

## Francis "Bitty" Stock

April 5, 1942 - December 7, 2019

Francis Henry "Bitty" Stock, 77, of El Campo, passed away December 7, 2019. He was born on April 5, 1942 in El Campo to the late W.A. and Henrietta Maerz Stock. Bitty married the love of his life, Jeanette, in 1964. They just celebrated 55 years of marriage on October 17, 2019.

Francis lived in El Campo all his life. He graduated from St. Philip Catholic School where he was a member of the second class that started there. He graduated from El Campo High School in 1960 where he played baseball and had a heck of a knuckleball. Bitty was a US Army Veteran and member of the Knights of Columbus 2490 and the American Legion Post 251. He was a carpenter for Texas Gulf Sulphur Company and retired in 1999. His second career was as a parts delivery man for Superior Motor Parts, which brought him much joy as it included numerous coffee breaks with his co-workers and customers.

Bitty was a lifelong Catholic and member of St. Philip Church, where he served as an usher and a member of the choir for many years. He could also be found at the little league fields either coaching or watching his son and daughters playing baseball or softball. He also spent many, many hours in the ECHS gym and football field. As long as he was able, he would be in the bleachers watching his grandkids playing sports. He also enjoyed many camping trips with family and weekend stays at deer camp in Sheridan.

Bitty was preceded in death by his parents; brother Al Stock Sr.; father and mother-in-law, Willie and Louise Sablatura; sister-in-law Pat Stock and brother-in-law, Frank Popp.

He is survived by his beloved wife Jeanette (Jane), daughters Deann Priesmeyer and husband Kenny of Sugar Land and Dana Jung and husband Ryan of El Campo; son, Darrin Stock and wife Shelley of El Campo; grandchildren, Riley Stock, Clay Jung, Peyton Stock, Reed Jung, Jackson Priesmeyer and Jordan Priesmeyer; sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Alene and Bill Hubenak, Edith and Norbert Eggemeyer, Marilyn Popp and 12 nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. Wednesday, December 11 at Triska Funeral Home. A Rosary will be recited at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, December 12 at St. Philip Catholic Church with funeral Mass following at 10 a.m. Entombment will follow at Holy Cross Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Robert Stock, Steve Stock, Rusty Hubenak, Douglas Hubenak, Greg Eggemeyer, Curtis Eggemeyer, and Clark Popp. Honorary pallbearers are his beloved grandchildren.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Philip Catholic Church or the American Kidney Fund.

Triska Funeral Home, El Campo, 979-534-3681

# Cemetery Details

## Holy Cross Memorial Park

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 11. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

## Rosary

DEC 12. 9:30 AM (CT)

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

## Funeral Mass

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DEC 12. 10:00 AM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall

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“ Carolyn Foegelle lit a candle in memory of Francis "Bitty" Stock



Carolyn Foegelle - February 02, 2021 at 06:26 PM

GS

“ Jeanette and family, I am just reading that Francis passed away. I lost my husband, Larry Stavinoha on December 4, so I know what you are going through! It's a rough road for sure! Francis was so sweet and always smiling. God Bless Him and all the family.

Glenda Stavinoha - April 22, 2020 at 01:32 PM

BO

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



BOB - January 12, 2020 at 09:48 AM



“ Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Francis "Bitty" Stock.



December 11, 2019 at 01:10 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Francis "Bitty" Stock.*



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December 10, 2019 at 10:20 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Francis "Bitty" Stock.*



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December 10, 2019 at 09:45 PM



“ *Jeanette and family- Our deepest sympathy in your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*CLASSMATES FROM LOUISE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1962*

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**CLASS OF 1962** - December 10, 2019 at 04:47 PM




“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Francis "Bitty" Stock.*



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December 10, 2019 at 09:54 AM

RB

“ So sorry to hear if your loss. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.  


Ronnie and Mary Bean - December 09, 2019 at 09:38 PM

RJ

“ Ray And Linda Jaksch lit a candle in memory  
of Francis "Bitty" Stock



Ray and Linda Jaksch - December 09, 2019 at 07:40 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for  
the family of Francis "Bitty" Stock.



December 09, 2019 at 09:54 AM

RM

“ We are sorry for your loss. You are all in our prayers. He is in a  
wonderful place with many wonderful people.  
Benny and Rhonda Mumme

Rhonda Mumme - December 09, 2019 at 08:23 AM

FF

“ From Benny Dornak's family purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Francis "Bitty" Stock.



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**From Benny Dornak's family** - December 09, 2019 at 12:46 AM

BD

“ I can't forget all the good times we had together growing up at St Phillips and being best friends in High School. You were one of the best persons to know.

*Benny Dornak*

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**Benny Dornak** - December 09, 2019 at 12:18 AM

MM

“ So sorry to hear about Bitty. Hadn't seen him since high school but were neighbors and kin, He was such a great, real nice guy--whole family was! I remember laughing when I learned at school his real name was Francis-- he was always Bitty to us. Last I saw him was when his mother Eddie passed away. Bitty, you and all your family are in my prayers!

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**Mike Meisner** - December 08, 2019 at 03:16 PM

DB

“ Diane Busby lit a candle in memory of Francis "Bitty" Stock



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**Diane Busby** - December 08, 2019 at 03:08 PM

RJ

“ *My deepest sympathy to the Stock family. May God bless each of you as you remember his life.*

*Ron Johannes*

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**Ron Johannes** - December 08, 2019 at 02:59 PM

DH

“ *Jeanette- Our deepest sympathy in your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*Danny and Irene Hurta*



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**Danny and Irene Hurta** - December 08, 2019 at 12:52 PM

CG

“ *Cynthia Goerig lit a candle in memory of Francis "Bitty" Stock*



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**Cynthia Goerig** - December 08, 2019 at 12:34 PM

CC

“ *Cathie Cerny lit a candle in memory of Francis "Bitty" Stock*



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**Cathie Cerny** - December 08, 2019 at 08:58 AM

PD

“ Patricia Dybala lit a candle in memory of Francis "Bitty" Stock



Patricia Dybala - December 08, 2019 at 08:52 AM

EC

“ Elaine Cook lit a candle in memory of Francis "Bitty" Stock



Elaine Cook - December 08, 2019 at 07:09 AM

MM

“ I ll never forget all the years we served n the plates to go line at the St Philip s Picnic ! I always enjoyed all the follow ship n conversations we had at the picnic! I miss all of our old group! Love y'all ! Praying for him n y'all's whole family! God Bless! (P S I m sure he s serving with God n Heaven Now!)

mark metta - December 08, 2019 at 05:51 AM

EC

“ Chuck and I send our deepest Sympathy to each of you . Bitty was the sweetest , kindest and funniest fellow I knew. Always a smile on his face. Hugs and love to all of you . . Prayers 🙏🕊️❤️

Elaine Cook - December 07, 2019 at 11:07 PM

JS

“ *Jeanette And John Stockton lit a candle in memory of Francis "Bitty" Stock*



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**Jeanette and John Stockton** - December 07, 2019 at 11:01 PM



“ *Jeanette and family so very sorry to hear about the death of your husband/father Francis H. Stock. Sending our deepest sympathy.*

*Marilyn Tucker Hendrix*

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**Marilyn Hendrix** - December 07, 2019 at 09:19 PM

LM

“ *We are so very sorry to hear about Bitty. Our deepest sympathy to you Jane and your entire family. We will keep you all in our thoughts and prayers.*



*Linda and John Merck*

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**Linda Merck** - December 07, 2019 at 08:06 PM