



Jeff A. Tucker

September 23, 1930 - February 23, 2013

Jeff Allison Tucker Jeff Allison Tucker, beloved uncle died peacefully on Tuesday, February 19, 2013 at Huntsville Memorial Hospital, Huntsville, TX. Jeff was born September 23, 1930 in Huntsville, the second son and child of Lud Rector Tucker and Annella Roten Tucker of Huntsville (deceased). His only sibling was, Lud Roten (Ziggy) Tucker (deceased). He graduated from Sam Houston State and went to work in the accounting section for the Texas Department of Corrections. He met and married Joy Humphrey Tucker (deceased) of Trinity in 1956. Most of their married life was spent in the Dallas-Ft. Worth area. He retired from Lockheed Martin. In 1990 they returned to Huntsville. Uncle Jeff loved his model airplanes and flew them for many years. He and Aunt Joy lavished love on Heidi and Happy, their beloved dachshunds (deceased). Ziggy blessed him with a niece, Terri Young and husband Phil from Virginia and a nephew Nick Tucker (deceased). He showed no favorites and loved the Bell and Krenek kids as his own. All of us share in the many memories we have of them both. We also share the many gifts of themselves and other things they gave to all of us. The kids (nieces and nephews) are Patricia Bell Jolly (deceased), Carolyn Bell Florus, William Troy Krenek, Jerry Krenek, Joyce Krenek Gouldie, Roy Bell, Pam Krenek and Donna Bell Baker. He is also survived by his cousin Irmadene Cauthen of Huntsville. He is survived by all of his great nieces and nephews, great-great nieces and nephews and great-great-great niece and nephew. He will be missed by his friends and especially his 1947 HHS classmates. This cannot

be concluded without mentioning Donna Bell Baker and her husband David and their daughters Calli Baker Dretke and her husband Ryan and Chelsea Baker. They were always there for both Aunt Joy and Uncle Jeff. The rest of us would stop by from our homes away from Huntsville, but Donna and her family helped him every day. They were more than a niece and her family to him. The family would like to thank Dr. David Toronjo and Dr. Karen Olson and their staff for the excellent care they gave to Uncle Jeff. We also send special thanks to the staff at Green Acres Nursing home, especially his favorite aide, Ms. Rosa. The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m. at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home, Huntsville, Texas, on Friday, February 22, 2013. Services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, February 23, 2013 also at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home. This will be followed by interment at Clapp Cemetery, Walker County. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The National Alzheimer's Association, P.O. Box 96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011 or online at www.alz.org or a charity of choice. Those wishing to leave memorial condolences for the family may do so at www.shmfh.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Jeff A. Tucker*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Thinking and praying for you all. May God comfort you all in the healing days ahead.*

Dale and Donna Story - February 28, 2013 at 08:57 AM



“ *May your hearts find peace and comfort in knowing that soon, all suffering, sickness and death will be no more. That promised is written in the Bible at Revelation 21:4. We can have faith in that promise and many more that is written in the Bible because Almighty God Jehovah cannot lie.(Titus 1:2) My deepest condolences to the family for your loss.*

V.G. - February 24, 2013 at 05:39 PM



“ *Jeff Tucker was the Director of Finance when I was hired at Vought in 1983. I loved this man! He was such a class act and I know he will be missed. He was so kind to me when my brother was murdered in 1985 during the time I worked for Jeff and he came to my office many times to "just talk" to me. People wondered why the "big boss" was in my office because Jeff just didn't usually do that. I am now retired and I can say that Jeff Tucker was the person I worked for that I respected more than any other during a 35 year career. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with all of Jeff's family.*

Scott Church - February 22, 2013 at 05:52 PM

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“ Dear Tucker Family and extended Family,
I am sorry to learn of your loss. I hope you are comforted in warm memories and knowing Jeff is with loved ones in Heaven.

I believe with each death a new birth can happen and I believe that is true in my learning of Jeff's death today as I began to research family history for the Tucker Family. You see my uncle was Ziggy - uncle in law, his first wife, Mary Ann Kasper was my aunt. It would be so lovely out of the death of Jeff to find lost relatives. I do hope the Tucker family will reach out to me. I would very much like to make contact with Terri Tucker Young as she is my first cousin. I am so very hopeful that your family will contact me at kristinkasper@yahoo.com.

*My sincere condolences for your loss and my hopeful wishes for new connections,
Kristin Kasper
San Francisco, CA*

Kristin Kasper - February 22, 2013 at 03:40 PM

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“ Prayers for healing for the entire Tucker family and extended family. Jeff and Ziggy's Mom shared daily, with my Mom, how proud she was of her sons. Althen Niederhofer also considered Jeff a very good friend and classmate. Donna and family, God will bless you for the years you devoted to Jeff. My thoughts are with you all. Don't you know there is a great reunion going on in Heaven!

Beverly Niederhofer - February 22, 2013 at 09:18 AM

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“ *What wonderful memories we have of both Jeff and Joy as neighbors and the pleasure they brought to us and to our children as they were growing up.*

We also were privileged to work in the same company as Jeff and know he was very professional and well regarded for his accomplishments.

His was a life well lived.

Gene & Janice Dew - February 20, 2013 at 01:55 PM