



# Michael Otto Fredenburg

December 21, 1948 - June 29, 2022

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# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUL 1. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home - Huntsville  
1700 Normal Park Dr  
Huntsville

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Michael Otto Fredenburg*



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**Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home** - July 01, 2022 at 05:26 PM

KF

*Grandpa,  
When i think of you, I think of undeniable and extraordinary strength. You inspire me to never let anything in this world hold me back and to never be overcome by fear, I admire your resilient soul. Thank you for being a loving Grandfather and for all of the wonderful memories. You always gave the best hugs and I will miss them dearly. One day I will get to be in the presence of your bright soul again.*

*I love you, Grandpa  
Always*

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**Karissa Fredenburg** - July 02, 2022 at 02:44 AM

TF

“ *My hero, my husband. ....*

*A humble and quiet man, loving and kind, he was and will always be the love of my life, even though he is with Jesus now. While others ran from their duty to country he ran towards it. Not that he wanted to go to war, but his sense of honor and duty to his country and to his brothers in arms demanded nothing less. Once there he gave 110%, knowing that each day could be his last he still gave his all. By God's grace he returned from Vietnam but not to a grateful country, but instead to angry faces spitting and swearing at him. Still he wore his uniform proudly and his honor remained. Yes my husband Toby was my hero, and even though he did not receive injuries that could be seen, there was brewing inside him an enemy that would cause great suffering and eventually take his life. Agent Orange soaked his body and even his food in Vietnam and it would prove to be a greater enemy than he ever imagined. It took his sight, his kidneys, his heart and caused a cancer that ravaged his body. It eventually took his life. Through it all he remained a faithful soldier to his country and most importantly to his God. His love for his family and for his Savior Jesus Christ was his standard, his reason for living and I am so grateful that God gave him to me to love and be loved. I will see him again one day of that I am certain. Til then he remains forever in my heart.*

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**Teresa Fredenburg** - May 08, 2025 at 10:22 PM



“ *Michael Otto Fredenburg*

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November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM

RJ

“ I loved my Uncle Toby so much! He was always such an important figure in my life. He was always so loving, kind and caring. He'd do just about anything for anyone. He was a true man of God and I admired that so much. I'm so thankful he was in my life, but really sad that the last couple of years were distant. I love you Uncle Toby and I know you are rejoicing in heaven and no longer suffering.

Rachel Johnson - July 06, 2022 at 06:21 PM

MH

“ M. Hyvl sent a virtual gift in memory of Michael Otto Fredenburg



M. Hyvl - July 01, 2022 at 05:17 PM

SF

“ Grandpa was always one of the strongest men that I knew, he always provided and took care of his family, and he was always extremely kind to me. I remember visiting him back when he lived in Arizona with Grandpa, when we lived in California. I cherish those times, and he always looked out for me when I was scared or needed help. He loved his family with all his heart and I miss him already. I can pray and hope that he's resting in heaven with my dad and grandma, I miss them all so much and I wish I can see them again someday. Grandpa was always devoted to the teachings of God, and was very devout. Thank you for always being there for me, and dad grandpa. I pray that I get to see you again in Heaven, god bless you grandpa. I love you with all my heart.  
-With love, your granddaughter,  
Savannah Faith Fredenburg

Savannah Faith Fredenburg - July 01, 2022 at 05:06 PM

SF

“ I will always be grateful to Mike for all of the love and support he gave to me and his family. He was an amazing mentor, grandfather, friend and father in-law. I am a better woman and mother for having him in my life, because I witnessed firsthand that a true man of God is like. Right from the beginning Mike treated me like family and was always there to offer guidance, help and support. I could never pay back all of the endless rides to and from work or the hours he spent watching the kids while Shane and I worked. I know his strength and memory will live on through the lives he touched. He was and always will be a man that I will hold with the upmost honor and respect. I am blessed to have known such an incredible man, much love Suzie Fredenburg

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**Suzie Fredenburg** - July 01, 2022 at 03:52 PM



“ I didn't actually meet Toby in person until about 10 years ago when we each took our dads to their brothers house in Shreveport LA for a final reunion. I am so glad we were able to make that happen for the brothers. I felt like I knew Toby before that tho, through pictures and stories from Uncle Jack! When I was little I just thought he was so cute! Toby Tyler was popular back then, so I thought I was pretty special having such a handsome cousin named Toby. Didn't know til years later that his proper name was Michael!  
I am so proud that Toby followed in all his uncles footsteps and served his country proudly! I am also proud of the endless strength and faith he had in fighting cancer! And I'm thankful for Teresa and his family for giving him the love and support I'm sure he depended on 💖 I will be with you all later today, virtually as well as in spirit and love 💖 Gail Fredenburg Company

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**Gail Company** - July 01, 2022 at 10:19 AM

LA

“ *Michael was my cousin and we kept in touch through the years....  
Uncle Jack was my connection to him ❤️ I pray for Toby and his  
family 🙏 With love, Linda Elmer/ Akin*

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**linda akin** - July 01, 2022 at 09:40 AM