



Jacob Edwin Sherman

October 11, 1941 - July 6, 2017

Jacob Edwin Sherman was born on October 11, 1941 in Camden, Texas to Jake and Zelly Mae Sherman of Corrigan, Texas. He went to be with the Lord when he passed away on July 6, 2017 at MD Anderson hospital in Houston, Texas.

Jacob was preceded in death by his parents, Jake and Zelly Mae Sherman of Corrigan, Texas, his sister Rebeca Sherman Mixson of Corrigan, Texas, and his mother & father in law, Yancy and Lorene Cockrell of Corrigan, Texas. Jacob is survived by his wife (of 52 years) Sandra Cockrell Sherman of Huntsville, Texas, his Son Scott Sherman & wife Dr. Kristin Daniels Sherman of Corrigan, Texas their son Stephen Sherman of Corrigan, Texas, daughter Jessica Sherman of Ft. Worth, Texas; Son Matthew Sherman and wife Ava of Nacogdoches, Texas and his daughter Samantha Sherman of Hewitt, Texas. Nephew Max Mixson of Arizona, Niece Maebeth Carrizel and husband Shane of Houston, Texas. Brother-in-law Jerry Cockrell of Corrigan, Texas Sister and Brother in law, Deborah and John Thomas of Kingwood, Texas. And many family and friends.

Jacob was loved by his family and friends and will be dearly missed.

Jacob graduated from Corrigan High School in 1960 and received a Bachelor Degree from Lamar University in Beaumont, Texas and a Masters' Degree

from Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches, Texas. He married Sandra Cockrell on August 22, 1965 and they both began their careers as educators in Vidor Texas. Jacob retired after 47 years in education. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Huntsville, TX, The Corrigan Masonic Lodge #1103 in Corrigan, TX and The Order of The Eastern Star Chapter #631 in Corrigan, TX. He was also a member of Phi Delta Kappan Chapter, Stephen F. Austin State University.

He loved to travel and bird watch. One of his most memorial trips was to Panama and his bird watching experience. He always had his binoculars ready. He had many friends from his youth and throughout his life and enjoyed talking and visiting with them.

Visitation and services will be held at First Baptist Church in Huntsville, Texas on Saturday, July 8, 2017. Visitation be at 1:00 p.m. followed by funeral services at 2:00 p.m. officiated by Rev. Jason Bay and Rev. Royce Pennington. Burial will be at Union Springs Cemetery in Corrigan, Texas at 5:00 p.m. and officiated by Corrigan Masonic Lodge #1103. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the scholarship fund at First Baptist Church in Huntsville, Texas.

Cemetery Details

Union Springs Cemetery

Corrigan, TX

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 8. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Huntsville
1229 Ave J
Huntsville, TX

Service

JUL 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Huntsville
1229 Ave J
Huntsville, TX

Tribute Wall



“ *Jacob Edwin Sherman*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Haroldlyn Bryan lit a candle in memory of Jacob Edwin Sherman*



haroldlyn bryan - July 08, 2017 at 12:20 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jacob Edwin Sherman.*



July 08, 2017 at 07:41 AM



“ *He was a wise,courageous,Cristian man who fougth hard as did you, Sandra and he won the battle with his complete healing in heaven! You were s beautiful couple ! May God and time bring you & your family peace and comfort ! Love in Christ, Willie Head*

Willie Head - July 08, 2017 at 03:10 AM

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“ I would like to express my deepest sympathy to Sandra and the family for the loss of a wonderful man, "Jakie" as the Corrigan community fondly called him. Quincy and I have been away from Corrigan for a good while now, but remember how dedicated he was to education, his family, his church, and his community. Praying for peace and comfort.

Quincy and Ramona Adams - July 08, 2017 at 12:10 AM

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“ Mr. Sherman was my first Superintendent at Corrigan-Camden I.S.D. He was very instrumental in helping get our bond election passed for our new Primary School. He worked very close with our Principal Mrs. Sue McMeans and our committee of teachers on this much needed endeavor. He wrote each one of us a handwritten letter thanking us for our dedication, hard work, determination and persistence in getting this bond election passed. I still have mine and will treasure it always! Mr. Sherman was always there for the community, students, administration, teachers and staff and willing to lend an ear to all. He was highly visible often sticking his head in the classrooms to see what the children were learning and how things were going. This always brought a smile to his face! He will always be remembered by our community for his dedication to educating the children of C-CI.S.D. Lisa McCollum

Lisa McCollum - July 07, 2017 at 08:56 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jacob Edwin Sherman.



July 07, 2017 at 05:59 PM



“ *Amazing Arboricola was purchased for the family of Jacob Edwin Sherman.*



July 07, 2017 at 03:51 PM