



Richard "Tiny" Tate

November 9, 1940 - March 16, 2019

Alamosa resident Richard "Tiny" Tate, 78, passed away March 16, 2019 at the Rio Grande Inn Nursing Home. Richard was born on November 9, 1940 in Spokane, Washington, the son of Richard Miller Tate and Mary June Bailey-Anderson. Richard worked as a truck driver for many years, where he found his love for being on the open road. He was an exceptional father, grandfather, brother, uncle, cousin and friend who enjoyed camping, shooting guns, reading western books, watching movies and spending time with his family and friends.

Survivors include his children Ana Montanez of Crescent City, CA; David (Sylvia) Montanez of Thornton, CO; Henry Montanez of Alamosa, CO; sisters Kathy Graff of Moses Lake, WA; Vickie Dills of Soap Lake, WA; grandchildren Isabelle Montanez of Alamosa, CO; Raymond Ramirez of Tucson, AZ; Jessica and Stephanie Llantada of Azusa, CA; Olivia and Leticia Montanez of Thornton, CO. He is also survived by many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Richard was preceded in death by his parents, one brother Mike Tate and sister Barbara Evans.

Cremation was chosen and a Memorial Service be held on Saturday, March 23, 2019 at 1:00 PM at the Romero Funeral Chapel in Alamosa. To leave online condolences please visit romerofuneralhomes.com. The care of arrangements have been entrusted to Romero Funeral Home of Alamosa.

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard "Tiny" Tate*

January 29, 2023 at 07:44 AM

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“ *Kathy G. & Kimberly Hoff & Debbie Evans family's purchased the Springtime Wishes for the family of Richard "Tiny" Tate.*



Kathy G. & Kimberly Hoff & Debbie Evans family's - March 21, 2019 at 03:26 PM

KG

“ *Kathy Graff lit a candle in memory of Richard "Tiny" Tate*



Kathy Graff - March 19, 2019 at 10:28 PM

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so sorry to Richards family and may your memories of your good times bring you comfort. You are in my thoughts and prayers always. I know he missed Cordy so much, it brings me comfort to know they are together now. Richards little sis, Kathy

Kathy Graff - March 19, 2019 at 10:36 PM

MA

sorry for your loss my prayers are with your family , rest in peace tiny, gone but not forgotten always loved. Maryann and family

maryann - March 22, 2019 at 11:55 AM