



## Anthony "Tony" Benjamin Burgess

April 22, 2021

Anthony "Tony" Burgess, 57, was a lifetime resident of Lancaster, Pa. He passed away at LGH on Thursday, April 22, 2021, after a lengthy illness. His mother was the late Josephine Burgess and the late Benny Washington was his father.

Tony loved his "Cowboys," drag racing, loud music, cars, and, on top of that, he loved to cook. He also loved to go fishing and would teach anyone who was willing to learn how to fish.

He was very well liked by everyone he met. Another one of his passions was working on cars because he loved road trips. He was an excellent diesel mechanic. He adored his girls: Dezaray Burgess, Antoinette Burgess, and Melesha Burgess, and his grandchildren.

He is survived by his sisters and a brother: Donna Scheaffer, Karen Wilson, Brian Craig, and Jessica Craig. His grandchildren are Janiyah, Jace, Jaysean, and Jonah; his nieces and nephews are: Donnie and Erica Jordan; Brandon, Shawn, Kim and Keshia Burgess; Brian, Tara, Danielle, Jeffrey, Bradley, Mitchell, Mike, Shane, Shawna, and Samantha Craig. He was predeceased by his brothers Kim Burgess and Jeffrey Craig.

Friends and family are invited to Tony's Funeral Service on Friday, April 30,

2021, at 1:00 p.m. at The Groff's Family Funeral Home, 528 West Orange Street, Lancaster (corner of Orange and Pine Streets) with the Rev. Roland Forbes officiating. A Viewing will be held from Noon until the time of service.

# Previous Events

## Viewing

APR **30**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Anthony "Tony" Benjamin Burgess

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ I remember all the fun times laughing around the fire pit making s'mores. He used to take my boys fishing. He was great at fixing my car lol. Go COWBOYS!!!

Letitia - May 01, 2021 at 06:30 PM



“ my condolences to you & your family at a time like this.I didn't know your dad well,I met him once when my daughter went out with him.He will be remembered for the wonderful person that he was.I know that his son Avery asked about him all the time & when he got the news of his passing, all he said was it isn't fair & had sadness on his face.I truly wish his mother would have left Avery bond with his father as he should have 😞I'm so sorry things couldn't have been different & Tish would have better choices. My prayers go out to you & your family for a time of healing ❤️ God Bless 🙏🙏🙏🙏  
Christine Bomberger

Christine Bomberger - April 30, 2021 at 09:17 AM



“ Our condolences to Donna and Terry Schaeffer and the entire family and friends. May God give you peace and comfort. With many blessings, John and Doris Griffith.

Doris - April 27, 2021 at 12:31 PM