



## Duane Alan Cripps

April 30, 1945 - April 4, 2020

Duane Alan Cripps, long-time Kiowa County resident passed from this life on April 4, 2020 in Wichita Falls, Texas at age 74. Duane was born on April 30, 1945 in Hobart, Oklahoma, the only child of Walter Lee Cripps and Mary (Lawson) Cripps. He grew up in Roosevelt and was a proud Roosevelt High School Graduate. Duane was very involved in 4-H, receiving multiple awards and in 1963 was chosen The Young Farmer and Rancher of the Year. From 1962-1982 Duane farmed, ran cattle and operated his trucking company. It was during this time in 1974 he received the Farm and Ranch Family Award in Oklahoma. He also served on the Kiowa County Farm Bureau Board of Directors. Duane had been operating his Trucking Company out of El Paso, Texas until his health began to fail. He was a long-time member of the Catholic Church, worked continually and especially enjoyed spending as much time as he could with his family.

Duane is survived by one son Brad Cripps and wife Corina of Ramona, California, two daughters: Cathy Cripps and husband Eugene of Nicaragua and Christy Raile and husband Cory of Tampa, Florida. Duane leaves a legacy of six grandchildren: Caitie, Kylie, Lela, Abigail, Austin and Aubrey, along with a host of other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and grandparents.

Public viewing for Duane will begin Thursday, April 9, 2020 at 1:00 P.M. until 5:00 P.M. at Peoples Cooperative Funeral Home located at 1400 West Main, Lone Wolf, 580-846-9018. Duane will be privately laid to rest in Hobart Rose

Cemetery with a Memorial Service to be announced at a later date.

On-line condolences for Duane can be made by visiting [www.peoplescooperativefuneralhome.com](http://www.peoplescooperativefuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Duane Alan Cripps*

October 08, 2023 at 02:10 PM



“ *Duane Alan Cripps*

October 04, 2023 at 11:28 PM



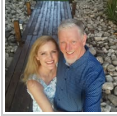
“ *Our deepest condolences to his children and family in behalf of Sammy Pichardo and family. Duane may you Rest In Peace dear friend and you will always be remembered. We will cherish all the memories you made with our family.*

**sammy pichardo** - April 30, 2020 at 05:05 PM



“ *One good memory I have is not many years ago, he came to my folks house for Thanksgiving. We all sat around the table listening to him talk bout his parents, my great grandparents and my grandad.. but mostly his kids... he loved you guys so much and spoke of you with such love!! My grandad use to say.. show some Cripps some food, they will put it away... and that's just what he and my mom did that day.. they had so much food it was great watching them enjoy time together. My son, and dad always loved talking to him about truck driving. He was loved by us and many others... I hope he's happy reunited with his family today, talking and having a real nice dinner!! You'll be missed!!*

**sherri Duncan** - April 09, 2020 at 03:33 PM



*Such wonderful memories Sherri! I hope they are all having a big dinner together and sharing stories too. My dad had the best memory. He remembered dates and things that happened with precision. I did not inherit his memory and was always astounded at his.*

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**Cathy Cripps** - April 09, 2020 at 05:09 PM

MA

*We are so sorry for your loss, Cathy. Someday, you can tell us some other stories about him. Much love and our profound condolences, Dale and Maria Elena*

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**maria** - April 09, 2020 at 09:21 PM

BP

*Cathy, I'm so sorry to hear of your dad's passing. I'll be lifting you, Brad and Christy up in prayer. My heart goes out to y'all and your families. Brenda*

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**brenda phillips** - April 09, 2020 at 11:22 PM

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*Sherri, that sounds just like him!! I love reading that! I'm so glad dad made it home just in time to plan a fabulous Easter dinner reunited with his parents. Nana would be making potato hot rolls, dad will be making the ham, people would be peeling potatoes and we would all be taking and helping. Wonderful memories and traditions to last.*

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**Christy Raile** - April 10, 2020 at 10:42 AM

CR

*“ I will miss you so very much. Crazy to think the last time I saw you was the last time. May you rest easy. You will always be in my heart*

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**Courtney Martin Robbins** - April 09, 2020 at 02:36 PM

CR

“ Prayers for your family I worked for Duane here in Monahans for a while for home care I have heard so many stories and watching him type on his typewriter and listening to his radio my cousin worked for him after and they were close he was funny and a stubborn man I'm glad I got to meet him

Crystal - April 09, 2020 at 01:19 PM

JW

“ Duane helped so many teenagers I couldn't count them all. Both of my daughters worked for him. He will be missed. Prayers for Cathy, Brad and Christy for comfort and healing. Love all three of you so much. Judy (Nash) Williams

Judy (Nash) Williams - April 09, 2020 at 12:54 AM

JS

“ We would like to send our sincere condolences. Johnny worked for Duane the entire time Johnny was in high school and he learned so much from Duane. Johnny really enjoyed visiting Duane approximately 6 months ago. We are so sorry for your loss and he will be greatly missed.

All Our Love,

Johnny & Donna Starcher Amarillo, TX

Johnny & Donna Starcher - April 08, 2020 at 10:19 PM



Dear Mr. and Mrs. Starcher, Thank you so much for your kind words. My dad was so happy when Johnny visited him in Snyder. He talked to me at length about their visit and was so grateful for the chance to reconnect with him. I remember Johnny being a part of our lives when we were little kids and he was working with my dad. Blessings to you and your family, Cathy Cripps

Cathy Cripps - April 09, 2020 at 05:25 PM



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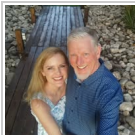
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