



Wayne Allen

October 28, 1935 - April 21, 2021

Arlen Wayne Allen was born October 28, 1935 in Coleman, Tx. Eighty-five years later he was called home to be with the Lord on April 21, 2021. He was preceded in death by his parents O. G. Allen and Josephine Fine Allen, and his son John Anthony Allen.

Early in life he became an entrepreneur and astute businessman, owning or investing in several small businesses. To further care for his family, he later gained employment at TDCJ and after 20 plus years retired at the rank of Sergeant.

Wayne was a family man who fondly recalled his early days of bay fishing with his father, camping with his children, and his involvement in the Walker County Fair. Later, his life would revolve around his grandchildren and great grandchildren. He dearly loved having them gathered around his chair during Sunday lunch or special holidays.

Wayne loved the Lord and was active in Bethel Baptist Church for many years until his health no longer allowed attendance in person. When he was unable to physically attend, he looked forward to watching the singing and services online and worshipping virtually. He was a proud Master Mason of well over 50 years and was a Charter Member of Albert J. DeLange Masonic Lodge # 1403 in Houston.

He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Barbara Lunsford Allen; his brother Troy Allen and wife Ginger; his sister Carol Newton and husband Randy; sons, Vincent Allen and wife Melissa, and Kevin Lunsford and wife Renee;

grandchildren, Cari McGown, Don M. Lunsford, Ryan Redden, and Chance Allen; and great grandchildren Kaydence, Koaltin, and Dakota. He is also survived by a host of other family members and friends.

The funeral will be held at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Huntsville, Texas on Monday, April 26, 2021. Visitation will be from 9:00am to 10:00am and the funeral service will begin at 10:00am. Graveside services with Masonic honors will follow at East Sandy Cemetery on FM 1374, New Waverly, Texas.

Memorial condolences may be made to the family at www.shmfh.com

Cemetery Details

East Sandy Cemetery

New Waverly, TX

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 26. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wayne Allen*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with You and Your family*💕💕

Jerry&Billie Peterson - April 26, 2021 at 10:39 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wayne Allen.*



April 25, 2021 at 05:44 PM



“ *Debra Amber and Kayde purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Wayne Allen.*



Debra Amber and Kayde - April 25, 2021 at 10:26 AM

DP

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

Dudley and Kathy Park



Dudley and Kathy Park - April 24, 2021 at 09:56 AM

JD

“ *Jimmy M. Jones, DMS lit a candle in memory of Wayne Allen*



Jimmy M. Jones, DMS - April 23, 2021 at 06:14 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Wayne Allen.*



April 23, 2021 at 03:40 PM

SB

“ *Barbara, my thoughts and prayers are with you and the entire family at this time. We all know what a kind, gentle man Wayne was. He will be missed by a lot of folks. Now he is at peace in his Heavenly Home.*

Sara Bartee - April 23, 2021 at 01:49 PM

MH

“ *M. Hyvl sent a virtual gift in memory of Wayne Allen*



M. Hyvl - April 23, 2021 at 01:17 PM

RL

“ *Wayne was a dear father in law. He loved our family gatherings. Always inquired about each and every family member. Wayne loved Barbara and his sons and grandkids so very much. He will be missed. I pray comfort for Barbara, Vince and Kevin at this time and our family. Wayne is resting now .*

Renee Lunsford - April 23, 2021 at 12:22 PM

CG

“ *Mrs. Allen,
Wayne was one of the nicest men I ever visited with all the years of doing your pest control. I always enjoyed his bright happy personality. I am so sorry. My prayers are with your family*

Charissa Gibson - April 23, 2021 at 11:32 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wayne Allen.*



April 22, 2021 at 06:36 PM

SM

“ *Our prayers are with all of Bro. Wayne's family during this sad time. May God wrap you in His loving arms and give you peace and comfort. Sending love and hugs to MS Bobbie, Vince & Melissa, Kevin & Renee and the whole family.*

Thomas & Susan Mott

Susan Mott - April 22, 2021 at 04:23 PM