



## William Otto Eickmann

June 28, 1941 - July 4, 2022

William Otto Eickmann, fondly known as “Willie”, 81, of Needville, Texas passed away on July 4, 2022. He was born on June 28, 1941 in San Antonio, Texas to Elmer O. Eickmann and Gladys Stahl Eickmann Pattison. He served our country in the US Navy having enlisted February 28, 1959 and was honorably discharged February 27, 1965. He married the love of his life Arlene Laubach Eickmann on February 16, 1963. Willie was first employed with Austin Power & Light in Austin and later went on to work for over 30 years with Houston Lighting and Power. One of his many accomplishments was assisting with the Emergency Response Team.

Willie was a long-time member of St. Michael’s Catholic Church in Needville and was a 3rd Degree with the Knights of Columbus. He was also very active in the American Legion and a Life-time member of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

Willie enjoyed spending time with his family. He deeply loved his daughters and was a very proud grandfather. He was a true family man.

Willie was also greatly involved with his community throughout his life and made many lasting friendships. He will be missed by all.

In addition to his parents, Willie is preceded in death by his step-father, Roy

Pattison; Sister, Kathleen Martin; parent in laws, Edgar & Anita Laubach; sons-in-law, William Brumbelow and Mark Baranowski; brother-in-law, Tommy Martin; sisters-in-law, Mary Jane Strupp and Lynne Laubach; and grandson, William Ray Brumbelow Jr.

Survivors include his wife of 59 years, Arlene Eickmann; daughters, Suzanne Brumbelow, Rebecca Christianson and husband, Grant, and Christine Graf; brother, Kenneth Eickmann and wife, Charlene; brothers-in-law, Willard Laubach and wife, Dorothy, and Kenneth Strupp; sister-in-law, Caroline Craze and husband, Robert.

Willie is also survived by grandchildren, Racheal Brumbelow (Larry Witek, Jr.), William Shane Brumbelow, Audrey Brumbelow (Blake Tipton), Peyton Riley Christianson, Rowen Christianson, Tait Christianson, Micheal Graf (Nicole Shoup) and Emily Graf; along with numerous nieces, nephews, extended family and a host of friends.

Pallbearers will include William Shane Brumbelow, Micheal Graf, Rowen Christianson, Tait Christianson, Larry Witek Jr., and Blake Tipton. Honorary Pallbearers will include Jeff Eickmann, Jason Eickmann, Terry Martin, Tim Martin, Gary Craze, and Gary Lett.

In lieu of flowers, for those wishing, please consider making a memorial donation to the American Heart Association, the American Kidney Fund or the Charity of your Choice.

Visitation will be held from 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., with a Rosary at 3:00 p.m., on Sunday, July 10, 2022 in the Chapel of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home in Rosenberg.

The funeral mass will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m., Monday, July 11, 2022 at

St. Michael's Catholic Church in Needville with a reception/luncheon to follow at The Family Life Center.

The graveside service will be held at 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at St. Joseph's Catholic Cemetery in Spring Branch, Texas with light refreshments being served in the CCD Building afterwards.

Tributes and words of condolence may be left for the family at [www.davisgreenlawnfh.com](http://www.davisgreenlawnfh.com).

Arrangements are under the direction of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home, 3900 B.F. Terry Blvd. (Hwy 59 South @ FM 2218), Rosenberg, Texas 77471, Phone: 281-341-8800.

# Previous Events

## Public Visitation

JUL 10. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapels and Cemeteries  
3900 B.F. Terry Blvd.  
Rosenberg, TX 77471  
(281) 341-8800

## Service

JUL 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Michael's Catholic Church  
9214 Main  
Needville, TX 77461

## Burial

JUL 12. 1:00 PM.

St. Joseph Cemetery  
Spring Branch, TX

# Tribute Wall



“ *Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of William Otto Eickmann*



**Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries** - July 08, 2022 at 02:23 PM

JS

“ *Our sincere condolences at the passing of Mr. Willie. He was a great man and will be dearly missed.*

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you all,  
Dr. John & Debbie Stern*

**John Stern** - July 12, 2022 at 02:02 PM

BS

“ *Our heartfelt sympathy to you Ms. Arlene and the entire family. We will truly miss our dear friend and his visits. Butch and I will always be here for you and your family.*

*He is gone from our sight, but never from our hearts!*

*Our Love and Prayers to all of you.*

*Belinda & Butch*



**Belinda & Butch Smerek** - July 12, 2022 at 09:58 AM

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“ Alyssa and David Scolari purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of William Otto Eickmann.



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**Alyssa and David Scolari** - July 09, 2022 at 01:02 AM

HS

“ My sincere condolences on the loss of your loved one. Worked many years with Willie and it was truly an honor to work with him. He was a great help many times over the years. May he Rest In Peace and Soar with the Angels.

*Henry V. Smith*

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**Henry V. Smith** - July 08, 2022 at 11:30 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William Otto Eickmann.



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July 07, 2022 at 05:00 PM

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“ Over 40 years of great memories with Willie and his family, both at work and at play. Rest in Peace ole friend. Prayers for the family.

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**Terry Miller Family** - July 07, 2022 at 04:21 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of William Otto Eickmann.*



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July 07, 2022 at 11:28 AM



“ *2 files added to the album Memories Album*



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**Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries** - July 07, 2022 at 07:41 AM