



## James Cyril Matcek

July 4, 1928 - April 16, 2015

James Cyril Matcek, 86, of Hillje, passed away on April 16, 2015. He born on July 4, 1928 in Garwood to the late Frank and Emily Kroboth Matcek. He was a retired farmer and electrician. James served 3 years in the U.S. Army becoming certified through the European Command Signal School as a Morse Code radio operator. After separating from the military, he became certified as a radio and telephone 3rd class operator through the Federal Communications Commission.

James was skilled in many areas including carpentry and mechanical. He was devoted to his wife, daughter and grandchildren. He loved his pets and all animals, treating them with compassion and respect.

He is survived by wife Marie Liska Matcek of Hillje; daughter Dorothy Ybarra and husband Alejandro of San Antonio; granddaughters Stephanie Ybarra of New York City, Michelle Ybarra of San Francisco, Jacquelynn Ybarra of San Francisco; and nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and brothers Bennie, Lester, Frank, Leo, and John Matcek.

Visitation will begin 2:00 pm Sunday, April 19, 2015 at Triska Funeral Home with a Rosary service at 6:00 pm. The Funeral Mass will be 10:00 am Monday, April 20, 2015, at St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Hillje, with Rev. Clement Quainoo officiating. Burial will follow at St. Andrew's Catholic Cemetery with

military honors under the auspices of the American Legion Post 251.

Pallbearers are Bennie Matcek Jr., Perry Matcek, Joseph Liska, Joe L. Saha, Darrell Scheneberg and Charles Kofron.

Condolences may be shared with the family at [www.triskafuneralhome.com](http://www.triskafuneralhome.com).

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

# Cemetery Details

## St. Andrews Catholic Cemetery

Hillje, TX

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 19. 2:00 PM (CT)

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

## Rosary

APR 19. 6:00 PM (CT)

Triska Funeral Home  
612 Merchant Street  
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## Funeral Mass

APR **20**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Andrew's Catholic Church  
270 St. Andrew's St  
El Campo, TX 77437

## Interment with Military Honors

APR **20** (CT)

St. Andrews Catholic Cemetery  
Hillje, TX

# Tribute Wall



“ *'Faith, Hope, and Peace' Comfort Candle was purchased for the family of James Cyril Matcek.* ”



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April 23, 2015 at 01:25 PM



“ *Garden of Serenity Bouquet was purchased for the family of James Cyril Matcek.* ”



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April 17, 2015 at 12:41 PM



“ *Quiet Expressions was purchased for the family of James Cyril Matcek.* ”



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April 17, 2015 at 12:31 PM