



Michael Sample

March 25, 1961 - December 14, 2013

Michael Sample, resident of Richland Chambers Lake, passed away Saturday evening December 14, 2013 at Presbyterian Hospital in Dallas.

He was born March 25, 1961 in DeSoto to David Sample and Dorothy Clark Sample. He is a 1980 graduate of Palmer High School. He also served in the United States Army from 1980-1984 as a Sergeant in the 82nd Airborne.

He is survived by his wife, Dawn Sample; children, Alysha Sample and Jacob Sample and wife Lisa; mother, Dorothy Sample; father, David Sample and his wife Barbara; two brothers, Curtis Sample and Bryan Sample; one grandchild Jaedon Langley.

A private family memorial service will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Sample*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *I am just now seeing this and very saddened to learn Mike passed away. RIP Mike! You were an awesome guy and friend. Out thoughts and prayers to the whole family. :(*



Tressa L Gregory - October 22, 2019 at 10:30 AM



“ *Alysha & Jake, you are all in our thoughts & prayers. We are saddened to hear of Mike's passing and will cherish our memories of the times we all spent together in Roane.*

Juli, Lyndsi & Chasity

Juli - December 19, 2013 at 10:45 AM



“ *My condolences to Dawn, Alysha and Jacob. Mike was a good man. I'll always remember him. We shared many trials, tribulations and good times back in our Paratrooping Army days. He never shirked his duties and you knew you could count on him to be there. We will meet again in Heaven.*

Robert "Albob" Haygens

Robert "Albob" Haygens - December 18, 2013 at 03:03 PM

LC

“ *Fond memories of Mike during our time together at Palmer High. My thoughts and prayers are with all the family.*

Laurice Norris Calhoun

Laurice Norris Calhoun - December 18, 2013 at 11:29 AM

MH

“ *Mike you were SO loved by your family, you will be greatly missed.*

Melanie Henson-Pantoja - December 17, 2013 at 05:14 PM



Veronica Aranda

“ *I worked with Mike at William house he was a great man.. my deepest condolences to the family may he rest in peace..*

Veronica Aranda - December 17, 2013 at 01:54 PM

PF

“ *It is with great sympathy that we acknowledge the passing of your loved one. Know that you are all in our thoughts and prayers. May God bless your family during the time and always.*

Paul and Pat Fowler - December 17, 2013 at 09:33 AM

DC

“ *Mike and I were classmates in high school. We had a lot of good times together. We played football, competed in steer saddling and rode the strip in Ennis. Mike was always smiling and laughing. But he was a tough guy. He didn't take any crap off anybody. I will never forget Dirt Sample. He was one tough ball player.*

Danny Carvalho - December 17, 2013 at 07:48 AM

EP

“ Mike was a very good man, He stood by his word and there was no doubt of what he said would happen. He will be missed very much. Rest In Peace my friend

Eddie Perry - December 17, 2013 at 01:20 AM

MF

“ I was so saddened when I got the call from Dawn Sunday morning of Mike's passing!! My heart sank..We cried for a moment..Both agreed on no more pain for him!! He always called me his girlfriend and Dawn would just laugh and shake her head!! Lol! He always had a smile and I don't recall ever seeing him in a bad mood!My ccondolences go out to my love Dawn and all his family! RIP Michael!!

Melanie Ferguson - December 16, 2013 at 09:08 PM