



## Mr. Thomas Ray "TR" Parker

October 9, 1959 - October 16, 2022

Tommy "TR" Parker of Bayou Meto passed away on October 16, 2022. He was born Thomas Ray Parker, October 9, 1959, to Donald and Virginia Mae Parker.

He was preceded in death by his parents. Survivors include: sister, Sarah Ellen "Cookie" Parker of Bayou Meto; cousins, Robin (Kimble) Koenig, Ricky Koenig, and Roger Koenig of Stuttgart; Scott Koenig of Little Rock; Melanie (Bill) Ward of Cypress, TX.

Tommy worked as an over the road truck driver most of his adult life. While he truly enjoyed touring almost every state in the US, if you knew him long at all, you know his passion and skill was in rebuilding any part of most any vehicle manufactured prior to the computer chip era. Simple rebuilds came naturally for him, but making it run faster was where he found the pure joy of being a great mechanic.

A celebration of life service will be held at the Bayou Meto Cemetery on Saturday October 29, 2022, at 11am.

In lieu of flowers or food, the family is requesting memorials be made to the Bayou Meto Cemetery, c/o Southern Bancorp Trust Department, P.O. Box 511, DeWitt, AR 72042 or to the charity of your choice.



# Cemetery Details

## Bayou Meto Cemetery

Stuttgart, AR 72160

# Previous Events

## Graveside

OCT **29**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Bayou Meto Cemetery  
Stuttgart, AR 72160

# Tribute Wall

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“ Lord knows I could write a book on memories that include Tommy some things a lot of folks don't know a couple of songs that touched him were Monday morning church and Amarillo by morning. He was awed by Seattle in the snow talked a few times about how beautiful he thought it was. You will be missed my friend. You and Randy try not to get into too much trouble up there. Tommy was a big old grizzly bear but he was a momma's boy he loved her so. I know she was at the gates to welcome him home, and I'm sure my mom was there too.



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**Terrie Hansen** - October 21, 2022 at 08:10 AM

AT

“ Ann & Jim Thompson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thomas Ray "TR" Parker



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**ann & Jim Thompson** - October 19, 2022 at 05:05 PM

PD

“ Prentice And Sue Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thomas Ray "TR" Parker



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**Prentice and Sue Davis** - October 19, 2022 at 11:24 AM

NM

“ *This ole block will miss u TR... Rest in peace dear friend* 😊

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**Nancy Miller** - October 18, 2022 at 05:21 PM

TC

“ *Tommy was always a great friend in any and all circumstances. He didn't care how much money you had or didn't have. He was a genuine, wonderful guy that you could always count on. He will be missed by many!*

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**Tommie Campbell** - October 18, 2022 at 03:31 PM