



Deric Tarver

May 29, 1986 - June 28, 2021

Deric A.J. Tarver, age 35, passed into the arms of our Lord suddenly on June 28, 2021. He was born on May 29, 1986 to Debbie and Randy Tarver in Wharton, Texas. Deric was a lifelong resident of El Campo and graduated from El Campo High School in 2004. While in high school, he met his high school sweetheart and the love of his life, Melissa Brown. They were wed on August 15, 2009 and were blessed with two wonderful children, daughter, Baylee and son, Kade. He worked for Fesco, Ltd for seventeen years as a Pigging Project Manager.

Deric was a member of Cub Scouts Pack 196 and became a member of Eagle Scout Troop #1251 in 2004. His love for Garner State Park started at an early age and his first Tarver family vacation there was when he was one month old. Deric loved the beach and could be seen wearing swimming trunks and Dri-Fit fishing shirts on a regular basis. He was well-known for always dancing, singing, reciting movie quotes, and carrying around popcorn. Always the life of the party, he and his brothers put on a show at every wedding — dancing to "Jump On It" and anything Michael Jackson. His favorite song to sing to his family was "These Arms of Mine" by Otis Redding. Deric never met a stranger, and all would agree he was extremely helpful and fun-loving to everyone. His greatest accomplishment in life was his family — his world revolved around them. His family will always remember him as the best friend, husband, dad, son, brother, and uncle.

Deric is survived by his wife Melissa; daughter, Baylee; son, Kade; parents, Randy and Debbie Tarver; brothers, Duby Tarver and wife Misty, Dustin Tarver and wife Brittany; parent-in-law's, John and Donna Brown; brother-in-law, Jason Brown and wife Kristen; sister-in-law, Marissa; brother-in-law, Justin; nieces and nephews, Hayes, Mabry, Quinn, Beckham, Ridge, Annistyn, Weston, Kylee, Kason, and Noah, as well as numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

He was preceded in death by paternal grandmother, Verna Lee Tarver; paternal grandfather, A.L. Tarver; maternal grandmother, LaVerne Bellet; step-grandfather, Martin Bellet; maternal grandfather, John MacQuirk; paternal great-grandmother, Vera Doyle; aunt, Valerie Boyd; aunt and uncle, Glenda and Ed Hemphill and cousin, Jarred Farrar.

Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. on Friday, July 2, 2021 at Triska Funeral Home. Funeral Services will be 9:30 a.m. Saturday, July 3, 2021 at First Baptist Church with Rev. Rick DuBroc officiating. Interment will follow at Oaklawn Memorial Park.

Pallbearers are Duby Tarver, Dustin Tarver, Jason Brown, Tanner Siems, Bobbo Spring, Moose Arredondo, Justin Brown, Chad Bacak, Clint Bacak, Alex Espinosa, Eric Evanicky, Tim Evanicky and Kevin Perez. Honorary pallbearers are Deric's Fesco Employee Brothers.

Memorial donations in memory of Deric Tarver may be made to the Deric Tarver Memorial Fund c/o First State Bank of Louise, P. O. Box 5/206, Louise, TX 77455, 979-543-2274.

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

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn Memorial Park

4609 State Hwy 71
El Campo, TX 77437

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 2. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

JUL 3. 9:30 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church
210 Depot Street
El Campo, TX 77437

Tribute Wall



“ *Sandra Holik sent a virtual gift in memory of Deric Tarver*



Sandra Holik - July 06, 2021 at 12:53 AM



My heart goes out for you Debbie and Randy & all of Deric's beautiful family! I can only imagine! Keeping you all in our thoughts and continuous prayers!

Sandra Holik - July 06, 2021 at 12:59 AM

DT

“ *Debbie, Randy & family,
I have no words to express our sorrow for you on the news of Deric's passing. I pray your faith, family & friends provide the comfort you will need as you grieve.*

Donna Thornton - July 03, 2021 at 09:33 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 03, 2021 at 09:07 AM

GB

“ Gene And Sharon Bena lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver



Gene and Sharon Bena - July 02, 2021 at 08:49 PM

GB

Sending prayers for your family.

Gene and Sharon Bena - July 02, 2021 at 08:50 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.



July 02, 2021 at 07:48 PM

DP

“ Darlene Pendleton lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver



Darlene Pendleton - July 02, 2021 at 12:58 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.* ”



July 02, 2021 at 12:58 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.* ”



July 02, 2021 at 11:27 AM



“ *Frank & Billie Becak lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver* ”



Frank & Billie Becak - July 02, 2021 at 11:05 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.* ”



July 02, 2021 at 10:57 AM

GK

“ *Glen & Norma Korenek lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver*



Glen & Norma Korenek - July 02, 2021 at 10:55 AM

GK

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Deric Tarver family during this difficult time. May God comfort you ! Glen & Norma Korenek

Glen / Norma Korenek - July 02, 2021 at 11:09 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 02, 2021 at 10:30 AM

BS

“ *Peace be with you all at this most difficult time. You have the arms of this community around you.*
Pat and Bev Supak

Beverly Supak - July 02, 2021 at 09:49 AM

CC

“ Our deepest sympathy to all of Deric’s family as we are sincerely saddened to hear of his passing. May God shower His love, comfort and peace on each of you now and in the days ahead.
Cathie Cerny & family



Cathie Cerny - July 02, 2021 at 08:40 AM

MF

“ Maria J Franco lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver



Maria J Franco - July 02, 2021 at 12:52 AM

DZ

“ May God’s Faith be with you each at this unbearable time. I am deeply sorry for your loss, hugs and Prayers to all.
~Diana Zabodyn



Diana Zabodyn - July 02, 2021 at 12:32 AM

SF

“ Sean Foster purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Deric Tarver.



Sean Foster - July 02, 2021 at 12:06 AM

SF

“ Much love from Sean Foster and family! You were a shining light on this Earth and I'm happy to have called you a fellow ECHS graduate in the class of 2004! Thank you and your mom again for driving me home after middle school in that sweet van!

Sean Foster - July 02, 2021 at 12:02 AM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.



July 01, 2021 at 11:44 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.



July 01, 2021 at 11:34 PM

BS

“ I am Bobbo's dad my best memory was at bobbys and Stacey's wedding we joked and danced he said he never knew I was cool. Truth was his demeanor made me cool.

Bill spring - July 01, 2021 at 10:20 PM

LJ

“ We are deeply sorry for your loss- prayers for peace & comfort in the days to come
Buddy & Nell Jessup

Laura Jessup - July 01, 2021 at 10:17 PM

TB

“ *Thaine Busby*



Thaine Busby - July 01, 2021 at 10:17 PM

NN

“ *Norma Nohavitzka*



Norma Nohavitzka - July 01, 2021 at 10:16 PM

JF

“ *Julie Strnadel & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Deric Tarver*



Julie Strnadel & Family - July 01, 2021 at 10:15 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 10:13 PM



“ *Dear Debbie & Randy, our prayers are with you & Derricks family. May Derrick Rest In Peace & may the perpetual light shine upon him* 🕯️ 🕯️



Terri & Augie Beltran - July 01, 2021 at 10:04 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 09:54 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 09:34 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 09:28 PM



“ *Love from the Springs! purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Deric Tarver.*



Love from the Springs! - July 01, 2021 at 08:37 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all the family. What a great loss. Kevin Reeves and family*



Mary Reeves - July 01, 2021 at 08:19 PM



“ *Randy and Debbie, Please accept my sincerest condolences on the loss of Deric. Praying for peace and comfort for the Tarver family.*



Kim (Kruppa) Moerbe-Welnack

Kim Welnack - July 01, 2021 at 07:36 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 07:29 PM



“ *The Morrison Families—Bruce, Brent and Brett. purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Deric Tarver.*



The Morrison Families—Bruce, Brent and Brett. - July 01, 2021 at 07:24 PM



“ *Kathryn Krpec lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver*



kathryn krpec - July 01, 2021 at 06:28 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 05:56 PM

FT

“ *Fesco Laboratories - Alice, Texas purchased the Sweet Solace Spray for the family of Deric Tarver.*



Fesco Laboratories - Alice, Texas - July 01, 2021 at 05:53 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 05:35 PM

RJ

“ *So very sorry for your loss! My thoughts and prayers are with all of you!*

*Sincerely,
Rae Ann Johnson*

Rae Ann Johnson - July 01, 2021 at 05:30 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 05:18 PM

SD

“ *Debbie and Randy,*

*I just learned about the tragic passing of Deric. My first thoughts were how much Bill loved Deric and all of your sons. He was so proud of their Eagle Scout accomplishments and we so enjoyed going to the ceremonies!
I am heartbroken for you and your loved ones.
My prayers are with you all.*

Susan D'Egidio

Susan D'Egidio - July 01, 2021 at 05:15 PM

JD

Our Prayers and thoughts r with the Family. Debbie And Randy. So sorry to hear. this.

Joe and Rose Davila - July 01, 2021 at 07:04 PM

CW

“ *Melissa, Baylee, Kade, Randy, Debbie, DUBY, Dustin and the rest of the Tarver and Brown family... May God send angels to wrap their loving arms around this beautiful family and give you strength to carry on. My thoughts and prayers are with each of you during this difficult time. Love you all!!*



Cindy Witcher - July 01, 2021 at 05:04 PM

TJ

“ *Randy and family - Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. We are so sorry for your loss. FESCO, Ltd. - Laredo District*

Tracy Jarzombek - July 01, 2021 at 04:24 PM

TJ

“ Tracy Jarzombek lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver



Tracy Jarzombek - July 01, 2021 at 04:23 PM

UT

“ The memory of Deric doing the beatle juice in my living room when guys up in Jersey for our daughters wedding. Love to all

uncle Jerry Thorn - July 01, 2021 at 04:17 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.



July 01, 2021 at 04:07 PM



“ A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.



July 01, 2021 at 04:05 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 03:56 PM



“ *J&J PIPELINE MAINTENANCE LLC purchased the With Distinction for the family of Deric Tarver.*



J&J PIPELINE MAINTENANCE LLC - July 01, 2021 at 03:50 PM



“ *Kari sent a virtual gift in memory of Deric Tarver*



kari - July 01, 2021 at 03:41 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 03:40 PM

KK

“ *Kathy Koudela lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver*



Kathy Koudela - July 01, 2021 at 03:05 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 03:03 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 02:51 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.*



July 01, 2021 at 02:42 PM



“ Pam L Vesely lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver



Pam L Vesely - July 01, 2021 at 02:40 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.



July 01, 2021 at 02:35 PM



“ Dustin, Hailey, & Brynley Noska lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver



Dustin, Hailey, & Brynley Noska - July 01, 2021 at 02:34 PM



“ Michael Salinas lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver



michael salinas - July 01, 2021 at 02:33 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.* ”



July 01, 2021 at 02:24 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.* ”



July 01, 2021 at 02:15 PM



“ *Scott, Kendra & Kambree Charbula lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver* ”



Scott, Kendra & Kambree Charbula - July 01, 2021 at 02:04 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Deric Tarver.* ”



July 01, 2021 at 01:59 PM

DS

“ *David And Theresa Saucedo lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver*



David and Theresa Saucedo - July 01, 2021 at 01:56 PM

KA

“ *Kari lit a candle in memory of Deric Tarver*



kari - July 01, 2021 at 01:47 PM

KA

Sorry to hear this

kari - July 01, 2021 at 01:47 PM

SF

*Debbie and Randy, I am terribly sorry to hear about your son's passing. My condolences and prayers go out to you and your family. May God bless Deric and everyone he loved.
Sue (Jackson) Ferrill*

Susan Ferrill - July 01, 2021 at 02:42 PM

DP

I am so very sorry for your loss. I pray God will give you comfort and peace in this time of grief and in all the days that follow. Deric will be missed my many, he was loved by everyone. I can't help to think of his grand parents, Verna and A.I knowing they are together again. My deepest symathy to all of your familes !

Darlene Pendleton - July 02, 2021 at 12:55 PM