



Richard "Dickie" Means

January 18, 1944 - January 22, 2023

Richard "Dickie" James Means (Alsbrook), 79, of El Campo, passed away January 22, 2023. He was born on January 18, 1944 in El Campo to Georgia and Pearl Frels Alsbrook. After his father's passing, he was later adopted by his mother's second husband, Woodrow Means. He worked for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. Dickie worked at the Wharton County Sherriff's Office as a deputy and later became Captain of Reserves for over twenty years. He took over his father-in-law's wheel alignment company which became Means Bear Wheel Alignment. After retirement, Dickie was a license to carry instructor and worked at Carroll's Gun Shop.

He is survived by his wife, Donna Chambers Means of El Campo; children, Richard Means II and wife Brittany of Wharton, Linda Trichell and husband Todd of Dayton, Len Raney of Kansas and Cliff Raney and wife Jennifer of El Campo; grandchildren, Greg Raney, Shawn Raney, Andrew Raney, C.T. Trichell, Curtis Trichell, Colby Trichell, Ashley Orr, Devon Raney, Cameron Raney, Kinsley Means, Brooklynn Sweeney, Raeleigh Sweeney; ten great-grandchildren and sister, Brenda Sanford.

Dickie was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Linda Alsbrook and Merle Raines.

Family will receive visitors from 4-6 p.m. Tuesday, January 24 at Triska

Funeral Home. Funeral services begin at 2 p.m. Wednesday, January 25 at First United Methodist Church with Pastor Richard Young officiating. Burial will follow at Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Cameron Raney, Jim Staude, Larry Henslee, Dwayne Means, Bill Hedges, Richard Means, Daniel Holub and Dennis Korenek. Honorary pallbearers will be Cliff Raney, Len Raney, Wharton County Sheriff's Department and James Herrington.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in memory of Dickie may be made to assist with medical and funeral expenses.

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

Family Will Receive Visitors

JAN **24**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

JAN **25**. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Methodist Church
1001 Avenue I
El Campo, TX 77437

Tribute Wall

NL

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



nleomf - February 03, 2023 at 09:17 AM

MS

“ I apologize for not knowing that my friend Dickie had passed away. He was just a great person and friend. I will think of him often and I will smile.



Martin Strarup - January 27, 2023 at 05:39 PM

CK

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. With deepest sympathy, Larry and Chery Kuretsch

Cheryl Kuretsch - January 27, 2023 at 02:30 PM

VH

“ Vickie Holub lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dickie" Means



Vickie Holub - January 25, 2023 at 09:15 AM

KM

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



K Martinak - January 25, 2023 at 06:03 AM

MB

“ A long hard journey is at the end for my friend of many years, Dickie. Our families have had a long wonderful friendship. Anyone who knew Dickie was suddenly his best new friend. My life has been enriched by our lives intertwining for so many years. Know he has attained his Heavenly reward to be with so many souls gone before. There are so many good times for his family to remember and enjoy. We will be together again soon. Toodie

Maureen Brady - January 24, 2023 at 08:51 PM

MK

“ Dear Donna & Family, Please accept our prayers & heartfelt sympathy.
Love, Hubert & Mary Jane Kaiser

Mary Jane Kaiser - January 24, 2023 at 02:52 PM

SC

“ Our thoughts and prayers to you all



Scott, Kendra & Kambree Charbula - January 24, 2023 at 11:49 AM

SP

“ Shirley Popp lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dickie" Means



Shirley Popp - January 24, 2023 at 11:03 AM

PD

“ Patricia DYBALA lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dickie" Means



Patricia DYBALA - January 23, 2023 at 11:51 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard "Dickie" Means.



January 23, 2023 at 08:45 PM

GV

“ Gary Voelkel lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dickie" Means



Gary Voelkel - January 23, 2023 at 08:33 PM

SM

“ *Sandra Michna lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dickie" Means*



Sandra Michna - January 23, 2023 at 07:24 PM

AA

“ *Aileen Avendano lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dickie" Means*



Aileen Avendano - January 23, 2023 at 07:23 PM

SS

“ *Sandra Stary lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dickie" Means*



sandra stary - January 23, 2023 at 06:33 PM

JN

“ *Jayme Nunez lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dickie" Means*



Jayme Nunez - January 23, 2023 at 06:06 PM

BM

“ Prayers for the family as you all are in our thoughts during this time.



Bill and Mona - January 23, 2023 at 05:49 PM

LK

“ Linda Kram sent a virtual gift in memory of Richard "Dickie" Means



Linda Kram - January 23, 2023 at 05:49 PM

LK

We are so sorry to hear the sad news Donna! Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May Dickie Rest In Peace! ❤️🙏

Linda Kram - January 23, 2023 at 05:51 PM

DS

“ David & Charlene Linhart Smith lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dickie" Means



David & Charlene Linhart Smith - January 23, 2023 at 05:28 PM

AM

“ *My condolences to the family at this difficult time.*



Andrea McCann - January 23, 2023 at 04:25 PM