



Nick Andrew Cockerell

August 10, 1987 - March 1, 2026

Nick Andrew Cockerell, 38, of Amarillo, Texas, passed away on March 1, 2026. He was born on August 10, 1987, in Lubbock, Texas, to Pauline Cockerell, who preceded him in death.

Nick was a hardworking and dedicated man who took great pride in his work. He served as a commercial vehicle driver and heavy equipment operator for The City of Lubbock. Over the years, he also worked as an operator with CitiBus, Greyhound and as a dispatcher. No matter the role, Nick was known for his reliability, strong work ethic, and the steady, reassuring presence he brought to every job.

Above all else, Nick was a man with a generous heart. He was always willing to help others, often giving to those in need—even when he himself had little to spare. Whether it was offering money to someone experiencing homelessness or lending a hand to a stranger, Nick never hesitated to show compassion. His kindness was genuine and constant.

On June 26, 2020, Nick married the love of his life, Kelly Koen. Together they built a life filled with love, laughter, and devotion to their family. Nick deeply loved his wife, Kelly JoAnn Cockerell, and was a proud father to his four daughters: Chloe Cockerell, MacKenzie Cockerell, Lucy Cockerell, and Hannah Cockerell. He also embraced his four stepchildren—Rickey Parks III,

Taylor Parks Phillips, Fox Parks, and Hunter Parks—as his own, offering guidance, humor, and unwavering support.

Nick had a special place in his heart for the family's beloved dogs, Lil Dog and Sarobbee, whom he loved as if they were his children. His home was filled with the warmth of his laughter and the sound of his steady, beautiful voice—a voice that brought comfort and joy to those who knew him. His sense of humor could lighten any room, and his smile was unforgettable.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Pauline Cockerell, whose memory he cherished throughout his life.

Nick will be forever missed by his family, friends, and all who were blessed to know him. His legacy of kindness, generosity, hard work, and love will live on in the hearts of those he leaves behind.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Charissa Keating lit a candle in memory of Nick Andrew Cockerell*



Charissa keating - March 05 at 06:22 AM

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“ *Dearest Nick gone way too soon! You brought joy love and security to my daughter Kelly and her children that I wouldn't know how to thank you enough. Never have I seen such love as you two shared. It showed in both of you.*

It was my joy and pleasure to be your mother in law . May you forever have that twinkle in your eyes that you had for Taylor Fox and your beloved Kelly.

Rest in peace and thank you for touching all of our lives.

Toni and Travis Edwards

Toni Edwards - March 04 at 04:56 PM

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“ *Miss the bs me and you had and the laughs we gave each other heck but knew it was all in fun see ya buddy*

Doug Rush - March 04 at 04:28 PM

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“ *This man was like a brother to me. There was never a dull moment & any time spent together was full of love & laughs!! I will forever love & miss you, my Nick@Night, see you in heaven!!!*

Jan Allen - March 04 at 01:53 PM

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“ *Man bro I really miss you. I miss the calls and me trying to catch up with you when you already know what I'm going say 😭. Rest Easy my brother no more pain or sorrow. Like we said the night before you left I'll see you on the other side. Love you bro. Curtis*

Curtis - March 04 at 09:29 AM