



## Bill Vogelpohl

August 23, 1937 - December 7, 2015

Services for Bill Vogelpohl, 78 of Rockdale are scheduled for 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 9, 2015 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale. Graveside services will be 4:00 p.m. in the Oak Knoll Cemetery in Bellville. Rev. Dr. Bruce Peffer of Grace Lutheran Church in Rockdale will officiate. Visitation is 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday December 8, 2015 at the funeral home.

Bill Vogelpohl was born August 23, 1937 in Bellville to Herbert and Selma (Harms) Vogelpohl. After he graduated from Bellville High School he attended the University of Texas in Austin and then Louisiana State University School of Banking at Baton Rouge. On August 22, 1959 he and Janell Tegeler were married in Bellville. They came to Rockdale from Bellville in 1970 where Bill was Vice President of Rockdale State Bank. He organized Community Bank and Trust and became their first President and CEO in 1979. After leaving the banking business he started Bill's Bookkeeping and Tax Service along with Christian Information Book Store.

Bill had served in the U.S. Naval Reserve; he was a member of Grace Lutheran Church in Rockdale, a member of the Rotary Club and President of Texas Gelbvieh Association. In 1976 he helped organize the Rockdale Fair Association and helped developed the first Rockdale Fair.

Bill passed away Monday morning, December 7, 2015 at his home in Rockdale. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Surviving are his wife, Janell Vogelpohl of Rockdale; Two daughters, Sandra Neuendorff and husband Randy of Columbus and Cindy Vogelpohl of Dallas; His sister, Virginia Goller of Bellville and four grandchildren, Tiffany, Travis, Traci and Terri Neuendorff.

Memorials may be made to the charity of your choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Oak Knoll Cemetery

North Amthor Street  
Bellville, TX 77418

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 8. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale  
1041 West Highway 79  
Rockdale, TX 76567  
(512) 446-5454  
phillips\_luckey@yahoo.com  
<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

## Chapel Service

DEC 9. 1:00 PM (CT)

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1041 West Highway 79  
Rockdale, TX 76567  
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# Tribute Wall

DB

“ We were so sorry to learn of the passing of Bill. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Love,  
Dorothy Becker  
John Becker

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**Dorothy & John Becker** - December 12, 2015 at 08:03 AM

LN

“ Janelle and family, I was so sorry to learn of Bill's passing. I know he will be missed by all who knew him and loved him. May God hold you closely as you mourn the loss of a truly kind and caring man.

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**Lois Braun Noak** - December 10, 2015 at 10:51 PM

NS

“ Bill was a most trustworthy friend for many years and he shall be missed greatly.

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**Nathan Simpson** - December 10, 2015 at 12:34 PM

RP

“ May God bless you and yours during this most difficult time and always

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**Reva Prause-West** - December 09, 2015 at 10:02 PM

JB

“ Janell, We are so sorry to hear of the passing of Bill. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers as you go through this difficult time. May God Bless you all. Stanley and Joyce Betchan

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**Joyce Betchan** - December 09, 2015 at 11:52 AM

JK

“ Heard this on the news this morning. Sorry to hear. Gods blessings to you all.. Can't attend but my thoughts will be there. June Key

June Key - December 09, 2015 at 10:15 AM

DA

“ Cindy, we are so sorry to hear of the passing of your father. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Take care. Debbie Auger and the staff of IBS of Tri Cities, Kitchener, Ontario, Canada.

Debbie Auger - December 09, 2015 at 08:22 AM

KB

“ We offer our deepest sympathies to the family of Bill Vogelpohl and pray he has has the joy of eternal life. Bill and his "Harms family", cousins in our early life, enjoyed many activities and adventures. Later it was the telephone and email that kept us connected. We will miss and always remember Bill.  
Our Love,  
Kenneth and Mary Lou Becker

Kenneth Becker - December 08, 2015 at 08:11 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Bill Vogelpohl.



December 08, 2015 at 06:47 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Bill Vogelpohl.*



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December 08, 2015 at 05:53 PM



“ *We are so very sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers! GOD BLESS you.*

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**Mike and Beckie Zelisko** - December 08, 2015 at 05:29 PM



“ *S&D OYSTER COMPANY Family and Friends purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Bill Vogelpohl.*



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**S&D OYSTER COMPANY Family and Friends** - December 08, 2015 at 04:35 PM