



## Harry "Bobby" Coakley Jr.

June 21, 1962 - May 10, 2026

Harry "Bobby" Coakley, Jr., 62, passed away on Sunday, May 10th of 2026 in Lake Arthur, New Mexico. Please take a moment and share a kind thought or memory with Coakley family at [www.andersonbethany.com](http://www.andersonbethany.com).

SERVICES: Funeral Services will be held at Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory on Saturday, June 6th, 2026, 10:00 am with Pastor De La Sontos officiating. Interment will follow at South Park Cemetery.

On June 21st, 1962, Harry Coakley, Jr. was born to Harry Coakley Sr. & Rosemarie Kobler Coakley in Neu-Ulm, Germany.

Harry "Bobby" Coakley, was a father, grandfather, brother, and friend, passed away unexpectedly on May 10th, 2026, at the age of 62. He was a man known for his kind heart, generous spirit, and unwavering willingness to help anyone in need.

He found great joy in the outdoors, especially fishing and camping. Whether sitting quietly by the water with a fishing pole in hand or spending time around a campfire with family and friends, he appreciated life's simple moments and the memories they created. Nature was one of his favorite places to be, and he shared that love with those around him.

Harry will be remembered most for the compassion he showed others. He was the kind of person who would lend a hand without hesitation, offer support during difficult times, and make people feel welcomed and cared for.

His strength, kindness, and sense of humor touched many lives.

He leaves behind cherished family members and friends who will deeply miss his love, guidance, and presence. Though he is no longer with us, the memories he created and the lives he impacted will remain forever in the hearts of those who knew and loved him.

Those left to cherish and honor his memory include his children: Eric Johnson of Mesa, Arizona; Adrianna Vega of Roswell, New Mexico; and Hannah Mesquita of Lake Arthur, New Mexico.

He is also survived by his stepchildren: Eric Mesquita and Priscilla Mesquita, both of Lake Arthur, New Mexico.

Harry's grandchildren include Olivia Johnson of Mesa, Arizona, Briella Mesquita, and Ezra Mesquita, who were dearly loved by their grandfather.

He is further survived by his siblings: Brenda Kobler Wingate Waggoner of Roswell, New Mexico, and Dr. Deborah Coakley, Ed.D., of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Also left to treasure his memory are his nephew and nieces: Chris Waggoner of Roswell, New Mexico; Natasha Randall of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Ashlee Coakley of Albuquerque, New Mexico; and Tyler Waggoner of Roswell, New Mexico; Eri Waggoner of Roswell, New Mexico.

Harry was preceded in death by his parents Harry Coakley Sr. & Rosemarie Kobler Coakley

The family of Harry Coakley, Jr. would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to everyone who has shown love, support, prayers, flowers, cards, and acts of

kindness during this difficult time. Your comforting words and presence have brought strength and peace to our family as we remember and celebrate his life.

We are deeply thankful to all who cared for him, stood beside us, and shared in honoring his memory. Your compassion and support will never be forgotten.

Harry "Bobby" Coakley's tribute was written in his honor by family.

# Upcoming Events

## Funeral Service

JUN 6. 10:00 AM (MT)

Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory  
2609 South Main  
Roswell, NM 88203  
(575) 622-5888  
[abfh@andersonbethany.com](mailto:abfh@andersonbethany.com)

*Interment to follow at South Park Cemetery 3101 South Main Street Roswell, NM*

# Tribute Wall

MK

“ We met in May 1988 in Colorado Springs...long time ago...but I thought of u many times.  
Still can't believe ur gone...R.I.P Bobby❤️

Manuela Kotzur-Coakley - May 17 at 08:56 AM

RS

“ RACHEL SANCHEZ lit a candle in memory of Harry Coakley



RACHEL SANCHEZ - May 16 at 12:26 PM

LE

“ Lisa Villarreal Espinoza lit a candle in memory of Harry Coakley



Lisa Villarreal Espinoza - May 15 at 12:16 PM

PJ

“ My condolences to the entire Coakley Family. The last time I saw Bobby was many years-ago in Albuquerque and I remember he showed my late brother and I, love and respect - he was cooler than air-conditioning.  
May The Lord rest the soul of Bobby Coakley!

Prince Michael Jauregui - May 14 at 08:37 AM

DC

“ *May you rest in peace Bobby, love you dearly.*



Deborah Coakley - May 13 at 05:06 PM

RH

*Dc. Been trying to find you, sorry to hear about Bobby. In my head I can hear your mom yelling Booby!*

Ruth Maria Hoskins - May 15 at 09:16 PM

DC

*Yes, they are finally together again.*

Deborah Coakley - May 19 at 01:25 PM

LM

“ *Laura Montoya & family deepest sympathy for your loss. RIP Bobby.*



Laura Montoya - May 13 at 03:02 PM

AB

“ *Amie Barela lit a candle in memory of Harry Coakley*



Amie Barela - May 13 at 01:13 PM

JA

“ *Jo Ann Archuleta lit a candle in memory of Harry Coakley*



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**Jo Ann Archuleta** - May 12 at 10:19 PM

BR

*to my brother Bobby I will always love you Brenda  
Bet Midler song stay with me*

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**Brenda** - May 18 at 10:49 AM