



Marcus K. Schulte

October 31, 1959 - May 25, 2025

Marcus Ken Schulte, 65, passed away peacefully on May 25, 2025 after a hard fought battle with colon cancer.

Marcus was born on October 31, 1959 in Houston, TX to Weldon & Delores Schulte. After spending his early years in Houston, his family moved to Rosenberg, TX, where he attended Holy Rosary Catholic School and then graduated from Lamar High School in 1978. He went on to earn a business degree from Southwest Texas State University in 1982. After college he helped start Schulte Machine Works, Inc., where he worked closely with his parents, brothers, and wife throughout his career at the family business.

Marcus shared 41 wonderful years of marriage with the love of his life, Cheryl, and loved nothing more than being with his family. A devoted husband and father, he will be remembered for his integrity, his honesty, his easy smile, and his strong work ethic. Marcus was always willing to stop his life and chat awhile whenever he saw a friend (which was often). While not a man of many words, Marcus expressed his love for his family and community by always showing up ready to lend a helping hand. A deliberate and loyal man, Marcus could always be counted on to follow through on his word. He exhibited timeless values, great strength, and calm in adversity; Marcus showed this same great strength in the face of his cancer diagnosis.

Marcus enjoyed being outdoors and could most often be found driving a boat around Canyon Lake, traveling across the US in his camper, hunting down in South Texas, keeping his yard impeccable, and sitting on his driveway sharing a beer with a friend. He found great joy in being a grandpa and passed on his love of the lake to all three of his grandkids.

Marcus is survived by his wife, Cheryl Schulte; two daughters, Shannon Norton and husband Tyler, and Lauren Walton and husband Sam; and three grandchildren, Elliot, Nikki, and Hallie Norton. Marcus is also survived by his parents, Weldon and Delores Schulte; his sister, Delta McFarland; his brother Gregory Schulte and wife Cheryl; and brother Matthew Schulte and wife Tiffany. Marcus is preceded in death by his brother, Joseph Schulte and brother-in-law, Dale McFarland.

A Rosary will be at 9:30 AM on Tuesday, June 3rd at Holy Rosary Catholic Church, 1416 George Street, Rosenberg, TX 77471. A Funeral Mass will follow at 10:00 AM. Burial will take place directly following the funeral at Greenlawn Cemetery, 3900 B.F. Terry Blvd., Rosenberg, TX, 77471.

Serving as pallbearers are Matthew Schulte, Gregory Schulte, Tyler Norton, Sam Walton, Archie Ramos, and Lynn Walleck.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to The Fort Bend Knights of Columbus #2801 Memorial Scholarship Program at 4018 Stephen Circle, Rosenberg, TX 77471-8843, or UT MD Anderson Cancer Center at P.O. Box 4486, Houston, TX 77210-4486 or www.mdanderson.org/gifts or by calling 713-792-3450. In memory of Marcus, donations can be designated to Dr. Edmund Scott Kopetz/Colon Cancer Research.

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

Tribute Wall

WR

“ Dear Schulte Family,

Condolences on the passing of Marcus. My thought and prayers are with you.

Whitney Richardson

Whitney Richardson - June 03, 2025 at 09:33 PM

CB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Marcus was an awesome person and my husband, Jody talked about him and his family. May he rest in peace.*

Carol L Buchta - June 03, 2025 at 04:55 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Marcus K. Schulte.*



June 02, 2025 at 05:54 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marcus K. Schulte.*



June 02, 2025 at 01:24 PM

RW

“ We are so sad to hear about Marcus’ passing. We have known the Schulte’s for a long time - since our girls were in high school. We had lots of fun times with CYO at Holy Rosary. Marcus was always so kind and loving with everyone he met. He will be missed dearly. Prayers for peace and love for his family. RIP Marcus. ❤️

Rebecca & Chris Widaski - June 02, 2025 at 09:36 AM

GA

“ I have known the Schulte family all my life and always enjoyed talking to and working with Marcus at church and K of C events. He was a man true to his heart, and like me, told it like it was. Cheryl, Weldon, Dolores, and the entire family-know mine and my family’s thoughts and prayers are with all of you in this difficult time. It is so easy to say he’s not suffering anymore, but since my dad and Kim’s dad both passed last year, it has a different meaning because I miss them both every day, and even though they were both ending their earthly life, i still had them and still miss them everyday. God has Marcus now, and we all meet in heaven one day. 🙏

Greg Antrich - May 30, 2025 at 07:27 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marcus K. Schulte.



May 30, 2025 at 01:37 PM

BB

“ I worked for Marcus and his family for 3 years in the late 90's. My condolences to all of the Schulte family. Marcus was an intelligent and hard working man. I know he will be deeply missed by everyone.

Brandon Blinka - May 29, 2025 at 01:27 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Marcus K. Schulte.

May 28, 2025 at 05:11 PM

MM

“ Marcus was a dear friend and my boss for many years. Marcus did not consider himself as boss just a man doing his job. He had many fun and exciting 9 hole golf games after work on Fridays. He would say how about a 9 hole golf game seems like half the shop went. I will never forget Marcus R.I.P
Marcus

Michael Macha - May 28, 2025 at 12:21 PM

DJ

“ Dear Schulte Family,

We are deeply sorry for the loss of Marcus. Words feel inadequate in moments like this, but please know that our hearts are with you all.

Marcus was a man who truly embraced life—whether he was out on the lake, exploring the beauty of America in his RV, slamming some Rocks (dominoes) or telling stories around a campfire after a long day of hunting or floating the river. He had a way of making every adventure feel bigger, brighter, and more meaningful, and his passion for travel and the great outdoors was nothing short of inspiring.

While the world feels quieter without him, I hope you find comfort in the memories of his laughter, the wisdom he shared, and the love he had for his family. He may have left the road too soon, but he traveled it well—full speed ahead, with a heart wide open.

Thinking of you all and sending our deepest condolences.

*With Love and Hugs,
Andy & Dawn (Jalowy) Hotchkiss*

Dawn Jalowy - May 28, 2025 at 09:22 AM

PT

“ *He was not just my boss at the shop, he was the favorite Uncle to me. Always stopped by to say hello and see how me and my family were doing. Him walking around the shop passing out beers after hours. We shared lots of good times. Truly missed. My condolences to his family and everyone who had the chance to know him*

Patrick Tuttle - May 28, 2025 at 07:17 AM

A&

“ Andy &. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Marcus K. Schulte.

Andy &. - May 27, 2025 at 11:59 PM

JJ

“ Jerry Janczak purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Marcus K. Schulte.



Jerry Janczak - May 27, 2025 at 06:06 PM

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Jerry Janczak - May 27, 2025 at 06:06 PM

JE

“ May you have more time to practice playing dominoes until we play again. RIP. What a good man. Praying for the schulte family. Your extended family Denise and Jimmy Eastwood.

Jimmy Eastwood - May 26, 2025 at 11:00 PM

GS

“ Marcus will be missed in our neighborhood. He was a great neighbor and was willing to share his technical knowledge of how to design and fix things in the Shady Oaks area. Rest in peace, Marcus.

Gary and Paula Sage

Gary Sage - May 26, 2025 at 08:54 PM

AK

Delores & Weldon, thoughts & prayers for your loss!!

Ann Marie Novak Kostelnik - May 27, 2025 at 02:14 PM

CS

Marcus was the epitomy of selfless. He always carried himself with dignity, yet had more than enough time for others. Whether it was a quick hello or a conversation, there was always a smile and a laugh involved. Marcus gave his all when it came to the Knights of Columbus as well. His passion for life was evident in everything he chose to be involved in. While Marcus went to school a grade or two before me, we always talked when we saw one another. There will be an empty spot in this world without Marcus in it. His gentle and kind soul was a rarity and a gift. Rest easy Marcus, your journe is complete. Now is the time to savor the rewards of Heaven. To wlk the streets of gold and rejoin with loved ones that have gone before you. Your place set at his table. Continue to watch over your family and loved ones, while you prepare a place for them to join you in their time.

O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fire of hell, lead all souls to heaven, especially those who are in most need of Thy mercy.

Chris F. Stammann - May 28, 2025 at 11:36 AM

DP

I had the pleasure of working with Marcus when he was still working for Schulte Machine and ordering tooling from me. He was such a nice customer to work with and I will never forget how kind he was . I am saddened to hear of his passing but I know that he is in heaven with our Lord. My deepest condolences to the Schulte Family. Donna Palasota

Donna Palasota - May 28, 2025 at 04:58 PM

DO

Weldon, Delores, Cheryl and the entire Schulte family.....our hearts ache to hear about Marcus! May the Lord keep his family strong and the good memories always in their hearts. Our prayers and thoughts with you all!!! Dennis and Betty Overgoner

Dennis Overgoner - May 30, 2025 at 01:57 PM