



Albert L. Vavra

July 2, 1947 - May 27, 2024

Albert Ludwig Vavra, 76, of Caldwell, TX passed away peacefully at his home on Monday, May 27, 2024 to be with our Lord and Savior. Funeral services will be held on Friday June 7, 2024 at 9AM at the Snook Brethren Church in Snook, Texas. Burial will follow at New Tabor Community Cemetery, with graveside tribute services and Pastor Joseph Polasek officiating.

Albert was born on July 2, 1947 to Ludwig Vavra and Milady Valenta-Vavra in San Leon, Texas. He was the third of five children. Albert graduated from Caldwell High School in 1967. He enlisted into the Army in 1968 and served in Vietnam 1968-1969, two years in Europe and Army Reserve after which he was Honorably discharged March 1, 1974, SP5 position.

Albert graduated from Blinn College in Brenham, Texas in 1974, with an associates degree in Business. He met his first wife Roselie Johnson, in Bryan, Texas and were married on April 22, 1972. To this union came four children; Kelli Meinholdt, Donna Fajkus, twins Carie Oltmann and Cheri Todee. His second marriage was to Lillian Joyce Rowan on March 3, 1999 in Caldwell, Texas.

When Albert returned from his tour of duty, he was employed by Chappell Hill Construction Company, followed by Blue Bell Creameries in Brenham, Texas as a Salesman driver for 32 years, where he retired in 2016. He enjoyed being

in the outdoors, doing all kinds of activities, from gardening, fishing, golfing, grilling and his favorite - hunting rabbits.

Albert will be forever remembered for his high energy, fun loving contagious laugh, and definitely his gift of talking. No one was a stranger and everyone was a friend. He had a heart of gold and will be forever missed and cherished by all. His childhood family and friends nicknamed him Grasshopper, because of his fast long legs.

Albert is preceded in death by his parents Ludwig Vavra and Milady Valenta Vavra. Sister Evelyn Jolly, Wife Lillian Joyce Vavra and Son in Law Richard Meinholdt and Great nephew Weston Adcox.

He is survived by his daughter Kelli Meinholdt, daughter Donna Fajkus and husband Nick Fajkus, daughter Carie Oltmann and husband Curtis Oltmann, daughter Cheri Todee and husband Stephen Todee II. His eight grandchildren Faith Meinholdt, Emily Vincent and husband Justin Vincent, Cole Fajkus, Kaleb Oltmann, Shayla Todee, Kassi Oltmann, Jade Fajkus and Kalisa Oltmann. Three great grandchildren Emery Vincent, Riley Vincent and Hadley Oltmann. Brothers Leonard Vavra, Benjamin Vavra and wife Agnes Vavra, and sister Katherine Buza and husband Floyd Buza. And many nieces, nephews and cousins.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Snook Brethren Church.

The family wishes to thank everyone who has reached out to them in this trying time and a special thank you to his closest friends Allen Horak and Mike Krotofil, for always being there for him. He cherished your friendships to the end.

Express condolences at PhillipsandLuckey.com.

Cemetery Details

New Tabor Cemetery

CR 166
Caldwell, TX

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JUN 7. 9:00 AM (CT)

Snook Brethren Church
9882 FM 2155
P.O. Box 247
Snook, TX 77878

Visitation

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Tribute Wall



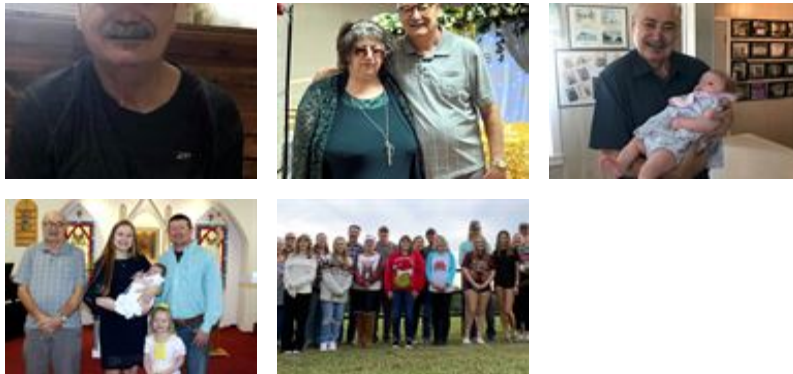
“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Albert L. Vavra*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - June 06, 2024 at 11:11 PM



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“ *My deepest sympathy to you all, May God be your strength and comfort at this time. Oranell Dunk*



ORANELL DUNK - June 06, 2024 at 12:49 PM

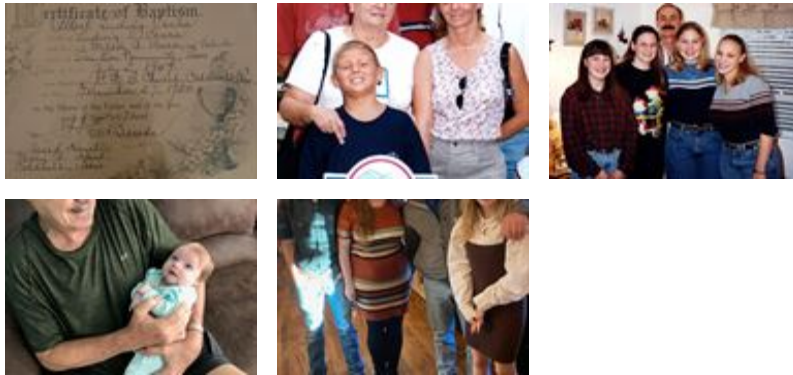
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Cheri Todee - June 10, 2024 at 12:09 PM



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“ *L & M Drywall Michael and Julie purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Albert L. Vavra.*



L & M Drywall Michael and Julie - May 30, 2024 at 04:08 PM

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“ *L & M Drywall Michael and Julie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Albert Vavra.*

L & M Drywall Michael and Julie - May 30, 2024 at 04:08 PM