



Matthew Duran

January 4, 1973 - May 24, 2016

Matthew Duran, 43, passed away on May 24, 2016, in Roswell, New Mexico. He was born January 4, 1973, in Carson, California, to Manuel J. and Juliana Anaya Duran.

He was a Navy veteran serving aboard a Navy assault ship as an aircraft refueler. He served two years, enjoyed his time in the service of our country, and was honorably discharged.

Those left to cherish his memory are his mother, Juliana Duran of Roswell; sister, Melissa Duran, of Wilmington, CA; and brother, Jason Duran (Joann) of Carson, CA; aunt, Martha Gonzales of Roswell; niece, Kristen Duran, of Lubbock, TX; Godson and nephew, Anthony Duran, of Lubbock, TX. Samantha Duran of Wilmington, CA; nieces, Jessica Diaz (Cecilio) and great-niece, Jesslyn, of Carson, CA; and Jacklyn Duran of Carson, CA; and nephew, Thomas Wales of Wilmington, CA. Great-nieces: Alyssa, Katie and Ruby; great-nephews: Todd and Mason. Uncles: Magil Duran (Willadine), Richard Duran (Roxanne), aunts: Dorothy Escalante (Miguel), Emma Burt (Arthur) and Victoria Duran Perez. Cousins: JoAnn Federico (Michael), Angela Alvarez, Alice Draeger,(Don), Amy Alvarado (Manuel), Andrew Alvarez, Magil Duran, Jr. (Laura), Veronica Duran, Craig Duran (Nicole), Jarrod Duran, Hugh Burt, Ryan Burt, Michelle Alopopo (Jazz), John Redgate (Sarah), and April Salas (Steven). A special "thank you" to cousins, Barbara Sedillo, Sylvia

Hertado and Orlando Ray Anaya for their love and support.

Preceding him in death are his father, Manuel J. Duran, Jr.; grandparents: Manuel J. Duran, Sr. and Martha G. Duran, Pedro N. Anaya and Rita Mestas Anaya; aunts Susana Barragan and Mary Francis Escalante. Matthew loved his dogs, Rica and Cisco.

Services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, June 4, 2016, at the Gen. Douglas McBride Veteran's Cemetery at South Park Cemetery. Interment will follow.

Tribute Wall



“ *Matthew Duran*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Melissa Duran lit a candle in memory of Matthew Duran*



Melissa Duran - September 11, 2020 at 05:53 PM



I miss you brother..I ♥ you

Melissa Duran - March 07, 2021 at 06:47 PM



“ *My brother was loyal he was a hard worker he was very loving to his nieces and nephews to his brother and sister to his mom and his dad I miss him so much and I know it's been 4 years already but it doesn't seem like it I love you little brother and I miss you ever so much*

Melissa Duran - September 11, 2020 at 05:52 PM