



Christopher "Chris" Scott Copeland

September 9, 1970 - July 8, 2025

Chris Scott Copeland, 54, of Amarillo, Texas passed away on Tuesday, July 8, 2025. He was born on September 9, 1970 in Orange, California to Gerald Eugene Copeland Jr. and Margo Valerie Brown.

Chris grew up in California and attended Velencia High School. He was one of a kind, with a pure soul. Chris was very quiet and kept to his self, but once you got to know him, he would come out of his shell. He was a great son, an amazing uncle and a great big brother. Chris loved all of his family very much, especially his nieces and nephews. He found tremendous joy in being around the kids. Chris was an avid movie goer and football fan "Go Patriots!" He was a courageous hero to the Amarillo Police Department, risking his life to protect them. Chris worked at The Right Angle for many years, where he had bosses that cared for him and customers that loved him. He was a very talented and amazing worker, who was always available to help his team out. Chris loved rock and horror punk rock music and band t-shirts. He kept his same style for over 30 years, from his t-shirts, shorts, Vans shoes and his blonde hair. Chris was truly the same person most of his life and we are so proud of him. He was beyond loved and had so many people that loved and cared for him. Chris will be dearly missed everyday by all who knew and loved him.

He was preceded in death by his father, Gene Copeland Jr.; grandparents, Gerald E. Copeland Sr. and Bertie Copeland and George and Mary Brown

and a cousin, Joseph Mosquida.

Chris is survived by his daughter, Mina Marie Connery Copeland; his mom, Margo Copeland and partner Bill Browning; his four-legged son, Howard Copeland; two sisters, Gina Morgan and husband Richard and Karin Behr; two nieces, Samantha Moya and husband Roger and Isabella Sisavath; three nephews, Tyler Copeland and Adriana, Jordan Sisavath and William "Billy" Copeland and seven great- nieces and great-nephews, Marley Moya, Jayden Morgan, Kyra Copeland, Micah Copeland, Amelia Copeland, Maddox Moya and Jasper Copeland.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Services

JUL 12. 10:00 AM (CT)

South Georgia Baptist Church
5209 S. Georgia
Amarillo, TX 79110

Tribute Wall

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“ I met Chris at the Amarillo Police Department's 4th Quarterly Awards meeting. After he was given the Civilian Life-saving award for saving Cpl. Steven Kennedy a few months earlier, Welcome Pardner honored Chris as the December 2023 First Responder of the Month. He received a plaque, some fun gifts and a delicious Nothing Bundt Cake! He hugged me several times and what a beautiful, humble man with a great sense of humor and humanity. Thank you for sharing him with all of us! With loving appreciation, DJ Stubben Welcome Pardner

DJ Stubben - July 18, 2025 at 08:44 PM

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Chris was My only Son...I Won't Ever STOP MISSING HIM!!! I LOVE YOU KISSYFUR ...MOTHER

Margo Copeland...His Mother - October 06, 2025 at 03:43 PM

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“ My uncle was the most AMAZING man with a heart of gold. We will truly miss him.

Samantha Moya - July 11, 2025 at 11:12 AM

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“ Gabe and Monica Sanchez purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Christopher "Chris" Scott Copeland.



Gabe and Monica Sanchez - July 11, 2025 at 09:56 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Christopher "Chris" Scott Copeland.

July 10, 2025 at 03:33 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Christopher "Chris" Scott Copeland.



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“ This Kid had the best heart ever , he will be truly missed !!! We love you

Venessa Brown - July 10, 2025 at 12:45 PM