



## Gerald Ervin Migl

September 26, 1956 - October 11, 2023

Gerald Ervin Migl of Richmond, Texas passed away October 11, 2023 at home surrounded by family after a brief battle with pancreatic cancer.

Born September 26, 1956 to Adele Marie Boenisch and Ervin Lawrence Migl, Gerald is preceded in death by his parents. He graduated from Pearland High School in 1975 and earned his BS. in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Houston. He was employed by Dow Chemical for 20 years before taking a short sabbatical to pursue his passion for woodworking and raising his two children. He later worked for Fluor Engineering in Sugar Land for 15 years where he enjoyed challenging consulting projects and the friendship of his colleagues.

Gerald was always working on multiple projects at home or at the family farm in Garwood, Texas. He enjoyed taking old or broken things and upcycling them into beautiful and useful things. He also enjoyed his time at the gym with his workout buddies.

Gerald is survived by his wife of 41 years, Barbara Sonka Migl, his two adult children, Sarah Migl Munguia (Emmanuel) and David Ervin Migl (Colleen), and 3 grandsons, Drayven, Luke, and (coming very soon) Noah.

He is also survived by his brother, Dr. Donald Migl (Karen) of Nacogdoches,

Texas, two sisters, Beverly Garcia (late husband Armando) of Canyon Lake, Texas and Valerie Tharp (Webster) of Houston and numerous nieces, nephews, grand nieces and nephews and cousins.

A memorial service will be held Friday, October 27, 2023 at 10:30 AM, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Richmond, Texas. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the MD Anderson Cancer Center at <https://www.mdanderson.org/donors-volunteers/donate.html>

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

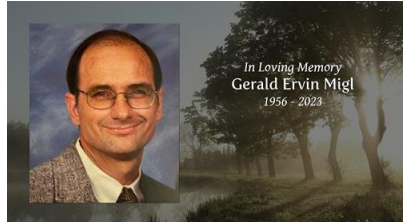
OCT 27. 10:30 AM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
507 S. Fourth Street Richmond, TX US 77469  
Richmond, TX 77469

# Tribute Wall



“ *Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Gerald Ervin Migl*



**Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries** - October 23, 2023 at 08:22 AM

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“ *Gerald always gave a 100% at the gym. Gonna miss you my friend.*



**Wally Crow** - October 26, 2023 at 08:49 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Gerald Ervin Migl.*



October 26, 2023 at 01:46 PM

RF

“ Richard and Linda Hovey & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gerald Ervin Migl.

Richard and Linda Hovey & Family - October 26, 2023 at 10:46 AM

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“ Richard and Linda Hovey & Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Gerald Ervin Migl.



Richard and Linda Hovey & Family - October 26, 2023 at 10:46 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gerald Ervin Migl.



October 24, 2023 at 02:37 PM

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“ To start with for Barbara, Sarah, David, Donnie, Beverly, Valerie and all the family, may you all be comforted and strengthened by the Lord, overwhelmed by His grace and peace; His peace that passes all human understanding.

Gerald and I quickly became close friends when my family moved to Pearland in 1972. We were both band members at Pearland High School. He became like a brother to me over the years. We carpoled together to the University of Houston as commuters until his junior year when he moved onto the campus. Gerald was an excellent musician, an outstanding French horn player. I remember him being somewhat torn when he had to finally decide between being a music major (as I was) or an engineer. Obviously, he took the engineering route, but he did begin playing classical guitar and learned quickly.

We went on ski trips together. Neither of us had ever been before so the first trip was rather humorous at the start. He was more athletically inclined than I was, but I was determined to keep up. He never poked fun at my lack of natural ability but was encouraging.

Gerald was in my wedding and I in his. Gerald was kind, thoughtful, polite, and a man of very fine character. Regrettably, after we both married, different career paths, and life events we lost contact with each other. But I know that he is with our Heavenly Father and that I will see him again.

Alan Edge

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Edge Bobby Alan - October 22, 2023 at 11:03 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Gerald Ervin Migl.*



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October 21, 2023 at 06:28 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Gerald Ervin Migl.*



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October 20, 2023 at 03:44 PM



“ *Gerald was such a wonderful person. I met Gerald at Lifetime Fitness. We both shared an interest in working out. Whenever I would see him in class, I would cheer him on! Go Gerald go!!! He would do the same for me! He was such a sweet person. I was shocked to hear about his sudden passing. I didn't realize he got sick suddenly. I wondered why I didn't see him at the gym anymore. My prayers and thoughts are with his family. I pray the Lord will give you peace and comfort during this tough time. Gerald is our Angel watching down on us. Love, Rosie Crow*

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**Rosanne Crow** - October 19, 2023 at 07:34 PM



“ *Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Gerald Ervin Migl.* ”



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October 17, 2023 at 01:16 PM