



Jim Elliott

December 30, 1948 - July 31, 2020

Retired El Campo Police Chief Jim Elliott passed away on Friday, July 31, 2020 in El Campo, TX, the city he proudly served and called home. His wife Linda, son Chris and daughter Summer were by his side. Jim was born in Houston, TX on December 30, 1948 to C. B. and Dorothy Elliott. After graduation from Sam Houston High School and the police academy, he began his career in law enforcement in 1971 as a patrol officer for the city of West University Place Police Department.

When Jim married his wife Linda Conner Elliott in April 1973, the two moved to El Campo after he was hired by El Campo's first Police Chief, Walter Broaddus, to work as a Patrol Officer with the El Campo Police Department. He and four other Police Officers worked out of the city's original un-air-conditioned police station which consisted of one office, one jail cell and the main room, with a counter on one side and Chief Broaddus' domino table on the other. Jim moved through the ranks of the El Campo Police Department as Patrolman, Sergeant, and Lieutenant. After making Lieutenant, he was honored to attend and graduate from the FBI National Academy. In 1980, Jim was selected as El Campo Chief of Police, the third chief in the city's history. During that time, he proudly played a part in the organization of the Wharton County 100 Club, the design and construction of a new emergency services building, and the renovation of that building some years later. After serving as Police Chief for nineteen years, Jim retired from an occupation that he loved

and respected until the day he died. After retiring, he continued to show his support of law enforcement by becoming a member of the Wharton County 100 Club. He and his wife Linda are members of First United Methodist Church El Campo. He is a former member of the El Campo Lions Club. At the time of his death, he was serving on the Board of Adjustments for the City of El Campo and was a member of the FBI National Academy Associates. In retirement, Jim enjoyed playing golf and the camaraderie that only his fellow golfers can appreciate, family travels and spending time with his children and grandchildren.

Jim was preceded in death by his parents, C.B Elliott and Dorothy Elliott Phillips, in-laws Don and Dorothy Conner, brother-in-law Larry Conner and an infant daughter.

He is survived by his wife, Linda Conner Elliott of El Campo; son Chris Elliott and wife Heidi of Columbus, Nebraska; daughter Summer Elliott Dorotik and husband Craig of El Campo; grandchildren Conner, Parker and Walker Elliott of Columbus, Nebraska and Jack, James, and Lane Dorotik of El Campo; favorite sister-in-law Clara Conner, nephew Garrett Conner and wife Vicki, and niece Brooke Conner.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Wharton County 100 Club, First United Methodist Church of El Campo or St. Philip Catholic School.

Due to COVID related concerns, private graveside services will be for immediate family only.

Pallbearers will be Mike Buss, Garrett Conner, Michael Drewett, Shayne Farrar, Dr. Brian Goerig, Officer Sonny Gonzalez, James Harp, Coby Rod and Chief Terry Stanphill. Honorary pallbearers are Allen Sefcik, members of the

El Campo Police Department and the 19th Hole Golf Group.

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

Tribute Wall

KA

“ Kari lit a candle in memory of Jim Elliott



kari - August 26, 2020 at 05:08 AM

JM

“ When I received the. news that J.C. “Jimmy” Elliott, former El Campo Police Chief (where I spent nearly 5 years of my career) had suddenly passed away I was saddened.

In the pictures below Chief Elliott presented a delegation of law enforcement officials from Mexico with used uniforms & old equipment a few years back . When I organized this effort, Jimmy was one of the for individuals I reached out to. Without hesitation he accepted my request!

I hold him to a very high esteem for all he'd did for me throughout the years. We remained friends & in contact after his retirement.

Every opportunity I had to stop in El Campo we would meet for a nice meal & great conversation.

I know ECpD, the El Campo community & Linda, Chris, Summer & your grandchildren will miss your kindness, friendliness & willingness to help ALL people.

May you Rest In Peace & GOD take your soul into eternal life. 🙏



Joe Munoz - August 08, 2020 at 06:28 PM

CL

God speed.

Clarissa Lockett - December 19, 2020 at 01:46 AM

CW

“ *Praying for you all to have faith and strength knowing the he is out of pain and at peace.*



Cindy Witcher - August 05, 2020 at 11:06 PM

MS

“ *I'll always remember Tierra Amarilla, NM.*

Martin Strarup - August 05, 2020 at 10:51 PM

LK

“ *We are sorry to hear of your loss. Our sincerest sympathy to you and your family.*

Larry, Beatrice, & Cheryl Kuretsch

Larry Kuretsch - August 05, 2020 at 03:55 PM

CR

“ *Cindy Riha lit a candle in memory of Jim Elliott*



Cindy Riha - August 04, 2020 at 11:09 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jim Elliott.*



August 04, 2020 at 01:38 PM



“ *Janice Korenek lit a candle in memory of Jim Elliott*



Janice Korenek - August 03, 2020 at 11:33 PM



“ *BLAKE ROD lit a candle in memory of Jim Elliott*



BLAKE ROD - August 03, 2020 at 08:34 PM



“ *Linda and Family,
We are deeply sorry for your loss, may God be with you and by your side to comfort you and to give you strength. Prayers to all the Family.
Diana and Wayne Zabodyn*



Diana Zabodyn - August 03, 2020 at 03:57 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jim Elliott.*



August 03, 2020 at 03:21 PM



“ *We're fondly reminiscing many, many years of our loving friendship. We're sending our continued love, prayers, & heartfelt sympathy. Love, Hubert & Mary Jane Kaiser*

Mary Jane Kaiser - August 03, 2020 at 11:58 AM



“ *Linda, Chris, Summer & family,*

We are deeply saddened by your loss. Know that you are lifted in prayer at this difficult time. Jim was a fine man and role model. You have been blessed.

Donna & Speck Thornton

Donna Thornton - August 03, 2020 at 11:30 AM



“ *Chief Elliott was instrumental in starting many young officers on their varied law enforcement career paths, those officers and their families, as am I, will be eternally in his debt, Thank You! rest now Chief, God bless the Elliott family.*

B. D. Campbell - August 03, 2020 at 08:08 AM

CW

“ Clarence and Patsy Wessels wish to extend their condolences to the Elliott family and especially to Linda. May God Bless You.



Clarence Wessels - August 02, 2020 at 06:05 PM

RP

“ So sorry for your loss, he was a good man and will be sorely missed. He is at peace now, watching over all of you, beaming with love. Rose Pasak

Rose Pasak - August 02, 2020 at 11:57 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jim Elliott.



August 02, 2020 at 11:41 AM

EC

“ Elaine Mach Cook lit a candle in memory of Jim Elliott



Elaine Mach Cook - August 02, 2020 at 10:01 AM

LA

“ I remember when he came to work for my dad (WW Broadus) at EICampo Police Dept. He and Linda had just gotten married. daddy always had wonderful things to say about him as a Officer and person. My prayers go out to Linda and family. Fly High With the Angels!! 🙏🙏

Lynda Broadus Alexander - August 02, 2020 at 05:57 AM

RR

“ Sending prayers and condolences to the family. Will miss Jim very much, he was a joy to play golf with on our play days. Always a very respectful person. So sorry for your loss.
Mel and Gina Reid

Regina Reid - August 01, 2020 at 11:38 PM

KA

“ Kari lit a candle in memory of Jim Elliott



kari - August 01, 2020 at 11:06 PM

BW

“ Becky Wessels lit a candle in memory of Jim Elliott



Becky Wessels - August 01, 2020 at 08:56 PM

BW

Linda and family, I am saddened to hear of Jim's passing. Please know all of you are in my prayers.

Becky Wessels - August 01, 2020 at 08:58 PM

SF

“ *We offer Our prayers and heart felt condolences to the Elliott Family. Chief Elliott was a great man and pillar of our community. Not only will he be sorely missed but more so , Greatly remembered! May Gods grace comfort you during this sorrowful time. We shed tears with you. God bless.*
Constable Shawn & Kristen Ferguson

Shawn Ferguson - August 01, 2020 at 08:48 PM

JA

We were neighbors with the Elliot for many years. So sorry to hear this news! Blessings to the family!!

Jan Ammann - August 02, 2020 at 12:41 PM

CD

“ *You will be missed. Rest in Heaven.*



Chad Dzierzanowski - August 01, 2020 at 08:19 PM

MS

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your family during this difficult time. The Scogin Family*



marjorie scogin - August 01, 2020 at 07:15 PM

LH

“ *My deepest sympathy to the Elliott Family.*



Lynda Norris Hatley - August 01, 2020 at 05:43 PM

SS

“ *Sandra Stary lit a candle in memory of Jim Elliott*



Sandra Stary - August 01, 2020 at 03:52 PM

MS

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. My husband and I both had the honor of working with Jim in El Campo. John and Mary Stell*

Mary Stell - August 01, 2020 at 03:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jim Elliott.*



August 01, 2020 at 01:51 PM

MW

“ *Our prayers and sympathy to the Elliot family*



Mike and Rita Watson - August 01, 2020 at 01:50 PM

RJ

“ *Ray And Linda Jaksch lit a candle in memory of Jim Elliott*



Ray and Linda Jaksch - August 01, 2020 at 01:43 PM

KL

“ *Thinking and praying for you and your Family
Mrs Elliott
Karen Lopez*



Karen Lopez - August 01, 2020 at 01:32 PM

WF

“ *With love, John & Jean Merck family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jim Elliott.*



With love, John & Jean Merck family - August 01, 2020 at 12:12 PM

FD

“ From Grandma Dorotik purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Jim Elliott.



From Grandma Dorotik - August 01, 2020 at 11:32 AM

RH

“ Our sympathy, thoughts and prayers to you Linda, and the entire family.



Randy and Vicki Hildebrand - August 01, 2020 at 11:19 AM

FB

“ Frank & Billie Becak lit a candle in memory of Jim Elliott



Frank & Billie Becak - August 01, 2020 at 11:04 AM

AE

“ Our condolences and prayers to the family.



Annette and Johnny Escamilla - August 01, 2020 at 10:44 AM

KP

“ *My deepest condolences to the Elliott family. Chief Elliott gave me more chances than I deserved. He also gave me support during a time when I needed it most. Chief Elliott was honorable man. God bless.*
Kelley A. Prevou



kelley a prevou - August 01, 2020 at 10:29 AM