



# Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson

March 25, 1940 - February 20, 2025

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Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson, beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather passed from this life on Thursday, February 20, 2025, in Warner Robins, Georgia, at the age of 84. He was known to all as Tucker or Dr. Robinson. Tucker was born on March 25, 1940, in Gonzales County, Texas, to parents Howard Grey and Mary Borrer Robinson.

As a child, he enjoyed fishing with his brother and friends, working with his father, and tending to the livestock on the family farm. After graduating from Waelder High School, he went on to attend Southwest Texas State College, where he completed one year before transferring to Texas A&M, where he earned his Bachelor of Science Degree in Animal Science in May of 1962 and his Doctor of Veterinary Medicine in December of 1964. Tucker married the love of his life, Emily Ruth Buffington, on January 28, 1964. He then served as Captain in the United States Air Force in Altus, Oklahoma, until 1966.

Tucker and Emily moved to Richmond in February 1966, where they chose to have and raise their family while serving the community throughout his career at the Rose-Rich Veterinary Clinic until his retirement. He was a member of St. Johns United Methodist Church, the Texas Veterinary Medical Association, the American Veterinarian Medical Association, and the Harris County Veterinary Medical Association.

Tucker is preceded in death by his parents, wife Emily, brother Thomas Robinson, father and mother-in-law James Frank and Mary Sadler Buffington, sisters-in-law Sue Hoffman and Lynda McCreary.

He is survived by children Kenneth Robinson (Diana), Cynthia Koenig (James); Grandchildren Michael Robinson (Kristy), Rachel Ringler (Ryan), Rebekah, Tucker, Trevor, Timothy, Elizabeth, Amelia, Heidi, and Daniel Koenig, and great-granddaughters Emily and Katelyn Robinson; sister-in-law Phyllis Robinson; along with numerous nieces, nephews, and extended family and friends.

The family would like to thank the staff at The Village of Sugar Land Assistant Living, The Phoenix Assistant Living Facility, and Heartland Hospice for their loving care during his final journey.

Tucker's life will be remembered with a visitation on Friday, February 28, 2025, from 5:00 PM—8:00 PM and funeral services at 11:00 AM on Saturday, March 1, 2025, at Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home, Rosenberg, Texas. Burial will immediately follow at Morton Cemetery in Richmond, Texas.

The family welcomes flowers, but for those who prefer, memorial contributions may be made to the Texas A&M Foundation in support of the Veterinary Medicine Scholarship Fund. Gifts may be made online at <http://give.am/VetMedScholarship>, or by check payable to Texas A&M Foundation, mailed to 401 George Bush Drive, College Station, TX 77840. Please include 'In memory of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson-#70146' on the memo line of any mailed contributions.

# Tribute Wall

HT

“ Hargrove Teammates purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.



Hargrove Teammates - March 01, 2025 at 07:43 AM

JD

“ Julie Martin, Alex & Colton Duty planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.

Julie Martin, Alex & Colton Duty - February 28, 2025 at 04:47 PM

JD

“ Julie Martin, Alex & Colton Duty purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.



Julie Martin, Alex & Colton Duty - February 28, 2025 at 04:47 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.



February 27, 2025 at 11:57 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.

February 27, 2025 at 11:57 AM

MA

“ I went to school with Tucker although I was 3 years older we were still friends We rode the school bus together for many miles going to school and coming home. He was a great student but sadly I did not see him after that although I did see his parents fairly often when I visited my parents . Sending My condolences to all of his family. Mary Lassig Angel, San Antonio, Tx.

Mary Lassig Angel - February 27, 2025 at 01:31 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.



February 26, 2025 at 01:28 PM

LV

“ Tucker was my vet for over 30 years. I always trusted him with my beloved pets. After retiring to the Hill Country, I even brought my dog, diagnosed with cancer, back to Dr Robinson for his medical opinion. He was a kind, gentle man who was respected by many in Fort Bend County.

Lois Vogelsang - February 26, 2025 at 06:09 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.

February 25, 2025 at 10:40 AM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.



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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.

February 24, 2025 at 07:11 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.



February 24, 2025 at 07:11 PM

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“ Tucker took care of all my cats and dogs since moving to this area right at 30 years ago. He was a very kind man and treated all the animals as if they were his own. He was very highly regarded in this area. I thought the world of him! My sincere condolences to all his family.

**Marti Robbins (Preuss)** - February 24, 2025 at 12:27 PM

JC

“ When I first met Dr. Robinson, he introduced himself as "Tucker", so I knew that he (and his family) would become good friends. I always appreciated the way he treated my dogs and horses ... he was kind and gentle. To Kenneth and Cindy: to me, he was special, and I'll miss Tucker.

**Jan Carrico** - February 24, 2025 at 12:53 AM

SS

“ *Sharla and Ray Soucier* purchased the *Arrive in Style* for the family of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.



**Sharla and Ray Soucier** - February 23, 2025 at 09:19 PM

JB

“ Hello to Kenneth and Cindy,  
Don't know if you remember when David and Jo Ann Brown and sons, Jeff and Kyle, decided to take a vacation together with your family.. We stayed at cabins at The Rocky Mountain National Park. There was a freak snow storm,so the rather airy log cabins weren't exactly warm and cozy as a result. So we all would trek down to the huge swimming complex and took our showers and cleaned up for nighttime. We would then spend mornings inside the park looking for animals. Then when you, Kenneth, started to be a dare devil and getting way too close to the edge with Jeff close behind (same age) , you were both given a good talking to! Kyle and Cindy who were both about five years younger than the older boys, were much quieter and easier to control. We enjoyed traveling with all the Robinsons and have very fond memories of our friendship over the years. Love you, Jo Ann and David Brown

Jo Ann Brown - February 23, 2025 at 02:31 PM

DS

“ Thoughts and prayer for family 🙏 He was a wonderful doctor and a great inspiration to me.

Dr. Rick straznicky - February 22, 2025 at 08:25 PM

JL

“ Jan L. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dr. Gary Tucker Robinson.

Jan L. - February 21, 2025 at 04:53 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dr Gary Tucker Robinson.

February 21, 2025 at 01:27 PM



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