



## Larry Wayne Wigginton

October 31, 1945 - January 27, 2018

Larry Wayne Wigginton passed away on January 27, 2018 peacefully with his family at his side after a lengthy but courageous battle with cancer. Born October 31, 1945 to the late James Melvin “Red” and Lelia Agnes Northcutt Wigginton, Larry grew up in El Campo and graduated from El Campo High School in 1964.

On May 6, 1966, Larry married Julie Ann Washburn Wigginton, and together they raised their son, Brent Alan Wigginton, and daughter, Lauri Ann Wigginton Hernandez. He was a proud employee of Texaco/Apache, having worked for the company from 1967 until his retirement in 1999. Larry was also honored to have served in the United States National Guard for six years. Larry is survived by his wife of almost 52 years, Julie Wigginton; son and daughter-in-law Brent and Gwynn Wigginton and daughter and son-in-law Lauri and Anthony Hernandez. In addition, Larry was a wonderful and very special “Popo” to his four grandchildren; Taylor Hernandez, Adrienne Wigginton, Ava Wigginton and Seth Hernandez. He is also survived by his brother and sister-in-law, Donald and Ruby Wigginton, as well as numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

Larry was preceded in death by his parents; brother and sister-in-law Harold Lee and Lois Wigginton; sister-in-law Ann Wigginton; and brother Bill Northcutt.

Serving Larry as pallbearers are his nephews, Jay Paul Wigginton and Dennis Wigginton; cousins Sam Wigginton and Trey Brangan; lifelong friend Frank

Kacal; and long-time friend and neighbor Bubba Baker. Honorary pallbearers are Larry's former coworkers at Texaco/Apache.

Visitation will begin 3:00 pm Monday, January 29, 2018 at Triska Funeral Home with the family receiving visitors from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Funeral services will be held 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 30, 2018, at Triska Funeral Home with Reverend Richard Young of First United Methodist Church officiating. Interment will follow at Garden of Memories.

In lieu of flowers and as a thank you for the exceptional and compassionate care provided in his final days, the family asks that donations in Larry's memory be made to Houston Hospice-El Campo.

# Cemetery Details

## Garden of Memories

US Business 59 and CR 358  
El Campo, TX 77437

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 29. 3:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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

## Family Will Recieve Friends

JAN 29. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

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JAN 30. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

LG

“ Julie, I am so sorry for your loss. Had I known of Larry's passing and services, I would have been there. He was always so kind . You and the family are in our thoughts and prayers.  
*Linda and Clay Garner*



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**Linda Garner** - January 31, 2018 at 07:38 PM

MB

“ Julie, I am so sorry to hear about Larry. Larry was an incredible man who always made me laugh. All of you are in my thoughts and prayers at this difficult time.

*Michelle*

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**Michelle Brangan** - January 30, 2018 at 10:54 AM

CT

“ Julie, my prayers are with you. What a dear friend he was to Morris. I think I only met him once before his stroke but luckily had the privilege of visiting him with Morris a few times after He was such a sweet person. Morris always could figure out exactly what Larry was saying. They had such a beautiful connection. I am so grateful that I got to meet Larry and your family. Morris never got tired of telling his "Larry" stories and I never tired of hearing them. God bless you all,  
*Carol Tardiff*

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**Carol Tardiff** - January 29, 2018 at 06:26 PM

LA

“ Love, Chris, Jen, Zach and Aiden purchased the In Remembrance Woodgrain Petite Music Box for the family of Larry Wayne Wigginton.



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**Love, Chris, Jen, Zach and Aiden** - January 29, 2018 at 11:59 AM

LA

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**Love, Chris, Jen, Zach and Aiden** - January 29, 2018 at 11:57 AM

 Robin Nolen

“ Julie & Larry were such wonderful friends to our mom. It seems most of our childhood memories have Larry, Julie, Brent, and Laurie in them. When I heard the news it hurt my heart so bad. Larry was such a kindhearted man who would do anything for you. Laurie, our heart is breaking for you and your family. We are keeping you in our prayers. Julie, We LOVE you so much and you are planted in our hearts forever. What you and Larry had was a testament to what a husband/wife should be. Brent, prayers for you and your family as I know the days to come will be difficult.  
We love each of you so very much!  
Robin & Rob Nolen



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**Robin Nolen** - January 29, 2018 at 11:52 AM

RB

“ Julie and family we want you to know we are so sorry to hear of your loss. Keep his memory alive and you'll always feel close to him. Sorry we can't be there to visit in person. Love to all.



Ronnie and Mary Bean - January 29, 2018 at 11:07 AM



“ Diana Huvar lit a candle in memory of Larry Wayne Wigginton



Diana Huvar - January 29, 2018 at 01:01 AM



A GREAT GUY MAY HE FLY WITH THE ANGELS

Diana Huvar - January 29, 2018 at 01:04 AM

CG

Our prayers, love, and condolences are with you at this time.

cynthia goerig - January 29, 2018 at 06:48 PM

EV

“ R.I.P. our dear friend, praying for family 🙏



Elizabeth Kacal Vaughn - January 28, 2018 at 10:55 PM

RM

“ *Rose Ann Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Larry Wayne Wigginton*



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**Rose Ann Mitchell** - January 28, 2018 at 10:17 PM

CB

“ *Every one of the Northcutt cousins have their favorite "Larry story".....and he will remain in our hearts. He was a wonderful man who fought a valiant battle, and not once, not one time, ever, did he ever complain about his plight. Rest in peace, Larry. You were more like a brother than a cousin. I'm quite certain our grandmother was there to greet you, "Larry Wayne, welcome home!"*

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**Charis Beal** - January 28, 2018 at 07:00 PM

AM

“ *A fine man was Larry Wigginton! My condolences go out to the family.*

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**Andrea McCann** - January 28, 2018 at 06:52 PM

KP

“ Larry was such a big part of my childhood. He was one of my brother Morris's best friends and like a second big brother. He went on several family vacations with us. He was always so much fun to be around and I never saw him angry or in a bad mood. I remember one summer we went to Garner State park and my brother and Larry were sleeping on the screened in porch. They were laughing so loud they were keeping my Aunt and Mom awake. My Aunt hollered and said if you two boys dont pioe down I'm going to come get in bed with you. We never heard another peep out of them. i also remember my brother telling of Larry coming to English one day when he was suppose to give an oral book report and unfortunately hadn't read a book. He got up told the name of the book, "Lost on a Mountain" and made up an author. The teacher questioned him and said, Larry I am not famiilar with this book. Larry replied ask Morris he is. The teacher turns to my brother and says "Morris is this true are you familiar with this book? My brother (being someone who never lied) replied "I am familiar with the story". So the teaacher said ok Larry go ahead. Larry then told the story of him and my brother gettiing lost on Ole Baldy in Garner State park. It was a true story although there was never a book written about it. i cant remember what grade he made on ot but i somehow think he did well! There's another story about an incident with an old army coffin but my post is gettng too lengthy ! i would love to tell it to his granschildren some day. May you rest in peace my dear friend! I know you and Morris are catching up and sharing memories! My deepest sympathy to Julie, Brent, Laurie, and all their families and to all who loved him!

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**Kay Ellen Tardiff Pratka** - January 28, 2018 at 06:04 PM

CB

*Kay, so many of us (Larry's cousins) have fond memories of your brother, Morris.*

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**Charis Beal** - January 28, 2018 at 07:03 PM

LK

“ *Sorry for your loss ! Larry was a classmate of mine. May Larry Rest In Peace ! Your family will be in my thoughts and prayers ! Linda Blair Kram*



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**Linda Kram** - January 28, 2018 at 05:19 PM