



Israel Meza

October 22, 1968 - August 4, 2021

Israel Meza died on August 4, 2021, He was born on October 22, 1968 in Los Angeles, California, to his late father, Carlos Meza and mother, Estella Ruiz Rusher. From the very beginning there was never a dull moment. Israel had the ability to light up a room and he never met a stranger. He was charismatic and people were naturally drawn to him. He was definitely not your typical guy, as could be found in his unique sense of style, his laid-back attitude and his ability to live in the present. There was no doubt that he enjoyed his life to the fullest, all the while touching and influencing so many people along the way. He enjoyed many outdoor activities such as, fishing and camping. He also enjoyed concerts, music, and any time he got to spend with his family and friends. He enjoyed a full career traveling as a coast-to-coast truck driver. He was extremely knowledgeable, and there wasn't anything he couldn't fix. He had a deep love for animals and always kept one as a close companion. He was deeply loved and will always be remembered as an unforgettable son, father, brother and friend. He is preceded in death by his father, Carlos Meza and his step-father, Warren Rusher.

He is survived by his mother, Estela Rusher; daughter, Geneva Reeves and husband, Brandon and children, Jasmine Gardner, Levi Martin; son, Christian Meza and wife Maria and children, Jordan Meza, Isaiah Meza, Alexander Meza; daughter, Asia Smith-Maxwell and husband, Tevin and children, Jaida Maxwell, Tevin Maxwell, AiVyn Maxwell; siblings, Argelia Viduarri and

husband, Victor, Belgica Sanchez and husband, Angel and Kenya Meza-Garcia and husband, Francisco; and Olivia Leyba, the mother of two of his children.

A memorial service celebrating Israel's life will be at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy on Friday, August 20, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. www.powellfuneralhome.net.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG **20**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Israel Meza*



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - August 18, 2021 at 11:19 AM

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“ *My baby brother was a great brother loved by me his oldest sister he had a way about him that just drove u close. My little bother will always be loved n missed . as a child i was responsible for his well being. It is so sad that he was taken before me. But god knows there will be a time in the future i will be with my brother, along with my dad. Well loved by all may god take care of him as i pray for our future meeting. Love u little brother.love angie your big sister.*

Angie - September 22, 2021 at 12:04 AM



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August 20, 2021 at 12:37 AM

 Cindy Johnson

“ *Israel was in love with his life. He was always upbeat and full of life. I treasure the time that I spent with Israel, I'll never meet another like him. It saddens me to know that this world lost a great man.. I'm sending my prayers to each and everyone of his family, just know that he loved and cherished each and everyone of you!!*



Cindy Johnson - August 17, 2021 at 11:06 PM



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August 12, 2021 at 02:27 PM