



## Mike Wagner

November 27, 1944 - January 12, 2024

Mike Wagner, 79, of El Campo, passed away on January 12, 2024 after a series of health problems. He was born November 27, 1944 to Wilburn (Pete) & Cora Cornelson Wagner in Schulenburg, Texas. He was very proud of his German heritage and his years in Schulenburg.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his grandparents Emil & Julie Wagner and Bill and Tillie Cornelson. His oldest son, Sean Michael also preceded Mike's death.

Mike is survived by his loving wife of 55 years Dawn Laurel Halamicek Wagner and two children, Tricia Dawn Romero (Dr. Jason) and Jeffrey Ryan Wagner (Liz). Grandchildren Lauren Grace, Graham Jude, Hudson Russell and Charlie Michael Romero - Jeff's sons - Easton Howard Wagner and Ryan Michael Wagner - Sean's sons - Gates Michael and Trace Cyril Wagner.

Mike graduated from Schulenburg High in 1963 and from Sam Houston State University in 1967 with a degree in Finance and Accounting. He gained additional education from the Texas Tech school of Real Estate Appraisal and the SMU School of Banking. Mike worked for Fannin Bank Houston, Allstate, First National Bank of Lake Jackson, Commercial State Bank and retired from Whites' Home & Auto Store.

Mike was active in the Lake Jackson Youth Baseball and the El Campo Youth

Baseball group. He always considered his classmates from the Schulenburg Class of 1963 as the best friends he ever had. He also will be able to see his dogs now - Tuffy, Doc, Buster, Lady and later Daisey - where all good dogs go – to Heaven.

Visitation will begin at 1 p.m. Saturday, January 27 at Triska Funeral Home. Memorial services will follow at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Rick DuBroc officiating.

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 27. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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

## Memorial Service

JAN 27. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

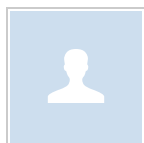


“ *Linda Kram lit a candle in memory of Mike Wagner*



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**Linda Kram** - January 26, 2024 at 08:43 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mike Wagner.*



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January 24, 2024 at 09:38 AM



“ *Kathryn G. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mike Wagner.*

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**Kathryn G.** - January 24, 2024 at 09:38 AM



“ *Anita Anderson lit a candle in memory of Mike Wagner*



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**Anita Anderson** - January 19, 2024 at 11:20 PM

JK

“ Michael and I were classmates at Schulenburg High School and then went on to Sam Houston State and also graduated from there together. We saw each other at class reunions and shared stories about our families. He loved Dawn and was proud of his children. He was a loved good friend and I will truly miss him. Prayers for strength and calm for his family during this very difficult time. "Go rest high on that Mountain Michael, your work on earth is done".

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**Janet Kobza** - January 19, 2024 at 06:55 PM

SS

“ Sandra Stary lit a candle in memory of Mike Wagner



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**Sandra Stary** - January 19, 2024 at 09:18 AM

AW

“ We are so sorry to hear about your loss, our condolences to tjhe family.

*I will never forget when I had moved back to El Campo and Mike came by the house to talk to me about Youth Baseball and the start of our kids with PeeWee baseball. That was the start of many years as I went on to coach teams through their Senior League years. Those were some of the most memorable years and I had Mike to thank for that. Mike was a big supporter of all the kids through the years. As we kept in touch through the years following he always ask about our Son and was always ready to share stories how proud he was of his kids and Grand Kids. Mike we will miss you and thanks for being a friend, Andy & Diane Waligura*

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**Andy Waligura** - January 18, 2024 at 12:58 PM



“ *Debora Burkhalter lit a candle in memory of Mike Wagner*



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**Debora Burkhalter** - January 17, 2024 at 11:35 AM



*Rest in Peace Mike you earned it. You will be missed. Prayers for the Family*

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**Debora Burkhalter** - January 17, 2024 at 11:36 AM



“ *Shirley Popp lit a candle in memory of Mike Wagner*



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**Shirley Popp** - January 17, 2024 at 10:34 AM



“ *Martin Strarup lit a candle in memory of Mike Wagner*



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**Martin Strarup** - January 17, 2024 at 09:00 AM

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“ *Val Hargrove lit a candle in memory of Mike Wagner*



Val Hargrove - January 17, 2024 at 08:35 AM

LK

“ *Linda Kram lit a candle in memory of Mike Wagner*



Linda Kram - January 16, 2024 at 05:52 PM

LK

*We are so sorry to hear about your loss. Sending prayers for your family and friends! Linda & Ken*

Linda Kram - January 16, 2024 at 05:53 PM

KA

“ *Kari lit a candle in memory of Mike Wagner*



kari - January 16, 2024 at 01:32 PM

IR

“ So sorry to hear about Mike - May God wrap his arms around the family during this time and may Mike rest in God's eternal peace. Our condolences to the family.

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**Irma Rocha** - January 16, 2024 at 12:46 PM