



## Daniel Stephen Nowak

March 26, 1945 - July 2, 2024

Daniel Stephen Nowak, 79, of Rosenberg, Texas, was welcomed into the loving arms of Jesus on July 2, 2024. He was born on March 26, 1945 in Brenham, Texas to Bruno Tom Nowak and Geneve Dorothy Baranowski Nowak.

He met and married the love of his life Rose Marie Faterkowski Nowak on September 26, 1964 and called Rosenberg, Texas home for the last 59 years.

Daniel had a great devotion to his Catholic faith. He was a longtime parishioner of Holy Rosary in Rosenberg, Texas and St. Wenceslaus in Beasley, Texas. His faith was not just a Sunday commitment; it was a way of life. He showed everyone, through his actions, how to live a life of service, prayer and love for others.

Daniel was a very generous and kind-hearted person who never met a stranger. Daniel worked for Mrs. Bairds Bakery and was known to some as the "Bread-Man" for 37 years before retiring. After that he went on to work another 18 years for Fort Bend County in the Facilities Department and retired in 2020.

Daniel enjoyed family get-togethers which would include a friendly game of poker. He liked his gambling trips to Louisiana, fishing, being in his garden,

church bazaar's, sitting by a fire and being a grandpa.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Bruno Tom Nowak, and Geneve Dorothy Baranowski Nowak, his brother, Bruno Edward Nowak, Sr., sister-in-law, Carole Nowak.

Daniel is survived by his loving wife Rose Marie; his son, Tommy Nowak and his wife, Peggy; daughter, Amy Svatek and her husband, Steven; grandchildren, Brandon Morelli-Nowak and his wife, Caitlin, Lupita Nowak and Bailey Svatek; along with extended family and a mass of friends.

The family would like to thank Father Vipin George for always checking on Daniel and also for being with his family the past few days.

Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 10, 2024 in the Chapel of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home in Rosenberg.

The funeral mass will be held at 10:00 a.m., Thursday, July 11, 2024 at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Rosenberg with Fr. Vipin George officiating. Burial to follow at Greenlawn Memorial Park in Rosenberg.

For those wishing, in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Rosenberg, Texas or to St. Wenceslaus Catholic Church in Beasley, Texas.

Tributes and words of condolence may be left for the family at [www.davisgreenlawnfh.com](http://www.davisgreenlawnfh.com).

Arrangements are under the direction of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home, 3900 B.F. Terry Blvd., Rosenberg, Texas 77471, Phone: 281-341-8800.



# Cemetery Details

## Greenlawn Memorial Park

3900 B.F. Terry Blvd.  
Rosenberg, TX 77471

# Previous Events

## Public Visitation

JUL 10. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapels and Cemeteries  
3900 B.F. Terry Blvd.  
Rosenberg, TX 77471  
(281) 341-8800

*\*There will be a Rosary at 7:00 p.m.*

## Funeral Mass

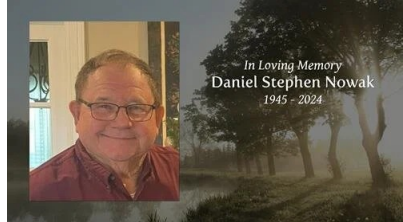
JUL 11. 10:00 AM (CT)

Holy Rosary Catholic Church  
1416 George St. Rosenberg, TX US 77471  
Rosenberg, TX 77471

# Tribute Wall



“ *Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Daniel Stephen Nowak*



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**Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries** - July 10, 2024 at 10:26 AM



“ *Mr. Dan,  
If you only knew what a ray of sunshine he was to so many. He truly exudes of the love of Christ. He always had a smile and kind word. He brought joy to so many. I enjoyed seeing him each week. Working away. He sometimes would whistle or sing. He had joy radiating from him.  
I am an employee at the Public Defender Office for Fort Bend County.  
Much love to the entire family. We missed him when he retired but good news He is with Jesus. The word of God says precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints. It also says to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord.  
Peace and Comfort with deepest sympathy  
Overzenia Ojuri*

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**Overzenia Ojuri** - July 11, 2024 at 02:14 PM

LP

“ I met Daniel in the early days when he delivered bread to Boyd’s Grocery in Damon. Then I met Rosemary at my sisters in Rosenberg. We’ve been good friends ever since. Daniel was a vey outgoing good man. May God be with him. Rest in Peace

Linda Pavlicek - July 10, 2024 at 04:23 PM

MW

“ I was so sad to hear of his passing. When we worked at the county and I saw him he would always say hello,he was such a very nice kind hearted man. He will be missed



Mary Ann West - July 09, 2024 at 03:36 PM

CS

“ I fondly remember Daniel when I started working for Kroger over years ago when he delivered Mrs. Bairds bread. Oh the laughter and fun times we shared. That was the good ole days. Especially when we talked with my limited Czech. I will miss you.

Carolyn Vitek Seiler - July 09, 2024 at 12:35 AM

GF

“ Mrs. Rose, Tommy, Amy, and family, mine and my family's prayers and thoughts are with you all on the loss of a one of kind man. His smile and demeanor were just like my dad's, but on a quieter and calm level, and I know they are now rejoicing and joking together in heaven. Them two and Norbert Scotka were almost like brothers, and if you got them all together, you better have your boots on. I just saw him in Brazos Valley Schools Credit Union 3-4 weeks ago waiting in line, and I heard my name and knew exactly who it was. Him kind of hunched over, but the same person as ever. Hi Mr. Nowak I said not knowing it would be the last time I would see him, but did see him many times when I was young helping my dad on his chip route, and him on his Mrs. Baird's route. A life long friend he and Mrs. Nowak were to our family, and he will be truly missed, like I miss my dear dad. Will try to make it to the visitation, but with the storm coming in as I am typing this now, and having to have come in to work Sunday evening and work all night, it may not be possible, but had to drop a few lines of memories to share. May God bless you all and us as this has been a very difficult year filled with grief for us all. Greg Antrich and family

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**Greg Antrich and family** - July 08, 2024 at 02:55 AM

AF

“ Daniel was my brother in law for 59 years, we fished a lot in the early years and we were fishing on the Brazos river at my grandfather property and we were checking our lines and John Pawlowski was checking his lines on the bank, Daniel yelled at him, are you catching anything, John replied no fish rotten bait ? For years when we seen each other, we did not say hello, we said rotten bait ? Daniel was one of a kind and I could not ask for a better Brother in law? I will never forget him, and always think of all the good times we had together? I will always love him and will miss him the rest of mw life ??

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**Adam Faterkowski** - July 07, 2024 at 10:09 PM

BN

“ Working at the County, one would always see Mr. Dan being his kind-hearted, gentle self. A true pleasure to know him. Our prayers and condolences to his family.



Bruce and Lorraine Niemeyer - July 07, 2024 at 01:16 AM

DW

“ Doug & Kim Wasicek purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Daniel Stephen Nowak.



Doug & Kim Wasicek - July 05, 2024 at 10:44 PM

DW

“ Doug & Kim Wasicek planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Daniel Stephen Nowak.

Doug & Kim Wasicek - July 05, 2024 at 10:44 PM

BK

“ Daniel was the most genuine man I've ever known. Way back I used to babysit his son as we lived next door to each other. Then when I went to work for Fort Bend County Clerk I saw him again and he was the same genuine kind man I remembered. Rest in peace Daniel.

Betty Kacal - July 05, 2024 at 05:51 PM

PN

*Thank you for your kind words. I'm married to his dear son, Tommy, since 2012. Peggy Nowak*

**Peggy Nowak** - July 10, 2024 at 11:39 PM

AF

“ *Adam F. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity S pray for the family of Daniel Stephen Nowak.*



**Adam F.** - July 05, 2024 at 02:05 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Daniel Stephen Nowak.*



July 05, 2024 at 12:41 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Daniel Stephen Nowak.*



July 05, 2024 at 12:28 PM

FO

“ *Fort Bend County Attorney’s Office purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Daniel Stephen Nowak.*



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**Fort Bend County Attorney’s Office** - July 05, 2024 at 12:27 PM

CL

“ *HEY BROTHER!!!*

*Those words will be missed by Mr. Dan as he was arriving at the Recycle Center, always smiling he transmitted nothing but positive energy.*

*He will truly be missed, May he rest in peace.*

*My most sincere condolences to all his family.*

*Jesus H. Lozano Jr.  
(Chuy)*

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**Chuy Lozano** - July 05, 2024 at 12:20 PM

PN

*Thank you for your kind words.*

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**Peggy Nowak** - July 10, 2024 at 11:36 PM



“ *I am going to miss sitting and talking with Uncle Dan. He was the nicest man I’ve ever met, and he would do anything for anyone. If you didn’t not know him personally, you surely missed out. I loved him so much!!*

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**Anthony A. Scoggin** - July 05, 2024 at 12:13 PM

PN

*Thank you Anthony. Sweet, kind words.*

**Peggy Nowak** - July 10, 2024 at 11:34 PM

GS

“ *Great picture to remember "Mr.Dan" by. The friendly smile he always had, and it was truly a sincere one. I was LUCKY enough to get to know him the last few years since going to work at the Recycle Center! He was truly a repeat visitor that I miss already.....Loved that man like a family member. Anyone that knew him was blessed to have had that opportunity. May he rest in peace.*

*Gary Smolik  
Needville*

**Gary Smolik** - July 05, 2024 at 12:04 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Daniel Stephen Nowak.*



July 04, 2024 at 06:28 PM