

Richard David Dowdy (1947 - 2016)

Obituary



Richard David Dowdy
January 8, 1947 - September 4, 2016

Richard David Dowdy, 69, of Boron, CA, passed away surrounded by his daughters and sister on September 4, 2016. Richard was born in Long Beach, CA, to James and Alberta Dowdy on January 8, 1947. They moved to Barstow while he was an infant. He graduated from Barstow High School in 1965. He served in the U.S. [Army](#) 1966/1968 and was a Vietnam Veteran. He was a millwright and retired from U.S. Borax after 37 years of service. Richard was an avid outdoorsman. He loved to fish, hunt and camp. His favorite hunting and fishing buddy was his grandson Bradlee. They had a special bond and spent countless time together. He loved the many camping trips with his daughters and their families. Richard was preceded in death by his parents. Richard is survived by his wife, Nancy of Boron, his daughters, Cynthia Hathaway (Craig Mesler), Sarah Prado (Demetrius), all of Lancaster, grandchildren, Bradlee Hathaway, Darius and Alexa Prado, sister, Carolyn Atsye (Alvin) of Barstow, along with many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Memorial services will be held on Tuesday, September 20th at 11am at Mead Mortuary, 36930 Irwin Rd., Barstow, CA.

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