



Lynn Blankenburg

September 19, 1939 - May 30, 2017

Lynn D. Blankenburg (77) passed away May 30, 2017 at Clear Lake Regional Hospital after complications from a spider bite. He was born in the birthing room of Rushing Clinic on September 19, 1939 in El Campo, Texas-Wharton County to Gus and Flora Blankenburg.

Lynn is preceded in death by his parents; son, Brian B. Blankenburg; brother in law, 1st Lt. Leonard E. Dornak; in laws, Leo and Lillie Jane Dornak; Uncle Guido and Lucille Blankenburg; Uncle Charles and Aunt Velma Blankenburg; Aunt Leona and uncle Monroe Cook.

Lynn is survived by his high school sweetheart, Helen (Dornak) Blankenburg, they would have celebrated their 60th anniversary on December 30, 2017; sons, Kevin Leonard Blankenburg and wife Kelly Warren Blankenburg of Knoxville, TN, Curtis David Blankenburg of Jacksonville, IL; daughter, Mary Lynn (Blankenburg) Anderson and husband David of Covington, LA; grandchildren, Leslie (Blankenburg) Saldana and husband Isaac Saldana of Seabrook, TX, Amanda Lynn (Blankenburg) and husband Wes Hayman of Texarkana, TX; Ryan C. Blankenburg and wife Allyson (Darby) Blankenburg of Pearland, TX, Jenny (Blankenburg) Jones and husband Air Force Master Sgt. Chase Jones of Prattville, AL, Kallen and Avery Blankenburg of Chattanooga, TN, David C. and Austin A. Anderson of Covington, LA, Ryan and Cody Hayman of Texarkana, TX, Alyssa and husband Zack Isbell of Humble, Tx.,

Alarik Saldana of Angleton, TX; great grandchildren, Hadlee and Harper Blankenburg of Pearland, TX, Haley and Micah Saladana of Seabrook, TX, Emerson and Carson Jones of Prattville, AL.

Lynn farmed rice with his father in El Campo and then worked in the Cryogenic field near Baytown. With his cryogenic experience he was hired at NASA (now JSC) in 1966. His office was in Bldg. 32 from where he retired after 47 years.

He was a charter member of the K of C Alvin-Manvel Council No. 6403 holding several offices in his younger years. Lynn and his sons are members of K.J.T. Lodge in El Campo. He was Asst. Scout Master while his sons were in scouts and a member of the International Order of Foresters.

His favorite 1st place golf win was with his great nephew Gregory Obert at an Alvin High School Tournament called "Its All Relatives" 2005. Lynn was very proud watching his son Curtis compete in several Deaf Golf Tournaments and being in the top 10 players in America. Curtis also competed in the World Deaf Olympics in Frankfurt, Germany in 1981 but the happiest event for the Blankenburg golfers was seeing Curtis make a hole-in-one at Austin Bayou Golf Course in Angleton, Texas.

Lynn was proud to hear that his son Kevin is getting his 35 year pin with Southwest Airlines and Kevin's wife Kelly is getting her 30 year pin also. He was also very proud of his only daughter MaryLynn who changed careers to become a R.N. at 47 years old and was at his bedside with her mother when he passed.

Visitation will be held from 2:00 P.M. to 3:00 P.M. Sunday, June 4, 2017 at St. John the Baptist Church, Alvin, Texas with a Rosary service being recited at 3:00 P.M. Visitation will also be held Monday, 1:00 P.M. - 2:00 P.M. with

Funeral Mass to be celebrated at 2:00 P.M. Monday, June 5, 2017 at St. Philip the Apostle Catholic Church, El Campo, Texas. Interment will follow at Holy Cross Memorial Park Cemetery, El Campo, Texas.

Cemetery Details

Holy Cross Memorial Park

1617 South Mechanic Street
El Campo, TX 77437
(979) 543-3770

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 5. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Mass

JUN 5. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Enjoyed his company at the Czech Center Museum Houston.*

Allen Livanec - June 22, 2017 at 06:05 AM



“ *Pat Dybala lit a candle in memory of Lynn Blankenburg*



Pat Dybala - June 14, 2017 at 10:57 AM



“ *Jeanne (Cerny) Elder lit a candle in memory of Lynn Blankenburg*



Jeanne (Cerny) Elder - June 06, 2017 at 09:00 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lynn Blankenburg.*



June 02, 2017 at 10:29 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Lynn Blankenburg.



June 02, 2017 at 10:25 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Lynn Blankenburg.



June 02, 2017 at 09:03 PM



“ *Diana Huvar lit a candle in memory of Lynn Blankenburg*



Diana Huvar - June 01, 2017 at 07:06 PM



“ *Larry & Becky Ermis families purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Lynn Blankenburg.



Larry & Becky Ermis families - June 01, 2017 at 12:08 AM