Kenneth Virl Cruise

April 24, 1987
February 6, 2015

His Legacy... Kenneth Virl Cruise was born on April 24, 1987 in Oroville, California to Susan & James Cruise. Kenny from then on lived in his family’s cabin in Concow, California where he was raised by mom and dad to become a wonderful man. Kenny was always willing to lend others a helping hand, particularly with mechanical and handy work. He brightened the lives of many in his short time on earth and will always be remembered for his kind and gentle soul. Kenny was to graduate from Butte College in May of 2015 with a certificate in Automotive Technology. Kenny had spent three long years living with the love of his life, Katriena Vandevelde, in Concow and had planned to be married to her on June 20, 2015. Kenny very much enjoyed working on cars, gardening, hiking, backpacking, and making others happy. His life was taken on the night of February 6, 2015 in an automobile accident a few minutes away from his home. He will be greatly missed by all.

His Family... Kenny is survived by his fiance Katriena Vandevelde, his two older brothers Jimmy and William, mother Susan Cruise, and grandmother Phyllis Moore. He is preceded in death by his father James Cruise.

His Farewell Service... There will be a community gathering to celebrate the lives of Kenneth Cruise and Michael Buxton held at Lake Concow Campground on Sunday, February 15, 2015 starting at 12:00 pm. Everyone who wishes to attend is welcome to bring food and share stories of life. Arrangements entrusted to Ramsey Funeral Home 530-534-3877.