



Edward Lewis McClendon

June 17, 1947 - May 26, 2014

Edward Lewis McClendon, 66, of Huntsville, Texas passed May 21, 2014. Edward was born to James Edward McClendon and Juanita Davis McClendon on June 17, 1947 in Huntsville, Texas. Edward was 5th generation Huntsville his great great grandfather Rudolf Countz came to this area in 1900. He completed his grade school education at Huntsville High School. After graduation he received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Chemistry, with a minor in Mathematics at Sam Houston State University. He furthered his education by completing necessary classes through San Antonio Community College and The American College of Real Estate to become a Texas Real Estate Licensee, and trained as a certified locksmith and as an electronic technician/electrician through trade experience. After twenty years in the electronics and telecommunications industry Edward retired from IBM. Edward will always be remembered as a handy man and could fix anything, if he didn't know how he would figure out what it would take to get the task done. He was an avid reader and collector of books. He also enjoyed feeding his catfish that he raised on his catfish farm. He spent most of his time outside on one of his many ongoing projects including a three hole golf course! Edward is survived by his brother Jimmy McClendon and wife Pamela Jo; sister Lynita McClendon Kelldorf; nephew Bryan Travis Kelldorf; niece Kasie Lynn Kelldorf; cousins and extended families the McCaffety's and Countz's; lifelong friend Buddy Acker and daughter Vicki Acker Flannery. He is preceded in death by his parents James Edward and Juanita McClendon. The family will

receive friends Sunday, May 25, 2014 from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Huntsville, Texas. Graveside services will be held Monday, May 26, 2014 at 9:30 AM at Falba Cemetery in Huntsville, Texas. Edward requested he be buried in "comfortable" clothes and those who attended his service do the same. Edward was a one of a kind and will be dearly missed by those who knew him. Memorial condolences may be made to the family online at www.shmfh.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Edward Lewis McClendon*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *I am so saddened to find from an online search for Ed this morning that he has been gone for nearly a year. I liked Ed right away when we met at SHSU in '69 . He was a chemistry major , I was physics so we had a lot in common,like helping each other with the higher math homework. We continued as friends in the early seventies at Hycel in Houston, rode dirt bikes on the pipeline near Huntsville. One night a group of us spent the night at a cabin sort of place outside Huntsville that belonged to his family. Fun night, as always with Ed and friends. I recall one dirt bike rider was a relative of his, Tommy. I went out to Baytown to work at Exxon so we saw less of each other, then I sailed off in '82 to Florida and never came back. I heard from someone he was in San Antonio. I was planning this summer to visit in Austin and Bastrop and go see Ed. I want to say that Ed had a special "cool" and fun personality, science smart, and folksy fun smart too. A great guy in every way. Words for Ed are easy going, laid back, and smiling. He was a pal to me, and I 'm so sorry to be a bit late after all these years. Rest in peace my friend, James Monroe.*

James Monroe - March 11, 2015 at 09:28 AM

PJ

With incredible sadness, I learned today (ten years later) that Ed had passed away. He was a great friend with whom I was lucky enough to share many crazy and fun times. I was one of those people James mentioned being with him the night we spent at the cabin on his grandmother's property. We sat in lawn chairs next to a pond and watched a fantastic lightning display from a distant thunderstorm. I remember it as though it was yesterday. We all worked together at Hycel in the Chem Check department. What an experience! Love ya, buddy. "There are no goodbyes for us, old friend. Wherever you are, you will always be in my heart."

Paul Judkins

Paul W Judkins - January 23, 2024 at 09:01 PM

GB

“ Lynita, Harry and I just heard about Edward and it made us very sad to hear of his passing! He was one of a kind and he brought so much joy and laughter to all that knew him! All I can say is I am glad to be counted in that group!

Grace and Harry Bohan - June 16, 2014 at 07:13 PM

MF

“ Lynita, I am so sorry for the loss of your brother. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Monetta Mooney Frenza - May 27, 2014 at 11:50 AM

GT

*“ My prayers for our classmate and friend. He will be remembered by us all...the class of '65.
He was a great friend!*

Ginny Thompson - May 26, 2014 at 04:33 PM

BN

“ *Lynita Ruth and Jimmy, my thoughts and prayers are with you. So sorry to hear about Edward Louis.*

Beverly Conner Niederhofer - May 26, 2014 at 03:30 PM

MZ

“ *My deepest sympathy to your family! He was a good man and we enjoyed his company when he shopped at the center! He was always a happy person he will be missed*

Maria zamudio - May 26, 2014 at 09:37 AM

EW

“ *Jimmy and Lynita,*

I am so sorry for your loss.

You know I loved Edward like a brother. He and I both know time comes and goes but friendship last forever.

Eddie

Eddie White - May 25, 2014 at 02:34 PM

BT

“ *Lynita and Jimmy*

Edward and I were best friends growing up. I will always hold his memory close. He always brought smiles to people's faces. My thoughts and prayers are with you with during this time. I know Edward will be a welcomed character in his next life.

Bill Toney - May 25, 2014 at 02:17 PM

CD

“ *My deepest and heartfelt condolences
All my love,
Cathy Disbrow*

Cathy Disbrow - May 25, 2014 at 01:58 PM

TW

“ *I was very sorry to hear of the passing of Ed. I became a good friend of Ed's back in the early 70's, even before he married my cousin Carol Ann. We had many hours filled with laughter and telling jokes. I will miss that great friendship we had. Jimmy, I will be thinking of you and your family..... Tommy*

Tommy Wimberly - May 25, 2014 at 10:53 AM

RG

“ *The staff at the C.O.M.E center are very sorry for your loss. He will be missed so much. He was a great light in many peoples lives. He was such a character that brought joy to our day. He will always be remembered and your family will be in our thoughts. May God be with you in your time of need.*

Rebecca Grace - May 25, 2014 at 12:16 AM

VC

“ *Lynita, So sorry about your brother. thoughts and prayers you way,
Vicki Davis
Christopher*

VICKI Christopher - May 24, 2014 at 06:19 PM

LT

“ Edward will be missed by all of us. I always had fun every time we managed to get together. I valued our friendship very much. My prayer is that God grant you peace during this time.

Lynn Taylor - May 24, 2014 at 11:09 AM

BD

“ Jimmy, I was sorry to hear about your brother Edward. It is always hard to loose someone you love. I will keep you in my prayers that you will have peace in your heart. Love to you and the rest of your family.

Barbara(Bobbye) Foster Drake - May 24, 2014 at 10:52 AM

EA

“ Lynita,our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Edd & Terry Artherholt - May 23, 2014 at 09:30 PM

JJ

“ Lynita, I am so sorry about Edward Lewis. My heart hurts for you. My prayers are with you during this difficult time.

Jeannine Jacoby - May 23, 2014 at 08:03 AM

DW

“ I was a classmate of Edward's and recently I was able to visit with him. I am sorry for your loss. You are in my prayers.

Dorene Walding - May 22, 2014 at 10:13 PM

MD

“ So sorry to hear about Edward. He and I were school mates. I will always remember how kind hearted he was. Your family will be in my prayers. May God bless and comfort you during this season in your lives.

Mac Durham - May 22, 2014 at 09:54 PM

MH

“ Jimmy and Lynita...I was so sad to hear about Edward Lewis...he was a great man and a wonderful friend to me. I am so glad that I got to see him a few years ago when he was in Arizona. He will certainly be missed...my thoughts and prayers are with you

Mary Beth Kaltwasser Van Horn - May 22, 2014 at 08:20 PM

GR

“ We will surely miss your witty sense of humor. Sharon always looked forward to seeing you at the alumni every year. You will be seriously missed. We will keep your family in our prayers. Rest in peace old friend

Gene Reynolds - May 22, 2014 at 07:43 PM

JM

“ We are very sorry about Ed. He has been a great friend and neighbor. He was always willing to help any time I needed it. If there is anything we can help you with just call us. We will keep you in our prayers.

Jerry and Carolyn McMillian

Jerry and Carolyn McMillian - May 22, 2014 at 06:07 PM