



## Colonel Willam C. Brewer USAF Ret.

November 20, 1922 - September 17, 2008

Funeral services for Colonel William C. Brewer USAF retired, 85, of Rosenberg, will be held at 2:00 P. M., Friday , September 19, 2008 at Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Chapel in Rosenberg. Interment will follow in Rosenberg City Cemetery.

Visitation will be held from 6:00 P. M. until 8:00 P. M., Thursday, September 18, 2008 in the State Room of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home in Rosenberg.

W. C. was born November 20, 1922 in Quanah, Texas to William C. Brewer and Marjorie Lindsey Brewer. He served his country proudly in the United States Air Force during WWII, Korea and Vietnam. He was a member of Avenue N Church of Christ in Rosenberg. Bill passed away September 17, 2008 in Sugar Land, Texas.

W. C. is preceded in death by his parents, William and Marjorie Brewer; his first wife of 36 years, Rosanna Cochran Brewer; and his second wife of 16 years, Gwendolyn Bean Brewer.

He is survived by his children: Jack Brewer and wife, Amber, Bill Brewer and wife, Rhonda, Terri Coleman, Michael Brewer, Wendy Funk and husband, Steven; step daughter: Barbara Brown and husband, Lloyd; in-laws: Bonnie Brewer, Virginia and Johnny McCain, Lois Holstine, Lorraine Goger;

grandchildren: Geary, Jack, Jr., Lyndsie, Desiré, Brandi, Billy, Justin, Loni,  
Michael, Kimberly, Christopher,  
Matthew, Kelly, Chad; great grandchildren: Geary, Jordyn,  
Matthew, Rosanna, Abby, Ricky,  
Haylee, Omariana, Kaitlyn, Megan,  
Morgan; along with numerous nieces, nephews, other family members and  
many, many friends.

# Tribute Wall

SB

“ God Bless your family at this time. I didn't know Col. Brewer, but I do know how much he was loved. Rhonda has shared her memories of this amazing gentleman.  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

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**Sandy Brooks** - September 26, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ Colonel, I know you knew how much I Loved You and wanted to tell you thank you for everything you did for me and my family. I walk with my head held high just knowing that I was able to proudly call you my Father in Law but you were more like a father to me I was lucky enough to have you in my life for the last 21 years. I always loved it when you would call me "Doll" and I was able to return by saying "yes Sir I know I am"  
Desire'e, Keith, Haylee, Ricky, Billy and Brandi were also proud to call you Grandpa.  
I love and miss you so much Colonel.  
I am going to miss all the stories I could sit for hours just listening I know you are circling above in your B-52 keeping an eye on all of us.  
With all my love, Rhonda

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**Rhonda** - September 25, 2008 at 12:00 AM

AO

“ We were deeply saddened when we heard about Bill. Bill came by our business frequently and had lots of stories to tell. We visited for hours on end. He will be greatly missed, and our condolences to his family.

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**Alan and Virginia Odom** - September 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Our condolences to the Family of our"Old Friend" Bill. He was one of a kind and will never be forgotten.

J.D. & Sue Reynolds - September 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ We will really miss our dear friend. I watched him every morning put the flag up even when he was already using the walker. He didn't miss a beat. He was a true patriot and a great guy. We always had a chuckle when he would attend national night out at the Benton's on his lawn mower. So sorry to hear of his passing.

Bekki Laskoskie - September 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ I am truly saddened to hear of this. My parents use to own an auto parts store in town and Col Brewer was a frequent customer for parts for what ever he was working on either at the school where he taught shop, his home shop, or his homemade plane. Recently I had to clean out the carburetor on my mower to get it back running and had a fond thought of the Col and how he showed me how and what to do one time in his garage. A truly great man and role model he was for the many lives he touched. My thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time.

Randy Heideman - September 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Our condolences to the family.

The Gang at Vac Systems - September 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ My condolences to the family.

Lee Droddy - September 19, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LK

“ *Those of us who lived near and knew COL Brewer have lost a wonderful friend and neighbor. I know the retired teachers will miss him, as well. He was a fine man and it was my pleasure to have known him for so long.*

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**Loma Koenig** - September 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ *It was my deepest honor to have known COL Brewer for over 20 years. He was a gentleman way before Congress made him and Officer and a Gentleman. I will miss seeing him at the Soda Fountain and at his home. No man was a greater patriot than COL William Brewer and we as a nation owe him our gratitude.*

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**COL Gordon Koenig, US Army, Medical Service Corps**, - September 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RN

“ *Although we only knew Col. Brewer for a little over 2 years, we could not have had a better neighbor or friend. We always knew to look for his flag each morning when we got up for work or to do yardwork on the weekends. Ron had the privilege of drinking a cup of coffee with him and his friends at their routine visit to Denny's. The Col. will never know what it meant to him. He was a joy to our family, and we had the upmost respect for him, not only as a veteran, but for the kind, gentle man that he was to everyone. We will truly miss him, and offer our condolences to his family.*

*Ron & Trish Nowak*

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**Ron & Trish Nowak** - September 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ We loved to see Co. Brewer come in to the store. He was always happy and up-beat and full of life. We will miss him. Our condolences to the family.

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**The Gold Connection** - September 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MA

*I ended up buying Col. Brewers (R.I.P.) old j3 kitten airplane that he handbuilt ,all i do know is what Jack and I talked about,and that the COLONEL was a damn good craftsman,,somebody had taken the name" Col Bill Brewer" off the plane before i attained it,,but I believe that doing so is bad luck,,im happy to say that the name is getting put back on the plane ,,in honor of Col Brewer ,,My dad flew f8 crusaders in vietnam R.I.P. Captain Robert A Van Arsdol U.S.N.,,ive also got one of his nametags on the dash for him to watch over me too,,just dropped in SIR ,,to let you know that you will not be forgotten, and thank you for your service,,<<<Max Van Arsdol,, Leander Texas*

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**max van arsdol** - June 19, 2019 at 09:44 PM

TR

“ May the Lord Bless his soul. A great American patriot!

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**Tom Holland, Col, USAF, Ret** - September 18, 2008 at 12:00 AM