



## Michael Wayne Tolar

October 15, 1966 - January 18, 2025

Michael Wayne Tolar, 58, of Wharton, passed away January 18, 2025. He was born on October 15, 1966 in Tyler to the late Byron and Julia Sledd Tolar. Michael graduated from Texas A&M and worked as a business executive for Dannon Yogurt.

He is survived by his son, Garrett Tolar (Gwen) of Arkansas; daughter, Grace Tolar of Burleson; sister, Nancy Maples (Stephen) of Glen Flora; brothers, David Cook (Cindy) of Atlanta, GA, Tom Cook (Judi) of Holly Lake Ranch and Steven Cook of Fort Worth and numerous nieces and nephews.

Michael was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Linda Tolar.

Visitation will begin at 10 a.m. on Monday, January 27 at First Christian Church of El Campo. Funeral services will begin at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Adraylle Watson officiating. Burial will follow at Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Memorial donations in memory of Michael may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or First Christian Church.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Garden of Memories

US Business 59 and CR 358  
El Campo, TX 77437

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 27. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Christian Church  
205 W. West St.  
El Campo, TX 77437

## Funeral Service

JAN 27. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Christian Church  
205 W. West St.  
El Campo, TX 77437

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Such a great sadness to hear of Michael's passing. You were such a sweet honest man. God bless your sister and brother in law that helped you through your battle. My condolences and sympathy for the family.*

*Sincerely,*

*Rebecca Yackel*

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**Rebecca Yackel** - March 22, 2025 at 08:03 AM

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“ *So sorry for your loss! Please know Nancy that your family are in my thoughts & prayers! God bless you & your loved ones! RIP Michael ☐!  
He will be dearly missed by everyone who knew & loved him! Vicky Blair Ustynik Quijas*



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**Vicky Quijas** - January 22, 2025 at 06:07 AM

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“ *Vicky Quijas lit a candle in memory of Michael Wayne Tolar*



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**Vicky Quijas** - January 21, 2025 at 01:20 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Michael Wayne Tolar.*



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January 20, 2025 at 10:20 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Michael Wayne Tolar.

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January 20, 2025 at 10:20 PM