

# David Owen Price

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**D**avid was born February 15, 1976, and left us in his sleep January 15, 2022, much too early in life. David loved being a son, brother, uncle, and friend. For those who knew David, you know he battled mental illness most of his life. He never gave up or gave in. As most with mental health issues today, he tried other methods to stop the voices. Drugs-alcohol-combinations of all above-to no avail. Once he met with a doctor who took an interest in getting him stabilized his life took a turn for the better. We will forever be grateful to Dr. Harrell from Community Healthcore. Meanwhile David began taking full advantage of the groups available. If there was an open meeting, he tried it. He tried a lot. He had several groups that he didn't miss. He especially loved birthday night because he liked to eat. He spent his time taking friends to meetings, appointments, and Dr appts. If you were his friend, you were there forever-but you also learned that there were some lines not to cross. David loved auto mechanics and every fall the NHRA race in Ennis took lots of planning. He planned each meal specifically. This past fall, his dad went with him. One other thing we cannot miss Emmitt, because if you saw David, you saw his service dog Emmitt. He has the most calming demeanor of any dog ever. David was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents Paul Malone and Melba Anita Owen Price and maternal grandparents Robert Lee and Lillian Ruth McKeithen May. He is survived by parents Sidney Owen Price and Ruth Marie May Price, brother Robert Malone Price, sister-in-law Jessica Parks Price, nephew Jesse Malone Price and niece Sydney Autumn Price. Also survived by three uncles and two aunts and a host of cousins and friends. Two special friends include Randy Gary and Hunter Tillery Funeral services will be 10am, Friday, January 21, 2022, at Rader Funeral Home, Longview. Interment will follow at Rock Springs Cemetery. Visitation will be the morning of the service starting at 9am. An online memorial book may be signed at the funeral home website, [www.raderfh.com](http://www.raderfh.com).

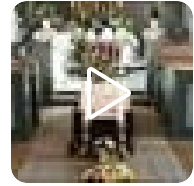


## Tribute Wall

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**Rader Funeral Home** shared a **Webcast Video**.



January 21 at 4:31 AM



**Michael Hanes** posted:

David will be missed by those that knew him. thoughts and prayers for the FAMILY and friends  
RIP Michael Hanes & Elsie Smith

January 21 at 11:23 AM



**Jill Graves** posted:

David Price was a very caring and awesome person I met him while in recovery. He was always willing to be helpful and I think God I have had the pleasure to have met him. May you rest in peace David you are no longer suffering or struggling from Jill G

January 21 at 4:25 AM



**Natalie Fulton** posted:

I knew David around 20 years. He and I both went through some rough times with mental illness. I am so grateful for the last few years He and I were both stable. It took several years of insanity and many changes in meds to get there. I will miss my friend, David. He was such a good guy with a giving and kind heart. He was one of the only people in the world that if I needed help, he was always there. Goodbye David, see you again someday, sweet friend. God's grace and peace be with us all today and always especially with you, Mr and Mrs Price. Natalie Fulton

January 20 at 4:13 PM



**David Campbell** posted:

We are sorry that we cannot attend the service for David in person but please know that we are there in spirit. Our hearts ache for what you are going through. We love your family and continue to pray for your full recovery. Love, Gwen and David Campbell

January 20 at 3:08 PM



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**Anonymous** sent a Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet to the Price family.

January 19 at 5:25 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Price family.

January 19 at 5:17 AM



**Stan & Connie Rodgers** lit a candle in honor of David.

January 19 at 4:58 AM



**Alicia Cline** posted:

David was a true friend to me and was one of my best friends. I will miss his early morning texts "WYD fruit loop". Although my heart broke when I heard, I am so grateful he is at peace now and free from his struggles today. David was more than a friend to me, he was a brother, a brother in Christ. I love and miss you David. Alicia Cline

January 19 at 1:35 AM



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