



## Austin Jason Collins

December 1, 1999 - October 5, 2022

Austin Jason Collins, age 22, of Spring and formerly of Navasota, died on Wednesday, October 5, 2022, at home surrounded by family. A public visitation will be held in his honor on Monday, October 17, 2022 from 5:00 - 6:00 PM followed by a Memorial Service at 6:00 PM in the chapel at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Caldwell, Texas.

The family invites anyone who knew Austin to attend and remember his wonderful life. There will be a ceremony to spread his ashes at Cat Island, Mississippi at a later date to be determined by family.

He was a loving son, brother, grandson, nephew, and friend. While owning his stubborn streak and own sense of style, Austin had a loving and caring personality that will be missed by all who knew and loved him. His smile lit up every room and we will miss seeing him talking endlessly about his love of anime, video games, music, and playing the trombone. Austin stated that his two years working at the Texas Renaissance Festival while he was in high school was the best time of his young life. Those years helped him embrace his own style, which included "Kilt Fridays" throughout the school years and beyond.

Austin is survived by his father, Jason Collins; mother, Lisa McKinzie; stepfather, Jeff Conklin; sisters: April Collins & McKinzie Collins; grandparents: Betty Collins, Orville & Charmaine McKinzie, Tom & Kathie Conklin; aunts and uncles: Jeannie & Jess Merten, Aaron & Nanette Collins, Beckie & Roger Yarbrough, Michael Rodgers, Kellie Conklin, Hunter Huckins, Justin Cowley, Kayla Cowley, Carrie & Tom Barron, and Jerry & Erin Rogers; and those who Austin called his brothers and sister: Louis Krahl, Ashton Collins, and Kayleigh Schwarze; as well as numerous cousins, extended family members, and friends.

Austin is preceded in death by his maternal grandmother, Lori Heron Snyder, and his paternal grandfather, Art Collins.

Austin wished that any memorial tributes be made in the form of a charitable donation, preferably to MD Anderson. Contributions will support an important cause, and hopefully provide more innovative patient care, research, and resources for other patients of brain cancer, which is cared deeply for by our family.

When you think of Austin, celebrate the good memories you have of him. Remember that life is fragile and short and should be lived to the fullest.

Express condolences at [Phillipsandlucy.com](http://Phillipsandlucy.com).

# Previous Events

## Public Visitation

OCT 17. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Caldwell  
404 W. Buck St.  
Caldwell, TX 77836  
(979) 567-3232  
phillipsandluckeyfh@yahoo.com  
<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Austin Jason Collins*

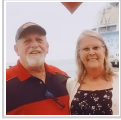


Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - October 10, 2022 at 07:58 PM

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*A beautiful tribute to Austin...*

Carol Ridenour - October 11, 2022 at 10:42 AM



*Beautiful memories...*

Kathie Conklin - October 12, 2022 at 08:02 AM

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*That was beautiful!*

Les Allen - October 13, 2022 at 04:05 PM

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“ *Tommye & Ollie Dorrance purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Austin Jason Collins.*



Tommye & Ollie Dorrance - October 16, 2022 at 03:09 AM

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“ *Allison, Amy and Uncle Bob purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Austin Jason Collins.*



Allison, Amy and Uncle Bob - October 14, 2022 at 08:29 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Austin Jason Collins.*



October 12, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Austin Jason Collins.*



October 11, 2022 at 08:37 AM



“ *100 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - October 10, 2022 at 07:35 PM



“ *Tom Kathie Conklin lit a candle in memory of Austin Collins.*



Tom & Kathie Conklin - October 10, 2022 at 09:34 AM



“ Kathie Conklin lit a candle in memory of Austin Collins.



Kathie Conklin - October 10, 2022 at 09:29 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Austin Jason Collins.



October 10, 2022 at 03:07 AM



“ 4 files added to the album Austin



Jason Collins - October 09, 2022 at 05:09 PM



“ Jason Collins lit a candle in memory of Austin Collins



Jason Collins - October 09, 2022 at 05:05 PM