



Troy G. Williams

November 20, 1940 - March 3, 2021

Troy Glyen Williams (November 20, 1940-March 3, 2021)

Troy was born in Pine Mills, Texas, on November 20, 1940 to Troy Bruce Williams and Ola Elise Davis Williams. He graduated from Quitman High School in 1959, where he excelled in football and basketball. He went onto graduate from East Texas State University in 1963. He was immediately hired by Lamar CISD as a teacher and coach and continued with Lamar CISD for 33 years. During his time with the school district, he started his career as a teacher/coach, received his Master's degree from Prairie View A&M University, and then became the principal of Crockett Intermediate in 1974. He went on to be named the principal of Lamar Junior High in 1980. He was extremely proud of the team of incredible educators and people he was able to assemble at both schools.

Troy returned to his passion, teaching in the classroom, at Lamar Consolidated High School in 1986. Even after "retiring" in 1996, he continued teaching for a time at Calvary Episcopal School in Richmond.

Troy married the love of his life, Mary Ann Lowrance, on May 30, 1964, and they made their home in the Richmond/Rosenberg area. They had one daughter, Kelle, and twin boys, Keith and Kevin. No one ever had to ask how the kids were, because Troy was quick to tell anyone who would listen how

proud he was of them.

In later years, you could find Troy tending to his roses, reading, working puzzles, or watching his grandkids and great grandkids play sports.

Troy never met a stranger and always loved seeing former students and colleagues around town.

Troy was preceded in death by his parents, his beloved in-laws, Robert and Juanita Lowrance, his sister Linda, and his precious nephew Andy Walker.

Troy is survived by his wife of 57 years, Mary Ann Lowrance Williams; his daughter, Kelle Elise Williams Coleman and her husband Wayne; Keith Lynn Williams and his wife Heather; and Kevin Glynn Williams and his wife Stephanie. Grandchildren Erika Shea Coleman Stroud and her husband Dustin; Gerald Wayne Coleman III and his wife Hannah; Brett Elise Coleman; Joshua Gage Williams; Zachary Kade Williams; Luke Andrew Williams; and Logan Glynn Williams; along with great-grandchildren Parker Skye Stroud, Kennedy Ryan Stroud, and Kaycen Wayne Coleman will all miss their Papaw dearly.

Services are as follows: Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m., Thursday, March 11, 2021 in the Chapel of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home in Rosenberg. A private family funeral service will be held at 10:00 a.m., Friday, March 12, 2021 at St. John's United Methodist Church in Richmond with Pastor Jeff Gantz officiating. Per COVID-19 Protocols, visitation and services are limited to 50 people at a time and facial coverings must be worn at all times. A graveside service will be held at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, March 14, 2021, at Mt. Pisgah Cemetery in Hainesville, Texas.

In lieu of flowers, a donation may be made in Troy Williams' name to the

George Memorial Library or Lunches of Love.

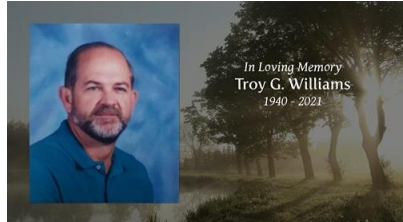
Words of condolence may be left for the family at www.davisgreenlawnfh.com

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

Tribute Wall



“ *Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Troy G. Williams*



Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries - March 09, 2021 at 12:46 PM



So sorry to hear of Mr. Williams' passing. Great educator and principal I was privileged to learn from. He's a person who helped shape the person I am today. A good man. - M Lopez III

Manuel Lopez - March 22, 2021 at 07:35 PM



“ *Mr. Williams was a wonderful man. I remember he taught me in high school and every time I saw him, he was happy. I have seen him a few times since and he was still always smiling. My sincere condolences to his whole loving family.*

Allison Ryan Brooks - April 04, 2021 at 03:46 PM

LM

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Mr. Williams was my teacher at Deaf Smith then my principal at Crockett. You could always count on help & that happy smile when you saw him. He was a fair, compassionate & caring man. The world lost a great man and God's army gained a true angel. Lisa Enax Matthews*

Lisa Enax Matthews - March 15, 2021 at 11:49 PM

LK

“ I am so sorry to hear of Mr. Troy Williams passing. My condolences to his family. He was my teacher at Deaf Smith Elementary, then at Jackson intermediate school he was my Principal. He cared so much for his students. He helped me as I was going thru family issues at 12 years old & having a hard time dealing with it. He actually cared about his students & went above & beyond to help. I truly admired him. They say you may not always remember what people say or do, but you remember how they made you feel. He made me feel like I mattered during a dark time in my life & I always will be grateful to him for that. What a wonderful man! Thank you Mr Williams. Lori Kemp aka (Lori Jane)

Lori Kemp - March 11, 2021 at 08:05 PM

VW

“ Our family is so sad about Troy's passing. What a truly nice man who touched so many lives! He taught all of our children Algebra II and I had so many nice visits with him when he would stop by my office to chat at Calvary Episcopal School in later years. And more recently we enjoyed chatting with him after a church service. He will surely be missed.

Prayers for the Williams family,
Vicki Ward

vicki ward - March 11, 2021 at 05:31 PM

CV

“ I was so shocked to hear about Troy’s passing. Troy was my principal at Crockett Middle School. He was a great principal and was a joy to work with.
When I would see him in church he always made it a point to come shake my head and welcome me.
My thoughts and prayers for the Williams’s family.
Clifford Vogt
Round Rock, Texas

Clifford Vogt - March 11, 2021 at 01:58 PM

EG

“ Troy was my supervising teacher when I did my student teaching at LCHS in the spring of 1992. I was very lucky. I so enjoyed my time working with him. We saw each other from time to time over the years. Prayers for peace for the whole family.

Edy Gaston - March 09, 2021 at 09:43 AM

RK

“ I am sorry to hear of his passing. I went to high school with Kevin and Keith and Mr. Williams was my Algebra II teacher. He was funny and quirky and loved what he did! My condolences to the family, y'all are in my prayers.

Renee Snedecor King - March 09, 2021 at 09:28 AM

SB

“ *The world lost one of the most caring individuals on God's green earth and the Lord just acquired one of the best angels He could ever have. Mr. Williams touched my life in 1968 forever and will be missed by many. We are all fortunate to experience the legacy of caring that Mr. Williams has shared and Mrs. Williams still shares.*

Sterling Berry

Sterling Berry - March 08, 2021 at 05:43 PM

CK

“ *Troy hired me twice, once for Crockett and once for LJH and both times I knew he would be a special principal! He was such a caring man, someone I could trust to do what was right for students and teachers. Mary Ann, Kelly, Kevin, and Keith, you were very lucky to have been part of his family. He spoke often of you all. His passing leaves a hole in my heart. May you treasure his memory.*

Carole Kalisek

Carole Kalisek - March 08, 2021 at 12:52 PM

OT

“ *I remember Coach Williams from my days at Lamar and also at the First United Methodist Church in Rosenberg. He always had a smile on his face and was so friendly and encouraging to all of us kids.*

So sorry for your loss. He left a legacy of kindness and caring.

Olive Talley

Olive Talley - March 08, 2021 at 01:46 AM

MB

“ Our family was saddened to hear of Troy’s passing. Heaven gained a great teacher to its population. Our love goes out to you all at this time. Mary Macek Bean’s family. ❤️🙏

Mary Macek Bean - March 07, 2021 at 07:45 AM

DC

“ I have tears. I think about him often. He was my math teacher for 4 and 5 grade at Smith Elementary in the early 70’s. A black child who was not getting it until he came into my life. He worked and worked with me until it made sense . I have a great life and I always say it’s because God placed a few angles on earth in my life to direct my path. He was one of them. RIH Mr. Williams

Darlene Phillips Callegari - March 06, 2021 at 03:29 PM



“ Your father was assistant principal and he knew I had cancer. Because I lost my hair and eyebrows he gave me a Mustang hat and a personal tour of the High School. He was very kind and compassionate to my struggle. He helped me with golf and we enjoyed different tournaments as I improved. He was caring, compassionate and pushed me in math which aided me in my healthcare career. A great man. My deep deep condolences.

Michael LeBlanc - March 05, 2021 at 06:24 PM