



John "Pop" Henry Suggs

July 29, 1939 - December 2, 2023

Services for John "Pop" Suggs, 84, of Tyler, will be held on Saturday, December 9th, 2023 at 10:30 a.m. at Stewart Family Funeral Home with Pastor Jason White officiating.

Pop passed away Saturday, December 2nd in Tyler. He was born July 29th, 1939, in Tyler, TX to Fred and Eva Suggs.

John was a charter member of Colonial Hills Baptist Church. He graduated from Arp High School and attended Tyler Junior College where he was a drummer in the band. He held the position of Welding Inspector with Howe-Baker Engineers.

John was preceded in death by his parents, his brother and sister-in-law, Jimmy and Carolyn Suggs, and his son, Steve Suggs. He is survived by his loving family including his wife, Peggy Suggs, his son and daughter-in-law, Stuart and Marisa Suggs, daughter-in-law, Patti Suggs, five grandchildren: Jake, Caleb, Cade, Cassidy, and Kennedy, two great-grandchildren: Anna and Ryder, a sister-in-law, Patsy Lewis and a brother and sister-in-law, William and Carole Suggs.

Pop loved working with horses, building racecars, watching baseball, and spending time with his kids and grandkids.

Honorary pallbearers will be The L.I.F.E. Sunday School Class.

Visitation is scheduled from 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, December 9th, 2023 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway in Tyler.

If desired, memorials may be made to Colonial Hills Baptist Church at 7330 S. Broadway Ave., Tyler, TX 75703 (www.colonialhills.com), St Paul Children's Services at 1358 E. Richards St., Tyler, TX 75702 (www.stpaulchildren.org), Hunger for Love at 11179 CR 168, Tyler, TX 75703, or The Hospice of East Texas at 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, TX 75701 (www.hospiceofeasttexas.org).

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 9. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Stewart Family Funeral Home
7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy
Tyler, TX 75703
(903) 581-2008

Memorial Service

DEC 9. 10:30 AM (CT)

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7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy
Tyler, TX 75703
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Reception following service

DEC 9 (CT)

Stewart Family Funeral Home Hospitality Room
7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy
Tyler
Tyler, TX 75703
admin@stewartfamilyfuneral.com

Tribute Wall

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“ Sweet childhood memories with the Suggs family. Praying for you, Peggy. Love, Sandra (Vickers)West.

Sandra West - December 09, 2023 at 08:40 PM

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“ Mrs. Peggy and Family,

I am so sorry for your loss. I will be sending up prayers of comfort, solace, and strength for all of you. Mr. John was truly a GEM. He will be sorely missed.

Felicia Thomas

Felicia Thomas - December 08, 2023 at 04:14 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John "Pop" Henry Suggs.



December 07, 2023 at 07:22 PM

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“ JOHN WAS ONE OF THE FIRST PEOPLE WE MET WHEN WE JOINED COLONIAL HILLS AND GREW TO LOVE HIM DEARLY. HE AND PEGGY WERE SO OUTGOING AND MADE US ALWAYS FEEL SPECIAL. WE WILL MISS HIM GREATLY. LARRY & TANNA STEVENSON

TANNA STEVENSON - December 07, 2023 at 09:04 AM



“ *Fairest of All* was purchased for the family of John "Pop" Henry Suggs.



December 06, 2023 at 12:43 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of John "Pop" Henry Suggs.



December 05, 2023 at 04:58 PM



“ *I met John and Peggy Suggs in 1967. we went to same church, Dixie Baptist, Peggy and I were in same Sunday School class , later, John and my husband Randy Layne were in Smith County Mounted Sheriff's Posse, our children were near same age and played together. Randy and Peggy had been in school together. We were casual friends, I have great respect for John and Peggy. I haven't seen Peggy in years, but I did see John and his sons at an antique car show a few years ago. My prayers for comfort and and peace for Peggy and the family.*

Frances Layne

Frances Layne - December 05, 2023 at 11:38 AM