923 Model "T" Roadster with a Lincoln V-12 motor in it along with his 2002 Harley. He loved to hunt and fish and enjoyed Barbequing Briskets. He was on the Mobil Cook Team for many years while living in Monahans, Texas. He graduated from Richards High School in 1959 and retired from Mobil Oil Corp. in May 1995 with over 34 years of service. He is survived by his Brenda Nell Pool of almost 52 years marriage; son Gary D. Pool and wife Gwen of Richards; daughter-in-law Susan Pool of Montgomery, Texas. Grandchildren Allen Pool, Amanda Walding and husband Slade of Richards, Sidney Pool and Morgan Pool of Montgomery and Great Grandson Kilan Cross "Thumper" Walding of Richards, Texas. Two Brothers Homer Pool and wife Elsie, Joey Pool and wife Jane all of Richards; Brothers and Sisters-In-Law Mike and

Cindy Matchett, Neil Keisler and Nancy Moriarty Keisler of Richards.
Numerous nieces and nephews and cousins. He is preceded in death by his parents Clarence Eben and Hattie Lou Pool and son Barry Lynn Pool. Mother and Father-In-Law Lester and Katherine Keisler. Travis was loved and respected by many. He will be missed by those who called him, Husband, Daddy, Paw Paw, Brother, Uncle and Friend. They broke the mold when they made him. The Pool Family wishes to thank the Hospice Team. Those wishing to leave memorial condolences for the family may do so at www.shmfh.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Travis Lee Pool*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Today we lost a great man. A husband, a father, a father-in-law, a brother, an uncle, and a friend. He will be missed by many, and fondly remembered by everyone.*

He was very special to me. He took me in from day 1 as if I were his own. I couldn't have asked for a better father-in-law. He was such a character, he was TOUGH, inside and out, but he was also tender, in his gruff sort of way. If you loved him, you know the gruff tenderness I speak of, he had a HUGE Big Ole Soft Spot, right in the middle of him, that if you we're lucky enough to find it you'd NEVER forget it. When he loved, he'd loved deeply.

We may have lost his physical presence today, but his love, his laughter and his spirit will live on in each of our hearts. Travis Pool, "Too Cool" Pool, The Old Fart, we love you!

Gwen Pool - February 07, 2014 at 10:48 AM

SM

“ Brenda,
I can't even begin to comprehend the depth of your loss in losing someone you've been married to for 52 years and loved long before that. I remember when you first got interested in the handsome wild guy with the crewcut and am so happy for the good times you shared with him. In a time of frequently fluid relationships, yours stands tall. I admire you for it.
I hope your family and friends will be a constant source of support for you in the coming days.
If I were in Texas, I would most certainly be at the funeral.
Unfortunately, I'm not.
Please know that my sincerest good wishes and condolences are there in my place.
Love,
Sheila

Sheila Morris - February 06, 2014 at 10:24 AM

BV

“ Brenda,
You are in my thoughts and prayers in this time of grief and sadness. Travis was a unique and special man, who I have nothing but respect and admiration for. Family and friends will always be there for you, to keep the special memories close to your heart.
Love you.

Brenda Vezorak - February 06, 2014 at 09:57 AM

JF

“ Faye and I both sad to hear of the death of Travis, he quite a man who had many projects to complete but the Lord had other plans. Sorry Faye and I can not attend the service as she is undergoing cancer treatment up in Minnesota. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. God Bless

John & Faye Faust - February 05, 2014 at 02:59 PM

BB

“ I love you Brenda and Travis..lots of good memories will ease the pain of losing Travis..

Beverly Bennett - February 05, 2014 at 11:38 AM

RM

“ Brenda, our condolence and prayers are with you and your family. We have lots of good memories of our many years of friendship. Lots of funny times with Travis with Mobil.

Richard Modawell - February 05, 2014 at 09:56 AM

PA

“ The Pool Family,
May God place his arms around each of you and comfort you. We have lost a great guy. We will keep you in our prayers. The Pavlocks

Pavlocks - February 05, 2014 at 09:18 AM

DN

“ *Brenda, You and your family are in my prayers. Just remember how many friends you have and always remember the good times.*

Love you

Douglas Nobles - February 04, 2014 at 07:47 PM

TP

“ *MY DEEPEST CONDOLENCES TO BRENDA. TRAVIS WAS ALWAYS A GOOD FRIEND OF MINE. HE WILL BE DEEPLY MISSED THOMAS PODRAZA AND FRAN*

thomas podraza - February 04, 2014 at 03:03 PM

LB

“ *Brenda, I'm so sorry for your loss. My prayers and thoughts are with you during this difficult time.*

Liz

Liz Bello - February 04, 2014 at 12:59 PM