



Graham Vernon Aker

March 26, 1947 - January 22, 2020

Vernon Aker passed away peacefully on Wednesday, January 22, 2020 in San Antonio , Texas at Vitas Inpatient Hospice Unit after a battle with cancer.

Vernon was born in Norman, Oklahoma, on March 26, 1947, to Pauline B. Aker and Graham Aker who preceded him in death.

A Huntsville native and graduate of Huntsville High School, Mr. Aker earned his BBS degree from Sam Houston State University. He served in recent years in the Presidents Circle and supported the Athletic Department at Sam Houston. He was a director at First National Bank, Huntsville, Texas, for several years and served as a manager on the board of Gibbs Brothers & Company, L.P.

He is survived by his son Michael of Bangkok, Thailand: dear friend Tracey Bruno and many beloved pets.

A visitation is scheduled for Wednesday, January 29, 2020 from 10:00 – 11:00am at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home, Huntsville, Texas. A graveside service will be held on Wednesday, January 29, 2020 at 1:30 pm at Oakwood Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the ASPCA or the charity of your choice.

Those wishing to leave memorial condolences for the family may do so at www.shmfh.com

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

Huntsville, TX

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 29. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home - Huntsville
1700 Normal Park Dr.
Huntsville, TX 77340
(936) 291-7300
belinda@shmfh.com

Graveside Service

JAN 29. 1:30 PM (CT)

Oakwood Cemetery
Huntsville, TX

Tribute Wall



“ *Graham Vernon Aker*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Joe Monteleone lit a candle in memory of Graham Vernon Aker*



Joe Monteleone - March 09, 2020 at 12:57 PM



“ *I'm sorry for your loss.*



Mellicent Wiley - February 01, 2020 at 02:12 PM



“ *Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb lit a candle in memory of Graham Vernon Aker*



Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb - January 30, 2020 at 12:28 PM

MH

“ M. Hyvl sent a virtual gift in memory of Graham Vernon Aker



M. Hyvl - January 30, 2020 at 10:32 AM

AM

“ What a delightful person Vernon was, My husband, Charles (9/8/16) and I always enjoyed seeing him at Sam Houston functions, as well as Pauline. Michael, you and our son Penn Mallery, who went to McCullough High in the Woodlands, played against each other in basketball in the late 80's. Penn joins me in sending his thoughts to you, Fondly, Ann Mallery

Ann Mallery - January 29, 2020 at 05:58 PM

CH

“ Vernon and I sat by each other in Mrs. Hatters' Spanish class. We became friends and enjoyed laughing together in lab as he would say, "Another day with Harcourt, Brace and Inc. ". After all these years, I can still hear his voice. I graduated before Vernon and To this day, carry so many fond memories of HHS and many are the fun times in Spanish Lab. Carole Ann Freeman Hughes.

Carole Ann Freeman Hughes - January 29, 2020 at 10:57 AM



“ Vernon's intellect and quick dry wit were always a bright spot in any encounter with Vernon. May he rest in peace after his arduous battle with health issues!
JD Davis

JD Davis - January 29, 2020 at 08:07 AM

PA

“ 24 files added to the album *Just a few rescues.....*



Paula - January 28, 2020 at 11:14 PM

JD

Wow!! These are great to see! I so loved that he did this and hope to one day be able to do as my Uncle Vernon did! ❤️

Jessi Drexler - January 29, 2020 at 02:07 AM

AN

“ We look forward to the time when no one will say "I'm sick". Isaiah 33:24. Please allow Jesus words to bring comfort and hope to the family: "And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes and death will be no more neither pain mourning nor outcry be anymore. The former things have passed away" Our deepest condolences to the family.

Angie - January 28, 2020 at 06:37 PM



“ A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Graham Vernon Aker.



January 27, 2020 at 05:25 PM

DL

“ We have all lost a wonderful part of our lives. Carolyn and I share your grief. He was a true friend and I'll always remember our times together. *Dr. Basil Long*

Dr. Basil Long - January 27, 2020 at 02:08 PM

DG

He was a wonderful man he was like family to me . I worked for his mother until she passed away.Michael you'll have my deep sympathy..He will truly be missed.

Donna Gilbert - January 28, 2020 at 10:24 AM

WM

I'm very sorry to find out this very sad news. Vernon and I were good friends all through HHS and into college. I really lost track of Vernon after going into the the Service and subsequent life in the Washington.

Vernon was a really great guy and I have many fond memories of our times together.

WILLIAM R MCCLINTOCK - September 22, 2020 at 10:45 PM

GB

Vernon was an outstanding individual. This world needs more people like him in it.

Garry Bingham

Garry Bingham - January 31, 2025 at 06:35 AM