



Lee Riley Welch

February 11, 1928 - March 12, 2017

Lee Riley Welch, 89, of El Campo, passed away on March 12, 2017. He was born on February 11, 1928 in San Benito to the late Lee Roy and Maydel Cawley Welch. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was retired from El Campo ISD where he was the Director of Transportation. He was a Shiner and a Mason.

He is survived by his son, Rickey Lee Welch and wife Donna of El Campo; grandchildren, Leigh Mizell and husband Aaron of Needville, Lauren Parent and husband Colt of Needville and Logan Welch of El Campo. His parents, wife Ruby Welch, and son Lance Edgar Welch preceded him in death.

Visitation begins 2 p.m. on Tuesday, March 14 at Triska Funeral Home with the family receiving visitors from 5-7 p.m. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday, March 15 at Triska Funeral Home with Rev. Wayne Clement officiating. Burial with Masonic Services will be at Oaklawn Memorial Park.

Memorial donations in his memory may be made to Amed Hospice, 3535 Briarpark Drive, Ste. 220, Houston, TX 77042

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

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn Memorial Park

4609 State Hwy 71
El Campo, TX 77437

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 14. 2:00 PM (CT)

Triska Funeral Home
612 Merchant Street
El Campo, TX 77437-3440
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Family Will Receive Visitors

MAR 14. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

MAR 15. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



Wendell
McAskill

“ I met Lee through the El Campo Country Club and he became a good friend. I always enjoyed his stories and our time together on Tuesday and Wednesday. He will be missed for sure, and Jean and I offer our sincere condolences to his family.

Wendell McAskill - March 18, 2017 at 07:34 PM

SS

“ Ricky, Donna, and all other family members of Lee Riley Welch, please accept my deepest sympathy. I am keeping you in my thoughts and prayers. I know how sad and overwhelming this time can be.....just remember you are not alone. This is a time to celebrate, because Mr. Welch is going home to be with God and his other love ones. He will be truly missed by you,....but he will always be with you in your hearts. God Bless you all.

Simone Cerny Sanders

Simone Sanders - March 15, 2017 at 06:43 PM

AZ

“ All my love, Todd Zimmerman purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Lee Riley Welch.



All my love, Todd Zimmerman - March 14, 2017 at 10:19 PM

DL

“ I love you Mr Lee Welch! I love your whole family! You were so good to my husband and he looked at you as his second father. I know that you and Robbe will have endless days of fishing and hunting. You will be deeply missed!

Diane Lancaster - March 14, 2017 at 05:11 PM

DW

“ Such a wonderful, thoughtful and helpful man. I always enjoyed and have many fond memories of being around Ruby and Lee. My condolences to the family

Doris Weltzbarker

Doris Weltzbarker - March 14, 2017 at 02:32 PM

JE

“ The Tuesday and Wednesday golf group will have good memories of Lee. He will not be forgotten.
May Lee Rest In Peace.

Jimmy Elliott - March 14, 2017 at 12:51 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lee Riley Welch.



March 14, 2017 at 12:49 PM

BS

“ My late husband, Arnold, and I have known Ruby and Lee for many years. I have so many memories of all of us working at ECISD, being at the Country Club, hunting on the same deer lease and just visiting each other. My condolences to Ricky, Donna, and their children.

Betty Scheffer - March 14, 2017 at 09:51 AM

SU

“ So glad I had a chance to know him even just a little. He was an interesting man to talk to. Love ya'll and miss ya'll.
Sue

Sue - March 14, 2017 at 09:04 AM

LE

“ My condolences to you and Donna. Lana called me yesterday. As you know, Lee, Ruby, and yourself, were always apart of the Jennings Clan! You can rest easy now, knowing Ruby and Lee are on the Ocean in heaven, taking a ride in the "Ruby DUBY"..



Leslie Enloe - March 14, 2017 at 09:02 AM

DP

“ Your Dad was quite the character and we have fond memories of him at POC drinking Makers Mark and smoking his cigar....our deepest sympathies on your loss
Bill and Donna

Donna Pyle - March 14, 2017 at 06:30 AM

KG

“ *Kenny And Brenda George lit a candle in memory of Lee Riley Welch*



Kenny and Brenda George - March 14, 2017 at 06:29 AM

JR

“ *Ricky--
Thinking of you and sending my deepest sympathy. Last time I ran into your dad (can't remember how long it has been-time goes so fast) he talked and talked about you, Donna and his grandchildren. He was so full of love and pride for all of you. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers.*



One of Your Old Pihoda Co-workers,

Judy Merta Rohan

Judy Merta Rohan - March 13, 2017 at 09:12 PM

JB

“ *Going to miss you on Tuesday and Wednesday at the golf course. You were always a "hoot" to play with, and a lot of fun. They will have to pour out the rest of the bottle of Maker's at the Country Club. You will always be one of my heroes playing golf until the age of 89. May you Rest In Peace. Jim Brooks*

Jim Brooks - March 13, 2017 at 07:44 PM



“ *Diana Huvar lit a candle in memory of Lee Riley Welch*



Diana Huvar - March 13, 2017 at 05:57 PM



“ *We had a call from B.S. today sharing the sad news about Lee. Bill and I want Ricky to know how much we loved Lee, and Ruby. We have many fun and fond memories of our long friendship with both of them. We send our love and condolences to Ricky and his family. May God Bless you and be with you at this time.*

Bill and Gloria Dowden

Gloria Dowden - March 13, 2017 at 03:09 PM



“ *Love Terry and Larie purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Lee Riley Welch.*



Love Terry and Larie - March 13, 2017 at 12:03 PM



“ *My favorite memory of Uncle Lee was a reunion in Lakeway, he was taking people out on the boat and I had never been water skiing before. He took everyone else in and took me out just the 2 of us and very patiently taught me to ski....*

Tracy Feibelman - March 13, 2017 at 10:46 AM