



Ruben E. Saxon

May 8, 1938 - September 9, 2019

A memorial service for Ruben E. Saxon, 81, of Tyler, will be held on Friday, September 13, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. in the Stewart Family Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Sherman Mayfield officiating.

Mr. Saxon passed away Monday, September 9, 2019 in Tyler. He was born May 8, 1938 in Murchison, Texas to Ruben Elmo Saxon Jr. and Esther Marie McGee Saxon.

Ruben graduated from Brownsboro High School and attended Henderson County Junior College. He was employed by AT&T as a lineman after college and later joined the U.S. Air Force. He was a military policeman and served 4 years active service both in the U.S. and abroad. He received an honorable discharge and returned to Tyler.

Ruben retired from Kelly Springfield after 30 plus years, where he worked as a tire builder. After retiring, he worked as a volunteer for Mother Frances Hospital for 20 years. Ruben enjoyed golf and working in his yard.

Ruben was preceded in death by his parents, R.E. and Esther Saxon and one son, Scott Howard Saxon. He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Martha Lee Heard Saxon; son, Ruben Gregg Saxon; granddaughter, Jordan Claire Saxon; sisters, Barbara Saxon, Beth Saxon Culbertson and husband

John, Martha Perry, Dixie Saxon; and many nieces and nephews, as well as grandnieces and nephews.

Visitation is scheduled from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. on Friday, September 13, 2019 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway in Tyler.

If desired, memorials may be made to Pets Fur People, P.O. Box 6151, Tyler, TX 75711.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **13.** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Stewart Family Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Ruben E. Saxon*



Stewart Family Funeral Home - September 13, 2019 at 10:53 AM



“ *Melanie Martin lit a candle in memory of Ruben E. Saxon*



Melanie Martin - May 11, 2020 at 04:07 PM



Martha i am so sorry for your loss

Melanie Martin - May 11, 2020 at 04:08 PM

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“ *I remember Ruben sitting at the information desks of the main desk of the Mother Frances and LPO Heart Hospitals. He was always cheerful and kind. Martha and family, please accept our heartfelt condolences on your loss. Veronika and Greg Herrig*



Greg Herrig - September 13, 2019 at 11:46 AM

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“ *MARTHA, I would like to tell you how sorry I am for your loss, even though I did not RUBEN, I know he was a great person from all the things he accomplished, and having you as his wife. You have many memories which will always be special which you and RUBEN made. STAY strong my dear friend and take care of yourself.*
RONNIE TIDWELL

Albert Tidwell - September 13, 2019 at 10:40 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Ruben E. Saxon.*



September 12, 2019 at 01:47 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Ruben E. Saxon.*



September 12, 2019 at 11:57 AM

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“ I met Ruben when he interviewed to volunteer at Mother Frances Hospital in 1997. Through his many years of volunteering at the main information desk and then at The Louis & Peaches Heart Hospital, Ruben demonstrated his unconditional respect for everyone who sought his assistance. Ruben was a dear, sweet man who was unassuming, kind and compassionate who treated people with respect and dignity. He was a gentleman and loved by everyone who had the privilege of making his acquaintance. He is missed.

Dede Fleisher - September 11, 2019 at 09:34 AM

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“ Loretta Martinez lit a candle in memory of Ruben E. Saxon



Loretta Martinez - September 11, 2019 at 04:23 AM