



Anthony John Ott

December 22, 1962 - February 17, 2025

Anthony John Ott, 62, of El Campo passed away on February 17, 2025. He was born on December 22, 1962 in El Campo to the late Frankey J. and Martha Shimek Ott.

Anthony graduated from El Campo High School with honors in 1981. He attended WCJC and graduated in 1989 with an associate degree in HVAC systems. He was a jack of all trades and mastered them all. In his early years, he worked for Cecil Kinard in construction. He followed this with a short stint in the oilfield. He found his calling when he landed a job with Eldridge Air Conditioning. Realizing this was his dream, he took a leap of faith and started his own air conditioning business. Through blood, sweat, tears and sheer determination he built a very successful business. The only thing that outshined his ability to fix anything was his love, compassion, and generosity to his customers. He was truly a selfless person who found no greater joy than helping others. Anthony loved nothing more than his children, grandchildren, and family. His grandchildren were his pride and joy. They were always greeted with lottery tickets and dollar bills. His favorite past time was playing dominos with family and friends and his love for the Dallas Cowboys was unmatched. We can't forget his love for his 4-legged friends Bullet, Roxy, Taz, and Ranger. Anthony touched many hearts, was loved by all, and will truly be missed.

He was a member of St. Philip the Apostle Catholic Church. He was a 3rd degree member of Knights of Columbus 2490, was selected Knight of the

month in August 2007, and Knight of the year in 2008.

Survivors include his children Chad Ott (Cheryl), Heather Ott Rhyne (Chris), and Anthony John Ott Jr. "A.J." (Monica); grandchildren Coen, Case, Paisley, Fynleigh, Bailey Jo, Sullivan and Traise; sisters Karen Jedlicka (Jimmie), Debbie Long (Boyed); brothers Daniel Ott (Ann), Stanley Ott (Carrie); brother in law Daniel Kasper; godchildren Denise Dorotik, Leslie Sanchez, and Skylar, Seth, and Spencer Hallinger; and many nieces and nephews

Anthony was preceded in death by his parents, brother Eugene Ott, sister Adeline Kasper, and nephew Michael Kaspar.

Visitation will begin on Friday February 21, 2025 at 5 pm at Triska Funeral Home with a Knights of Columbus Rosary at 7 pm. Funeral mass will be held on Saturday February 22, 2025 at 10 am at St. Philip the Apostle Catholic Church with Rev. Dalton Ervin officiating. Burial will follow at Holy Cross Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Jonathan Lutz, Jeff Balcar, Ben Castillo, Josh Castillo, Rodney Jedlicka, and Israel Griffin.

Memorial donations in memory of Anthony may be made to St. Philip Catholic Church or Knights of Columbus 2490.

Condolences for the family may be left online at www.triskafuneralhome.com

Triska Funeral Home El Campo, Texas 979-543-3681

Cemetery Details

Holy Cross Memorial Park

US Hwy 59 and Mechanic St.
El Campo, TX 77437

Previous Events

Family Will Receive Visitors

FEB 21. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Triska Funeral Home
612 Merchant Street
El Campo, TX 77437-3440
(979) 543-3681
triskafh@sbcglobal.net

Knights of Columbus Rosary

FEB 21. 7:00 PM (CT)

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612 Merchant Street
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Funeral Mass

FEB **22**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Philip Catholic Church
304 W. Church Street
El Campo, TX 77437
<http://stphilipapostle.org/>

Tribute Wall

GS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you & your families at this most difficult time in life. We are so sorry for your loss. Big hugs to you Chad.

Glenn & Debbie Schneider - February 22, 2025 at 11:45 AM

MT

“ My condolences to the entire Ott Family especially Karen and Jimmie Jedlicka and family from St. John's in Hungerford, Texas. May Anthony rest in peace and let perpetual light shine upon him.



Mary Lou Krenek, Egypt, Texas - February 21, 2025 at 06:27 PM

CB

“ Coon and Shelly Bram purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Anthony John Ott.



Coon and Shelly Bram - February 21, 2025 at 03:05 PM

EF

“ Erik, Katie, and family purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Anthony John Ott.



Erik, Katie, and family - February 21, 2025 at 03:00 PM

LS

“ Leonard and Cheryle Sowell purchased the Simpl y Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Anthony John Ott.



Leonard and Cheryle Sowell - February 21, 2025 at 10:36 AM

LS

“ Leonard and Cheryle Sowell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Anthony John Ott.

Leonard and Cheryle Sowell - February 21, 2025 at 10:36 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Anthony John Ott.



February 21, 2025 at 09:41 AM

CM

“ Carol Marek lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott



Carol Marek - February 20, 2025 at 09:36 PM

BH

“ Chad, you have mine and Don's sincerest condolences. I am so very sorry to hear about the loss of your dad. There are no words that will help ease your pain. He will always be in your heart and memories of him will come often. I know your boys are going to miss him too. I send my love, thoughts and prayers to you, Cheryl and the boys.



Barbara Heinold - February 20, 2025 at 04:35 PM

AP

So sorry for your loss. Prayers for all the family. Rest in peace Anthony

AJ and Susie Priesmeyer - February 21, 2025 at 07:29 PM

KK

“ Kathryn Krpec lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott



kathryn krpec - February 20, 2025 at 01:41 PM

GF

“ Graciela F. purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Anthony John Ott.



Graciela F. - February 20, 2025 at 12:23 PM

AB

“ To Anthony's family, our prayers are with you. Your dad was a kind and generous, he was always smiling and helpful. May he rest in peace and may the perpetual light shine upon him. Augie & Terri Beltran & ECISD Maintenance Department.



AUGIE & TERRI BELTRAN - February 20, 2025 at 12:09 PM

SS

“ Sandra Stary lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott



Sandra Stary - February 20, 2025 at 11:28 AM

CB

“ Clint and Robin Bacak purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Anthony John Ott.



Clint and Robin Bacak - February 20, 2025 at 10:58 AM



“ *Leslie Schroder lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott*



Leslie Schroder - February 20, 2025 at 10:38 AM

SC

“ *Dear Ott family, you have my heartfelt sympathy with the loss of Anthony. I hope memories of happier times will bring you comfort in the days ahead. May perpetual light shine upon him and may Anthony rest in peace.*



Sandra Cranek - February 19, 2025 at 09:00 PM

TH

“ *The Hinson's purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Anthony John Ott.*



The Hinson's - February 19, 2025 at 08:45 PM

PM

“ *Patrick Marek lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott*



Patrick Marek - February 19, 2025 at 08:33 PM

GV

“ Gary Voelkel lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott



Gary Voelkel - February 19, 2025 at 07:52 PM

TH

“ Theresa Harton sent a virtual gift in memory of Anthony John Ott



Theresa Harton - February 19, 2025 at 07:37 PM

LS

“ Liz Staff lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott



Liz Staff - February 19, 2025 at 06:09 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Anthony John Ott.



February 19, 2025 at 06:00 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Anthony John Ott.

February 19, 2025 at 06:00 PM



“ Debbie And Loyd Nelson lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott



Debbie and Loyd Nelson - February 19, 2025 at 05:49 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Anthony John Ott.



February 19, 2025 at 05:43 PM



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February 19, 2025 at 05:43 PM

PD

“ Patricia Dybala lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott



Patricia Dybala - February 19, 2025 at 04:59 PM

FR

“ Frank&JoannOlsovsky lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott



Frank&JoannOlsovsky - February 19, 2025 at 04:32 PM

KK

“ Kathy Koudela lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott



Kathy Koudela - February 19, 2025 at 04:26 PM

DS

“ David & Charlene Linhart Smity lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott



David & Charlene Linhart Smity - February 19, 2025 at 04:22 PM

VH

“ *Val Hargrove lit a candle in memory of Anthony John Ott*



Val Hargrove - February 19, 2025 at 04:11 PM

VH

Our deepest condolences and prayers to all the family.

Val Hargrove - February 19, 2025 at 04:13 PM

LS

“ *You may be gone from our sight but you will always be in our hearts. Rest in peace my brother.*



Leonard and Cheryle Sowell

Leonard and Cheryle Sowell - February 19, 2025 at 03:29 PM

SC

“ *Our Condolences to the entire family*



Scott, Kendra & Kambree Charbula - February 19, 2025 at 02:28 PM