



Thomas Charles Knobloch

March 16, 1949 - July 29, 2015

On Wednesday July 29th, Thomas “Knobby” Knobloch was called home. Tom never knew a stranger and had a smile that could light up a room. Tom would do anything for anyone, which is why he was loved by everyone.

Tom was a man who loved his country, and so he didn’t think twice about enlisting in the Air Force in 1967. He would later become a Vietnam Veteran. In 1978, he continued serving his country by joining the US postal service where he worked for the next 37 years. He did not just deliver mail, but took the time to get to know the homeowners and businesses on his route. He not only left his mark on the people he encountered daily on the mail route, but also on the new carriers that he trained and the men and women he worked with.

Tom enjoyed spending any free time riding on two wheels, whether it was on a motorcycle, or out at the dirt bike lease or cheering his son and grandsons on at the motocross track. However, even though this was his passion in life, it wasn’t his true love. He married the woman of his dreams on May 27th, 1971 and spent his whole life loving her, caring for her, providing for her and helping to raise two amazing children.

He is survived by his soulmate, Maxine, his daughter Melissa Knobloch, his son Shawn and wife Margo Knobloch and four grandsons Kade Johnson, Tommy Hayes, Charles and Jackson Knobloch, his brother Donald Knobloch of Valdosta, Georgia and the many friends that loved him.

A visitation for Tom will be held August 4, 2015 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at

Sanders Funeral Home. A funeral service will be held on August 5, 2015, 10:00 a.m., at Turning Point Community Church, 11202 Quaker Ave, Lubbock, TX 79424 and burial will follow with military honors at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Cemetery Details

Resthaven Memorial Park

5740 West 19th. St.
Lubbock, TX 79407

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 4. 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM (CT)

Sanders Funeral Home
1420 Main Street
Lubbock, TX 79401
(806) 763-6433
director@sandersfuneralhome.com
<https://www.sandersfuneralhome.com>

Service

AUG 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

Turning Point Community Church
11202 Quaker Avenue
Lubbock, TX 79424

Tribute Wall



“ Sanders Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Thomas Charles Knobloch



Sanders Funeral Home - August 03, 2015 at 03:33 PM



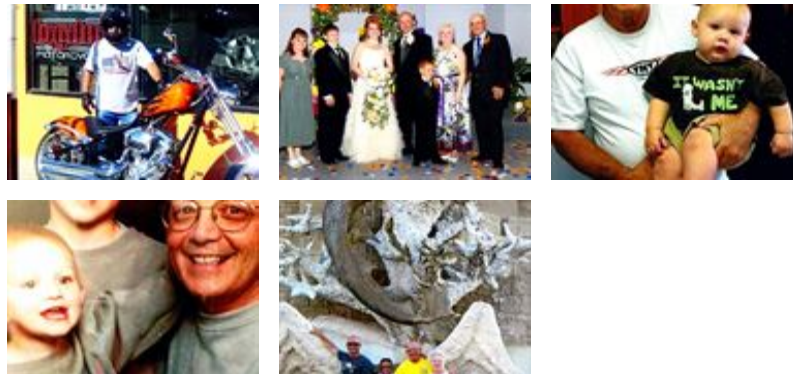
“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Thomas Charles Knobloch.



August 04, 2015 at 01:49 PM



“ 98 files added to the album Life Tributes



Sanders Funeral Home - August 04, 2015 at 01:23 PM

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“ *The Burton and Bridges families purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Thomas Charles Knobloch.*



The Burton and Bridges families - August 04, 2015 at 12:49 PM

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“ *I met Tom he called about looking for a house. I had my house for sale I put on the bulletin board. He said he worked at the Post Office where I work at. He and his wife and kids came over and look at the house. They didn't buy it but now I know who Tom Knobloch is. We r friends now. And now he has a better house with the Lord. See u soon my friend., Larry Luttrell*



Larry Luttrell - August 03, 2015 at 07:15 PM



“ *0 file added to the tribute wall*

Sanders Funeral Home - August 03, 2015 at 03:14 PM

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“ *You are all in our thoughts & prayers with Love, Cathy & Tony Jeter*

Cathy - August 03, 2015 at 03:03 PM

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“ *Phil & LaDonna Stephens purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Thomas Charles Knobloch.*



Phil & LaDonna Stephens - August 02, 2015 at 11:37 AM

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“ *Tom was my best friend we would go for coffee most every morning and we would do anything for each other, even when we broke down on the highway I could call Tom he would drop whatever he was doing and come to help He was the type of friend that will never be replaced. I loved Tom like a brother and I will always miss him. My heart is heavy and a part of me is missing. He always would take care of his family no matter what, he was one person in this world you could depend on so rest in peace brother at your place in heaven.*

Phil Stephens - August 02, 2015 at 10:17 AM



“ *Sending Prayers!*

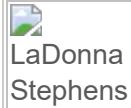
Tamara Reed - August 02, 2015 at 12:27 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Thomas Charles Knobloch.*



August 01, 2015 at 09:24 PM



“ It's hard to know where to start, even harder for me to believe you're gone. My heart goes out to Maxine, Melissa, Shawn, and the grandbabies. I have known Tom for almost 30 years, we worked together for the majority of those years at the post office. It was within the last 20 years that we actually became friends. We had some really good times, taking road trips on our motorcycles, with Tom and Maxine, I'll never forget those good times, some of my favorite memories. Tom was such a great human being. He truly cared about his friends and family and would do anything to help those in need. He had a heart as big as his adopted state of Texas. I will miss you, forever, dear friend. RIP Knobby.

LaDonna Stephens - August 01, 2015 at 06:31 PM



“ Thoughts & Prayers was purchased for the family of Thomas Charles Knobloch.



August 01, 2015 at 05:21 PM