



Col. Gaynael Ray Grigsby

April 5, 1936 - May 4, 2021

Graveside services for Col. Gaynael Ray Grigsby, 85, of Tyler will be held on Saturday, May 15, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. at Cathedral in the Pines Cemetery in Tyler with Rev. Pike Wisner officiating under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home.

Mr. Grigsby passed away Tuesday, May 4, 2021 in Tyler. He was born April 5, 1936 in Linden to Charlie and Muriel Ray Grigsby.

Gaynael was a member of First Baptist Church, Tyler. He graduated from Texas A&M in 1959. He was in the Corp of Cadets and also the Ross Volunteers Association (RVA). He held the position of Structural Engineer with Brookshires for 43 years.

Gaynael was preceded in death by his parents, Muriel and Charlie; brothers, Monte Kirwyn, Terry; and sister, Sandra Kaufman.

He is survived by his loving family including wife of 63 years, Verdean; sons, Stanley and wife, Connie; Randell, Stephen; and daughter, Molly Wolf and husband, Jonathan; six grandchildren, Trevor Grigsby, Daniel Grigsby, Colin Grigsby, Zach Grigsby, Jacob Grigsby and Luke Wolf; one granddaughter, Lucy Wolf; two great-grandchildren, Skarlett and Archer Grigsby; one surviving sister, Gail of Houston.

Honorary pallbearers will be Trevor Grigsby, Daniel Grigsby, Colin Grigsby, Zach Grigsby, Jacob Grigsby, and Luke Wolf.

If lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Wounded Warrior Project (www.woundedwarriorproject.org) or a charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAY 15. 2:00 PM (CT)

Cathedral in the Pines Cemetery
7825 South Broadway Avenue
Tyler, TX 75703

Tribute Wall

SO

“ *Praying for your family!!
Sonia Buie*

sonia - May 16, 2021 at 04:44 PM

JH

“ *Stan, I have many good memories of times when we were kids and y'all lived on Faulkner. Your dad would play basketball with us in the backyard, which was a real treat! Praying for the peace of Christ to be with all of you.
John Haynes*

John Haynes - May 13, 2021 at 02:07 PM

TJ

“ *Stan-*

Rachel and I are thinking of you and your family during this difficult time. I can't wait to hear some stories about your father the next time we are together.

-Tracy

Tracy Johson - May 12, 2021 at 01:00 PM

CW

“ *Stan, my prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. May God bless you and may your father rest in the eternal peace of Jesus Christ.*

God Bless You

Chris Walker

Chris Walker - May 12, 2021 at 12:33 PM

GD

“ *Stan
Wow YOU look just like your dad! My sincere condolences to you and your family. I have lost a parent and know how challenging the moments might be. Praying that your family can share may happy memories as a tribute to his life.*

Hugs

Ginger Davis

Ginger Davis - May 12, 2021 at 12:24 PM



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of
Col. Gaynael Ray Grigsby.*



May 10, 2021 at 09:37 PM

DN

“ Dang Ngo & Michelle Nguyen purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Col. Gaynael Ray Grigsby.



Dang Ngo & Michelle Nguyen - May 10, 2021 at 12:54 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Col. Gaynael Ray Grigsby.



May 10, 2021 at 09:08 AM

PH

“ Phyllis & John Harwell purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Col. Gaynael Ray Grigsby.



Phyllis & John Harwell - May 09, 2021 at 03:44 PM