



Norman Bentley Davidson Jr.

August 22, 1927 - July 18, 2015

N.B. "Sonny" Davidson passed away peacefully at home surrounded by his family on Saturday, July 18, 2015. He was preceded in death by his father N.B. "Chick" Davidson, mother Mary Davidson, son Sam L. Davidson and brother Sam F. Davidson. Sonny was a 1948 graduate of Texas A&M University. Besides his love for Texas A&M, his true love was his wife Carolyn. Even at his darkest times during his illness Sonny's main concern was always to make sure that Carolyn was taken care of and happy. Those who knew Sonny know what a kind, gentle and loving man he was, as well as a man of great integrity.

Sonny will be missed by his family and friends but the times together will be treasured. Along with Sonny's wife Carolyn, he is survived by his daughters Jill Jones and Lee Holland and husband Tommy, Three grandsons, Chris Morris and wife Kelli, Matt Morris and Cory Willard and wife Lauren. Sonny also has 6 great grandchildren.

A special thanks to Terri, Tawny and Adren with Traditions Hospice. Megan Burson, Dr. Karl Mahaffey and the staff at Mahaffey Wellness Center. Dr. Urmil Shukla, Dr. Arif Abdullah, Dr. Sujesh Pillai, Dr. Sudhir Sehgal and Dr. Ather Sidiqi and the entire staff at Sam Houston Cancer Center.

Pallbearers include Chris Morris, Matt Morris, Tommy Holland, Mark Ansel, Melvin Newsom and Caleb Bryant.

Visitation will be held Monday, July 20, 2015 from 5:00pm to 7:00pm at the home of Sonny and Carolyn Davidson, 2210 Avenue S in Huntsville Texas.

Funeral Services will be held on Tuesday, July 21 at 11:00am at St. Stephens Episcopal Church with burial following at Oakwood Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Stephens Episcopal Church in Huntsville, Texas or the charity of your choice.

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

Previous Events

Funeral services

JUL **21**. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Stephen's Episcopal Church
5019 Sam Houston Avenue
Huntsville, TX

Tribute Wall



“ *Norman Bentley Davidson Jr.*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Sending light and love to my birth father's family. Thank you Carolyn for taking such good care of him and for being kind to me when I popped back into your lives in 2008 for a brief moment.*

My Mom Wanda Faye Rose and birth father Norman Bentley Davidson, Jr. gave me life. He took good care of us even after the devastating loss of his son (my older brother) Samuel Luther Davidson at the age of 12 in 1963 until my parents parted ways when I was 12 in 1970 and "Sonny" moved back to our home state of Texas.

I am forever grateful for the joyous memories of camping, boating, musical theater, sories of his work in the solid propulsion division of Aerojet General in Rancho Cordova, CA. and my summers in Huntsville, TX. with Grandma Mary and Grandpa "Chick". May my birth father Reside In Paradise forever.

*With respect I remain his first born blood related daughter,
Dana Davidson
aka: Dayna Rose Davidson*

Dayna Grumbles - April 14, 2022 at 01:01 PM



“ *Art and I are so very sorry for the loss of Sonny.. A very special person and will be missed. Our prayers are with you and your family.*



Jeannine Jacoby - July 24, 2015 at 07:07 AM

JM

“ Carolyn and family, we are sorry to learn of your loss. Sonny was a remarkable man and was a friend to all. I know you will miss him greatly but you have many wonderful thoughts to remember him by. Would like to see you all.
Joyce and Jimmy Merchant

Joyce & Jimmy Merchant - July 21, 2015 at 10:47 AM

DB

“ So sorry for your loss. Sonny was our most beloved volunteer here in the Surgery Department!

Diane Bridges - July 20, 2015 at 07:47 PM

SS

“ Carolyn, Jill & Lee, so sorry to hear about Sonny's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your families. Sarah Haas Schulz

Sarah Schulz - July 20, 2015 at 04:36 PM

MS

“ MEGAN SLAVEN lit a candle in memory of Norman Bentley Davidson Jr.



MEGAN SLAVEN - July 20, 2015 at 04:10 PM

DG

“ Lee and family, we are so sad for your pain and loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Debbie and Tom Grisham - July 20, 2015 at 09:57 AM

JW

“ We were so saddened when we returned from out of town and learned of Sonny's passing. What a wonderful neighbor and kind man. It was so good to see him enjoying the outdoors a few weeks ago. Carolyn and family, we are praying for your peace and comfort. May you hold on to the years of wonderful memories you had together.

Jim & Janice Willett

Janice Willett - July 20, 2015 at 09:49 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Norman Bentley Davidson Jr..



July 19, 2015 at 03:13 PM

GE

“ I was very fortunate to be allowed to watch this romance blossom. Life can offer one nothing better than to be able to share it with their best friend. Life allowed you to find each other. Isn't life wonderful? We share in your grief over the loss of your best friend. Sonny was a very dear friend to us also.

*We love you,
Gerry and Nancy*

Gerry and Nancy Etheredge - July 19, 2015 at 02:00 PM



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Norman Bentley Davidson Jr..*



July 19, 2015 at 01:02 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Our love and prayers are with you all.*
David and Kay Cox

Kay Cox - July 19, 2015 at 12:07 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Norman Bentley Davidson Jr..*



July 18, 2015 at 10:20 PM