

Timothy Wayne Jones (1958 - 2009)

Timothy Wayne Jones died tragically on June 23, 2009 at the age of 51. He was working for Halliburton Company in China when he passed away.

He leaves behind his wife of almost 27 years, Carrie Ann (Smith); daughters, Breann Nicole, Tereah Colleen, and Cami Lynn, all of Bakersfield; he was a proud grandfather to four sweet little ones; son, Nicholas of Texas; father, Cecil E. Jones of Kingman, Ariz.; his only surviving sibling, sister, Teresa Gail and her husband, Joe C. Magallanes of Barstow; and his only nephew on the Jones side, Sgt. Joseph Todd Magallanes of Fort Irwin.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Shirley Ann Jones, Feb. 9, 1996; and his baby brother, Alvis Tod Jones (age 17) on Feb. 21, 1981.

Tim had been planning a huge road trip in July with his wife to visit his relatives; he had a cousin and family in Texas, uncle and aunt and cousins in Arkansas, cousins in Florida, aunts and uncles and many cousins in Illinois. He leaves behind many loved ones that became his family when he married Carrie, most reside in Needles; a niece, Jenna Hood; nephews, J.D. Wade and Joey Wade; and wonderful father and mother-in-law, Gene and Margaret Smith, now of Utah.

Tim was born in Danville, Ill., on Feb. 11, 1958 and his family moved to Barstow in 1969 and he attended Thomson Elementary, Barstow Junior High, and high school in Barstow. He met Carrie Ann in 1981 and they were married Oct. 15, 1982. Soon after they moved to Bakersfield and he began his career in the oil field business. He worked for Halliburton for more than 24 years.

He had a great sense of humor; he was kind, giving, and supportive. Tim enjoyed his Harley Davidson, he also loved to watch NASCAR, his favorite driver was Jimmy Johnson - #48.

Timothy was a dedicated husband and father. He was a big family man. His love for his family was evident in every action he took.