



Fred Vandle Elder

March 15, 1947 - May 12, 2023

Fred Vandle Elder, 76, of Huntsville, TX, passed away peacefully on May 12, 2023 surrounded by loved ones. Fred was born on March 15, 1947 to Bob & Meta Elder in Houston, TX. After graduating from Milby High School in 1965, Fred wed his high school sweetheart Pamela Yount in 1966. He then went on to proudly serve in the United States Air Force from 1966-1970. Together Pam and Fred had four children, Cheryl, Jason, Pamela Jill and Elizabeth. While both went on to remarry, Fred & Pam remained close throughout their lives. Fred wed Shirley McAdams in December of 1982 and together had one daughter, Kathryn.

Anyone who knew Fred knew that he was a loving father, husband & Pop. He was preceded in death by his parents, Bob & Meta Elder, siblings Butch Elder and Barb Conti, daughter Pamela Jill Elder and granddaughter Brittany White. He is survived by his wife Shirley Elder, his former wife Pam Elder and his children Cheryl White, Jason Elder, Elizabeth Peña and Kathryn Becak. He is also survived by his Grandchildren, Jaclyn Gurrola, Fayth Elder, Olivia Peña, Julia Peña, Tyler Elder, Stella Becak and Great Grandson Charles Gurrola.

The family requests that all flowers and notes are sent to Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Huntsville, TX. Both visitation and funeral services will be held at the McAdams Chapel, located at 1251 FM 1696 Rd W Huntsville, TX 77320. Visitation will be held from 10:00am-12:00pm, followed immediately by a 12:00pm funeral/graveside service and celebration of life luncheon.

Memorial condolences may be made to the family at www.shmfh.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 20. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

McAdams Chapel
1251 FM 1696
Huntsville, TX 77320

Funeral Service

MAY 20. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

McAdams Chapel
1251 FM 1696
Huntsville, TX 77320

Graveside Service

MAY 20. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM.

McAdams Cemetery

RECEPTION

MAY 20. 1:45 PM - 2:45 PM (CT)

McAdams Chapel
1251 FM 1696
Huntsville, TX 77320

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Calzada lit a candle in memory of Fred Vandle Elder*



Mary Calzada - May 20, 2023 at 09:18 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Fred Vandle Elder.*



May 20, 2023 at 08:57 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Fred Vandle Elder.*



May 20, 2023 at 08:57 AM



“ *Pam Alexander lit a candle in memory of Fred Vandle Elder*



Pam Alexander - May 19, 2023 at 07:20 PM

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R.I.P.

Pam Alexander - May 19, 2023 at 07:22 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Fred Vandle Elder.



May 18, 2023 at 08:06 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of Fred Vandle Elder.



May 18, 2023 at 02:37 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Fred Vandle Elder.

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“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Fred Vandle Elder.



May 17, 2023 at 05:46 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Fred Vandle Elder.*



May 17, 2023 at 03:40 PM



“ *Richard & Mary Ann Faulkner lit a candle in memory of Fred Vandle Elder*



Richard & Mary Ann Faulkner - May 16, 2023 at 05:50 PM



“ *M. Hyvl lit a candle in memory of Fred Vandle Elder*



M. Hyvl - May 16, 2023 at 10:57 AM