



## Loren Clayton Burruss

April 16, 1962 - March 25, 2017

Loren Clayton “Clay” Burruss passed suddenly from this life on March 25, 2017 at the age of 54. Clay was born on April 16, 1962 in Tacoma, Washington to Louis Burruss and Karen (Wilburn) Burruss. Clay attended Puyallup High School and joined the Navy in March 1981. Clay married Sherri Johnson on April 5, 1997. They resided in Puyallup, Washington until purchasing a home in June 2000 in Port Orchard, Washington. They lived there until December 2015 when they moved to Granite, Oklahoma. Clay had lived in Oklahoma as a young child and had always considered it home. He was very happy to be home so he could spend time with family and friends, old and new. He was a truck driver in occupation until he was forced into retirement in 2008 after suffering from a brain aneurysm. Clay enjoyed fishing, gun stock refinishing, auctions, and had a special passion for garage sales. He loved people, to visit and get to know who you were. He never met a stranger and when he was through with you he knew everything about you and you were his best friend and then would tell all of his friends about you. He always saw the positive in everyone. He was always your friend, greeting you with a giant smile on his face, a hand shake, hug, and willingly to lend a helping hand.

Clay is survived by his wife Sherri of the home, mother Karen Bricker of Puyallup, Washington, father Gary Uptergrove of Oklahoma City, brothers Louis “Clint” and Lance “Cliff” Burruss both of Puyallup, Washington, special cousins Don Uptergrove of Willow and Bill Uptergrove of Granite, and a host

of other relatives and friends. Clay is also survived by his faithful dogs MacGreggor, Miss Sadie, and Miss Lily.

Family Directed Memorial Services will be held Saturday April 8, 2017, 1 PM, at First Baptist Church in Granite with Pastor Chris Ramber officiating.

Cremation Arrangements entrusted to Peoples Cooperative Funeral Home

# Tribute Wall



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