



## J.P. Anderson

October 4, 1942 - April 19, 2022

J.P. Anderson, 79, of El Campo, passed away April 19, 2022. He was born on October 4, 1942 in El Campo to the late Sandy and Effie Badgett Anderson. J.P. was a Corporal in the Marines and a member of the Knights of Columbus Council #2490. He worked for the United States Post Office in Wharton for 28 years, retiring as Postmaster. After retiring from the post office, J.P. owned and operated the local Texas Tool Pusher for 12 years. He was active at St. Philip Catholic Church and he and his wife were the financial chairmen for the church picnic for many years.

He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Margaret Staff Anderson of El Campo; daughter, Suzanne Gaines and husband Kirk of El Campo; son, Timothy Anderson and wife Laura of El Campo and Douglas Anderson and wife Susan of Round Rock; grandchildren, Blaise Anderson, Audrey Anderson, Abby Anderson, James Anderson, Stephen Gaines and wife Amber, all of El Campo, Jessica Gaines of Fort Worth, Thomas Gaines of El Campo, Meagan Anderson and Jenna Beth Anderson, both of Round Rock; great-grandson, Sage Gaines; and sister, Sandra Anderson of Conroe.

J.P. was preceded in death by his parents and sisters, Mary House and Patricia Anderson.

Visitation begins at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 21 at Triska Funeral Home with a

KC Rosary recited at 6 p.m. Funeral Mass begins 2 p.m. Friday, April 22 at St. Philip Catholic Church with the Rev. Michael Rother officiating. Burial will follow at Holy Cross Memorial Park.

Pallbearers will be Blaise Anderson, James Anderson, Stephen Gaines, Thomas Gaines, Adam Smith, Travis Woods, Cameron Ellner, and Tom Kallina.

Memorial donations in memory of J.P. may be made to St. Philip Catholic Church or St. Philip School.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Holy Cross Memorial Park

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 21. 4:00 PM (CT)

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

## Rosary

APR 21. 6:00 PM (CT)

Triska Funeral Home  
612 Merchant Street  
El Campo, TX 77437-3440  
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## Funeral Mass

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APR **22**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall

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“ Margaret and family, I know what a terrible void there will be without Jake. He was so sweet and special. I have known him my entire life from church together. It is hard to start another chapter in your life that will miss him so much. Just know there were so many souls welcoming him into Heaven and will be waiting for us to arrive. Prayers for comfort on these hard days.  
Toodie Brady

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**Maureen Brady** - July 06, 2022 at 11:43 PM

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“ Carolyn Foegelle lit a candle in memory of J.P. Anderson



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**Carolyn Foegelle** - April 23, 2022 at 10:58 PM

EK

“ Margaret and Family,  
We were saddened to hear of the passing of J.P. Have many fond memories of he and Ed working together at the Wharton Post Office. Please know that you all are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Ed & Kathy Koehl  
Oklahoma City, Ok

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**Ed/Kathy Koehl** - April 23, 2022 at 01:15 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of J.P. Anderson.* ”



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April 21, 2022 at 12:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of J.P. Anderson.* ”



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April 21, 2022 at 11:58 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of J.P. Anderson.* ”



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April 21, 2022 at 08:02 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of J.P. Anderson.* ”



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April 20, 2022 at 02:34 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of J.P. Anderson.



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April 20, 2022 at 12:05 PM



“ *Prayers for strength and comfort during this time* 🙏🙏🙏



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**Cindy Witcher** - April 20, 2022 at 12:27 AM



“ *Debora Burkhalter lit a candle in memory of J.P. Anderson*



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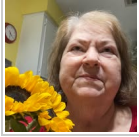
**Debora Burkhalter** - April 19, 2022 at 10:12 PM



“ *Suzanne, My deepest sympathy to you and your family on the passing of your father.*  
*Ron Johannes*

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**Ron Johannes** - April 19, 2022 at 08:18 PM



“ Elaine Cook lit a candle in memory of J.P. Anderson



Elaine Cook - April 19, 2022 at 06:54 PM



“ Kathy Koudela lit a candle in memory of J.P. Anderson



Kathy Koudela - April 19, 2022 at 05:24 PM



“ Ray And Linda Jaksch lit a candle in memory of J.P. Anderson



Ray and Linda Jaksch - April 19, 2022 at 02:53 PM



“ Charlene Borak sent a virtual gift in memory of J.P. Anderson



Charlene Borak - April 19, 2022 at 02:44 PM

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“ *Patricia Dybala sent a virtual gift in memory of  
J.P. Anderson*



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**Patricia Dybala** - April 19, 2022 at 12:57 PM