



Walter Burford Klahn

September 28, 1935 - April 27, 2014

Funeral services for Walter Burford Klahn, 78, of Waelder, will be held at 1:00 p.m., Friday, May 2, 2014 at Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Chapel in Rosenberg. Interment will follow in Greenlawn Memorial Park in Rosenberg.

Visitation will be held from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m., Thursday, May 1, 2014 at Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Chapel in Rosenberg.

Walter was born September 28, 1935 in Sugar Land to Walter Ruben Klahn and Samie Burford Klahn. He proudly served his country as a medic in the Texas National Guard 36th Armored Division. He was a member of Harwood Methodist Church in Harwood, Texas. A past master and endowed member of Sugar Land Masonic Lodge #1141, he was also a member of Hopkinsville Lodge #183 in Waelder, a charter member of Sugar Land Chapter #1107, and past patron and endowed member of the Waelder Chapter #1023 of the Order of the Eastern Star. A draftsman for over 60 years, he was most proud of his work on Penzoil Place in downtown Houston. He passed away at his home on April 27, 2014 in Waelder.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Samie Klahn; son, Walter Roy Klahn; and sisters, Anita Joyce Hume and Jackie Ann Rodgers.

He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Barbie Joyce Jones Klahn; daughter,

Carol Ann Klahn; niece, Susan Hume Weaver; nephew, Gary Rodgers; along with numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

Memorials may be made in Walter's name to Habitat for Humanity at habitat.org or to a charity of your choice.

Tribute Wall

LS

“ Carol, my condolences for your loss. I lost my mother 6 days after you lost your father and just heard about your father. You were a good friend to me in Rainbow girls and I hear so many wonderful things about what a wonderful man your father was from Sugar Land Eastern Star. I know he will be missed by many here. Call me sometime 512 415-5708. Rainbow love, Lisa Sneed

Lisa Sneed - August 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ We were sad to hear of Walter's passing. We had worked together for several companies and always enjoyed working with him. Once, at Cameron Iron Works, he and I organized a bar b que for the Engineering group and he made the bar b que for the group. That was as far as I know the only outing held for the company. If you are ever in the Austin area stop by to see us.

Robert Havemann - June 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Barbie, I was saddened to hear we lost Walter. He was a good neighbor, Mason and friend. I will miss him. If there is anything that I can do for you all let me know.

Joe Alan Kindred - May 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ To Barbie an Carole; my condolences . Walter was a good man and a good friend. He will be sadly missed, especially every Sunday morning at the Harwood Methodist Church.

Tony Piasecki - May 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ *Walter was a fine mason and a good friend. I only wish I had more time to have learned his craft. He was a great part of all that went on in masonry and I for one will miss him deeply. He came to my house to investigate me to become a mason along with Danny, and Ken. I share my deepest sympathies to Barbara and the family. I have walked in your shoes and know how it is to lose a spouse. Let me know if there is anything I can do.*

*sincerely,
Steve*

Steve Moravits - April 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BJ

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Bert Reid JR - April 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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CA

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JB

“ Barbie

Our prayers and love are with you and Carol.

Jerl & Norma Blalack - April 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ *Sorry for your lost. Kassie and I Send blessings in this time or remembrance Love to you*

Billie Alfrey - April 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *Our deepest sympathy.*

Jane and Bill Wesson - April 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *GOD BLESS MY BROTHER. YOU ARE MISSED*

joe fuhrman - April 28, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ *Brother Klahn was one of my guiding lights. I will miss him more than he will ever know.Loren*

Loren Gullede - April 28, 2014 at 12:00 AM

VR

“ *What a loving father and husband. Mr. Klahn always made me feel welcomed any time I stopped by, or called to talk to Carol. I know that God is waiting to welcome him home in the same manner that Mr. Klahn extended kindness and warmth and laughter to those of us who had the honor of his presence.*

Vanessa Broussard Cynthia Rosen - April 28, 2014 at 12:00 AM