His Legacy… Laugh because we knew David & the joy he brought, cry because he has moved on to the sacred place. Give a helping hand when you can as David did, not in honor of David but for the blessing it will give you. David Ray Cossey was born on February 14, 1957 in Missouri. His mother was Betty Jo Mathis and his father was Robert Rex Cossey. David loved Oroville and lived with his cousins Juanita Anglin and Eura Dean Kilgore of the Panther clan for the last 12 years. David was a citizen of the Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma & a member of the Wolf Clan. At his naming ceremony he was given the name White Wolf. He lived with his grandmother & mother until his mother died and was sent to live with his father, upon his stepmother’s death, his father signed away all his rights & he was placed in a foster home at the age of about 10. It was there he learned the Hebrew ways. But he never forgot he was Cherokee first. At the age of 18 he enlisted in the U.S. Navy & served 9 years. He left the Navy & became a Native American Advocate and was an advocate for all living things. The Great Spirit needed an advocate and called David home on March 3, 2013.

His Family… David is survived by his sister Terry, his two brothers Jessie & James and their children, his cousins Juanita Anglin and Eura Kilgore.

His Farewell Service …No services will be held. Arrangements are entrusted to Ramsey Funeral Home 530-534-3877