



## Jeff Stroble

July 31, 1972 - July 21, 2019

Fire Apparatus Operator and Hero, JEFF STROBLE, 46, passed away on Sunday, July 21, 2019, at University Medical Center (UMC), in Lubbock, Texas, after battling to recover from his injuries sustained from a firework explosion. Celebrate Jeff's life by visiting [www.andersonbethany.com](http://www.andersonbethany.com) to offer a memory or expression of sympathy for his family.

**SERVICES:** Jeff's Funeral Service will be held at the Roswell Convention Center on Friday, July 26, 2019, at 2:00 PM. Interment will follow at South Park Cemetery. Jerry Chaves will officiate Jeff's service.

On July 31, 1972, Jeff was born to Charles and Annie Stroble in Roswell, New Mexico. He graduated from Goddard High School. After graduation, Jeff attended a Fire Academy and became a Firefighter. On August 16, 2004, Jeff married his soulmate and partner for life, Reba. Together, they had three beautiful children, whom he adored. Spending time with his friends and family was something Jeff loved to do. And he always cooked to feed them, barbecuing and grilling his amazing steaks, ribs, and chicken. He absolutely loved his dogs: Sir Chugs a Lot, Miley, and Gabby.

Jeff was a Fire Apparatus Operator who is an integral part of the emergency operations. He was with the Roswell Fire Department for seventeen years. An honorable and strong man who strived for the best in every aspect of his life, Jeff was a man of valor and humbly remained proud to serve his community as a fireman. His courageous fight inspired many people around him, from friends to the entire community of Roswell and surrounding areas, but

profoundly touched his family. All will remember Jeff Stroble as a brave hero, who never gave up.

Outdoor lover, Jeff enjoyed traveling, camping, fishing, golf, bowling, and heavy metal music. He was a die-hard Cowboys fan, movie quoting fanatic, "Vegas Baby" (Roulette & Blackjack), and Beer Connoisseur. Jeff's favorite holiday was Independence Day (4th of July) and all the celebrations. He was greatly loved and will be intensely missed, not only by his family and friends, but by all those blessed to have known him, and those of our community that were touched by this tragedy. Roswell lost a beloved firefighter.

**SURVIVORS:** Those left to forevermore cherish memories of Jeff are his loving wife, Reba Stroble; children: Kyle (Rebecca), Tyler, Kadence; grandchildren: Jackson and Ava; parents, Charles and Annie Stroble; siblings: Anthony Stroble, Sarah (Warren) Aldrich, Charity Lassiter; aunts and uncles: Mary Rogers, Maudie (Lenard) Mahan, Donald (Joan) Tyler, Nelda (Luis) Mendoza, Aubrey (Martha) Tyler, Gail Turner, Scott (Diane) Stroble; nieces and nephews: Noah (Ashlyn) Stroble, Jonah Stroble, Noah Whitley, Kinzie Aldrich, McKenna Aldrich; mother-in-law and father-in-law: Warren and Reba Aldrich; close friends: Ruben Becerra, Shawn Kennedy, Elvio Palma, Roswell Fire Department brothers and families; beloved dogs: Sir Chugs, Miley, Gabby; many, many cousins and friends; and extended family by marriage, whom loved Jeff dearly.

**PRECEDED:** Preceding Jeff in death were his maternal grandparents: Thurman and Goldie Tyler; paternal grandparents: Charles and Muriel Stroble; aunts and uncles: Jerry Stroble, Iona Ketchell, Earl Tyler, Harell Tyler, Tom Tyler, Lou Etta Hignight, Callie Herring; special cousin, Sandy Kethcell; and many numerous cousins and family member from marriage.

# Previous Events

## Service

JUL **26**. 2:00 PM (MT)

Roswell Convention & Civic Center  
912 N Main St  
Roswell, NM 88201  
(575) 624-6860

# Tribute Wall



“ *Jeff Stroble*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Condolences to family and friends. I know your going through a lot right now. God has a plan although we cannot always see. God bless Jeff and family.*

*George Peterson*

**george peterson** - July 26, 2019 at 03:21 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to Jeff's family and friends. God bless you all and may he rest in peace*



**Jessica Bristow Hughes** - July 26, 2019 at 02:35 PM



“ *Please accept my sympathies.*

*John Liebson*

*Founder, first volunteer fire chief, first career fire chief, Crested Butte, Colorado, Fire Protection District*

*Founder, first volunteer fire chief, Eldorado Volunteer Fire and Rescue Service, Santa Fe County, New Mexico*

**John Llebson** - July 26, 2019 at 12:52 PM

KV

“ *Reba and family my condolences and prayers are with you at this time of grieving*

Kathy Vigil - July 26, 2019 at 12:32 PM

SF

“ *Sanchez Family lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



Sanchez Family - July 26, 2019 at 11:07 AM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Jeff Stroble.*



July 26, 2019 at 09:14 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Jeff Stroble.*



July 26, 2019 at 05:33 AM

RH

“ Robert Yolanda Herrera sent a virtual gift in memory of Jeff Stroble



Robert Yolanda Herrera - July 25, 2019 at 11:48 PM

TR

“ To Jeff's family I send my thoughts and prayers. I do not know you all personally but I know Annie and I remember her speaking of Jeff. She was very proud of him and spoke highly. I will pray for comfort during this time and thank you Reba for sharing your journey with your Lovely with us all. May God keep you and hold you tight. Tonya Conrad Roach

Tonya Conrad Roach - July 25, 2019 at 09:46 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jeff Stroble.



July 24, 2019 at 11:47 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Jeff Stroble.



July 24, 2019 at 05:47 PM

AJ

“ AURORA M. JIMENEZ lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble



AURORA M. JIMENEZ - July 24, 2019 at 04:23 PM



“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Jeff Stroble.



July 24, 2019 at 03:51 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jeff Stroble.



July 24, 2019 at 03:22 PM

RJ

“ May God give you all the strength and healing for Mr Stroble he was loved by so many people. He will never be forgotten.

Rusty & Sabra Jones - July 24, 2019 at 03:19 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Jeff Stroble.



July 24, 2019 at 01:27 PM



“ Mr. & Mrs. Stroble and family...I cannot fathom the depth of your loss or the grief you are feeling. I never met your son, but based on comments here and in the local paper, he sounds like he was VERY special. Time will take the edges off your grief and hopefully time will allow you to focus on all the special memories he created within your hearts. My heart is with you. Shulamit Rymberg

Shulamit - July 24, 2019 at 01:21 PM



“ I'm so very sorry for your loss 🙏 Praying for peace and comfort for all of you 🙏🙏🙏

Joan Tempero - July 24, 2019 at 01:19 PM



“ Joan Tempero lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble



Joan Tempero - July 24, 2019 at 01:17 PM

TE

“ *Travis & Lisa Eldridge lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**Travis & Lisa Eldridge** - July 24, 2019 at 01:10 PM

UW

“ *Ursula Wilson lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**Ursula Wilson** - July 24, 2019 at 12:28 PM

EM

“ *To the Stroble family, RFD family and friends, our sincerest condolences on the loss of Jeff. Reba, we also followed your journey. We don't know you, but as parents of an RFD firefighter, we are here for you. May Jeff Rest In Peace and May God comfort you and your family and give you peace, knowing he's in heaven and no longer suffering. Hugs to you, your children and all your family. God bless you.*

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**edubina morales** - July 24, 2019 at 12:14 PM

LA

“ *LAURINDA ALEXANDER lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**LAURINDA ALEXANDER** - July 24, 2019 at 11:02 AM

Mary Wiggins

“ *Mary Wiggins lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



Mary Wiggins - July 24, 2019 at 10:38 AM

MP

“ *Marta Perry lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



Marta Perry - July 24, 2019 at 10:37 AM

MB

“ *We were so blessed to have Jeff serve our community. My deepest condolences to all his family and friends. Love and blessings to you all . My he rest in peace in our Heavenly Fathers arms.*

Mary Berthold - July 24, 2019 at 08:55 AM

TH

“ *Tim And Julie Hodges lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



Tim and Julie Hodges - July 24, 2019 at 01:29 AM

MB

“ So sorry for your loss and my prayers and thoughts are with the family. It made me to see to spend time with family because you never know when God is ready.

Melissa Bezouche - July 24, 2019 at 12:27 AM

SJ

“ We are so very deeply sorry for your great loss. We grieve with you.  
~Stephanie and Marty Jones

Stephanie and Marty Jones - July 24, 2019 at 12:15 AM

DF

“ Dutchover Family lit a candle in memory of  
Jeff Stroble



Dutchover Family - July 23, 2019 at 11:42 PM

TF

“ The Dutchover Family lit a candle in memory  
of Jeff Stroble



The Dutchover Family - July 23, 2019 at 11:41 PM

CD

“ *Corinne Duran lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**Corinne Duran** - July 23, 2019 at 11:17 PM

KM

“ *Kathy Mounts lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**Kathy Mounts** - July 23, 2019 at 11:11 PM

JC

“ *Jamie Carrasco lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**jamie carrasco** - July 23, 2019 at 10:36 PM

RG

“ *Raymond Gamble lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**Raymond Gamble** - July 23, 2019 at 10:36 PM

LC

“ So sorry for your loss, RIP Hero.. Jeff and Linda Couty



Linda Couty - July 23, 2019 at 09:54 PM

RF

“ Romero Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Jeff Stroble



Romero family - July 23, 2019 at 09:47 PM

MF

“ Michelle Romero And Family lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble



Michelle Romero and family - July 23, 2019 at 09:46 PM

TM

“ Reba, Sarah, Charity, the rest of the family and RFD family, my thoughts and prayers are with you all. Keep the faith, know that you are all loved. Thank you for your sacrifices as well as service to our community. God Bless and keep you safe!

Terri Marino - July 23, 2019 at 09:40 PM

MB

“ *Michelle Bailey lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**Michelle Bailey** - July 23, 2019 at 09:32 PM

 Josh Calvert

“ *Josh Calvert lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**Josh Calvert** - July 23, 2019 at 09:12 PM

RJ

“ *Just want to thank you for your service and God bless your family may God in heaven rest your soul*

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**Rachel Jio** - July 23, 2019 at 09:05 PM

BG

“ *BeccaMarie Graham lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**BeccaMarie Graham** - July 23, 2019 at 08:55 PM

PT

“ Pat Thompson lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble



Pat Thompson - July 23, 2019 at 08:54 PM

KF

“ Lit a candle in memory of jeff stroble



Kissell family - July 23, 2019 at 08:52 PM

GI

“ Gina lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble



Gina - July 23, 2019 at 08:48 PM

LT

“ Louise Talbert lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble



Louise Talbert - July 23, 2019 at 08:44 PM

LG

“ *Linda Graves lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



Linda Graves - July 23, 2019 at 08:35 PM

AM

“ *Annette McCoy lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



Annette McCoy - July 23, 2019 at 08:32 PM

LO

“ *Condolences from California* 🙏💔



Louisa - July 23, 2019 at 08:31 PM



“ *Andrea Martinez lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



Andrea Martinez - July 23, 2019 at 08:00 PM

AL

“ *Allene lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



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**allene** - July 23, 2019 at 08:00 PM

CS

“ *Will definitely miss Jeff and all the family gatherings. He was always smiling and making everyone laugh. I will never forget quoting lines from "A Christmas Story" with him or cussing the Cowboys (Jerry Jones). Such an awesome husband, dad, son, brother, cousin, friend, HERO!!! Always loved and never forgotten. Prayers for all who were touched by such a wonderful soul!*

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**Christy Snipes** - July 23, 2019 at 07:31 PM

 Cassie  
Gross

“ Jeff, you're a beautiful soul. You have brought a whole community together in your name and character. When it rained yesterday, I saw it as Roswell was crying for you and your family and for your brothers at RFD. You were the rainbow. Thousands have followed your plight, and we have all loved you and Reba, and the Bonham clan. We will continue to love you and your family, so we are all family now, it seems. You fought long and hard, and your battle is over and you are now watching from above, walking among Jesus. Reba, our hearts break for you and your children. Please know that we are ALL praying for you and your family, and RFD. You have an entire community to support you and yours. We'll be there for you in any way we can. We've never met, but I feel you have so many more friends to lean on, if you need. We thank you for keeping us updated during his battle. It made us love you all, that much more. With many thoughts and prayers your way. We love you Stroble family.

Cassie Gross

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Cassie Gross - July 23, 2019 at 07:20 PM

GD

“ Gutierrez Family, Be Dexter lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble



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Gutierrez family, be Dexter - July 23, 2019 at 07:11 PM

PC

“ Prayers for strength and understanding for the Stroble family, my heart is heavy for you. Jeff was a one of a kind person with a good heart. I remember him laughing pretty much at everything I said, he was a happy guy. I was blessed to be in his presence, working with him and having him once as family. He will never be forgotten! Rest peacefully my brother for you are in a better place with no more suffering, in the arms of our LORD!

Patrick Clair - July 23, 2019 at 06:44 PM

BM

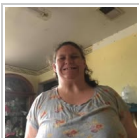
“ RIP Hero. You touched more lives than humanly possible. Enjoy those heavenly wings and watch over your first responder brothers and sisters. Stroble family, know the entire community grieves with you. May God ease the pain of your loss.  
Brenda Morrow

Brenda Morrow - July 23, 2019 at 06:30 PM

SR

“ Our condolences from the Rice family ❤️🙏 We love you Reba and family and are continuing to pray for comfort and peace during this time and forever 🙏 We love y'all.

Sara Logan Rice - July 23, 2019 at 06:26 PM



“ Liz Moore lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble

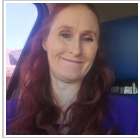


Liz Moore - July 23, 2019 at 06:00 PM

HG

“ *Stroble family our hearts go out to you, We know that Jeff fought hard to get better. We pray for peace and strength for all of you as we saw you everyday at the burn unit In Lubbock Tx. We are still fighting for our loved one to get better. Know that we are praying for all of you in this devastating time. Even though we didn't know each other well, we became friends at the burn unit and shared our stories. From the Galvan family to you, we love you and you are in our thoughts an prayers.*

Henry & Angie Galvan - July 23, 2019 at 05:17 PM



“ *God Bless your family & friends at this time.. Jeff you are an awesome angel looking down on us.. RIP you faught hard.. Let me know if there is anything me or Rick can do.. God Bless*



Julie Tate-Cox - July 23, 2019 at 05:15 PM

DS

“ *Jeff was a good man. He was a good friend. He was a hard worker. We will miss him. We will hold on to our memories as his spirit and soil goes to the heavenly father and all of our previously passed loved ones. God has a plan. GOD HAS GOT THIS. JEFF IS NOW HOME WITH OUR FATHER.*



Dirk Sanders - July 23, 2019 at 05:12 PM

DS

*Sorry misspelled soul.*

**Dirk Sanders** - July 23, 2019 at 05:13 PM

DS

“ *Dana Sisneros lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble*



**Dana Sisneros** - July 23, 2019 at 05:04 PM

MI

“ *Prayers for the Stroble family.*



**Misty** - July 23, 2019 at 04:14 PM



“ *Prayers for the Stroble family.*



**James Tucker** - July 23, 2019 at 03:50 PM

SH

“ Shari Hamilton lit a candle in memory of Jeff Stroble



Shari Hamilton - July 23, 2019 at 03:29 PM

SH

A hero who will be remembered always...

Shari Hamilton - July 23, 2019 at 03:30 PM

ND

RIP Jeff. Prayers for you and family.

Nellie Daniel - July 23, 2019 at 04:23 PM

EE

“ Jeff, I will never forget the many laughs we had hanging out over the years. You were truly a one of a kind person, an awesome father and an all around great man. You will be missed my friend!

Eddie Eudy - July 23, 2019 at 02:58 PM

Lizz Garcia

“ Jeff you will always be our hero never forgotten my heart breaks in two with this sad news God has called you he gain an amazing angel fly high R..I.P will be missed but never forgotten our hero 💔💔💔😭😭😭



Lizz Garcia - July 23, 2019 at 01:43 PM