



John L. Tyler

December 26, 1940 - November 24, 2023

John Laurence Tyler was born to Henry and Evelyn Tyler, on December 26, 1940, in Farmington, New Mexico. He has resided in Pennsylvania, Temple, City, CA, West Covina, CA, El Monte, CA and for the last 20 years in Lake Forest, CA.

He was truly a "Jack of All Trades". He's been a commercial truck driver, owned multiple businesses, from Auto Electric to Auto Pawn, to a Car Lot and was even a Real Estate Agents as well as taught automotive classes at Rio Hondo College. His true passion was working on vehicles and restoring classic cars. He thoroughly enjoyed going to the car shows with his friends.

John fought his battle against different types of cancer for the last several years. Despite spending much of that time in and out of the hospital the last several years, he never lost his sense of humor. Throughout his entire journey, he cracked jokes, made silly faces to Marilyn, Jacki and his friends, he even pulled some lighthearted pranks on the nurses. He had a great ability to make others smile and his sense of humor that will truly be missed.

John is survived by his life partner Marilyn Tomsha, his daughter Jacki Lynn Tyler-Moxley, his son-in-law Tom Moxley, Jr and his granddaughter Brianna.

John's family will host a funeral service on Friday, December 15, 2023 at 10

a.m. The service will be held at Preston and Simons Mortuary in Riverside, CA.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to the Wounded Warrior Project for Veterans, or the American Cancer Society in John Laurence Tyler's name.

Previous Events

Service

DEC 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (PT)

Preston and Simons Mortuary
3358 Mission Inn Ave
Riverside, CA 92501
(951) 683-7410
<https://www.preston-simonsmortuary.com/>

Burial

DEC 15. 2:15 PM - 2:45 PM (PT)

Riverside National Cemetery
22495 Van Buren Blvd
Riverside, CA 92518

Tribute Wall



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of John L. Tyler.* ”



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“ *What a special man! Your dad and my dad were cousins and I always loved when your dad and his brother would visit.*

As a little girl I had a secret crush on him! Ha!! He was always kind and had that sparkle in his beautiful blue eyes. I picture him laughing.

Laughing with overwhelming joy and perfect health right now in Heaven!!!

I'm so grateful to have had a relationship with him as an adult.

Too short, but still so thankful

to hear all his stories...especially of him and my dad. Loved learning more of his history and life that I never knew about.

What a character and a half!!!! He always made me laugh with his candid ways.

The most beautiful thing I learned was his love for you, Jacki. You were absolutely the apple of his eye!!!! He was so proud of you... and you were everything to him! There was no question of his love for you!!! What a special relationship! ❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️

And all because of my 2nd cousin, Johnny, I get to have a relationship with you too! We are family, Jacki, and I will always be grateful to have met you (not in person...YET) and have the opportunity to get to know you better.

You and your dad have been so precious and caring with all we're going through currently.

I truly believe God brought us together - both having extremely difficult times - for reasons we don't even know yet. It's no accident that we connected when we did.

Praying for you so much, Jacki! I know how hard it is to lose a dad.



*Praying that one day I'll be able to introduce you to many more
Tyler's (There's A LOT of us 🤞)!
Including my son, Tyler Michael! 🙏❤️🙏*

*Love,
Lori Samada*

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“ *John was my dad. He was my life!
To say I loved him was be an understatement and to say I'm going
to miss him is an even greater understatement.
I could not have asked for a better father. He adopted me when I
was 4 years old and loved me as his own. He was ALWAYS there
for me, through thick and thin, happy and sad! He NEVER let me
down.
I have sooo many fantastic memories, I will cherish them forever
and hold them close to my heart.*



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