



Billy Lynn Kornegay

November 23, 1947 - December 30, 2021

Billy Lynn Kornegay, 74, of Caldwell, Texas passed away peacefully on Thursday, December 30, 2021. A public visitation will be held on Monday, January 3, 2022 beginning at 4:00 PM with a rosary at 5:00 PM in the Chapel of Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Caldwell, Texas. A funeral mass will be held on Tuesday January 4th 10:00 AM at St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Billy was born November 23, 1947 to Clarence and Betty Lou (Warlick) Kornegay in Bryan, Texas. He was raised in Burleson County for the most part, but also lived in Bryan, Houston and Austin area. Billy met and married the love of his life, Judy Seibert on June 9, 1973. They were blessed with two children, Brian and Jill.

Billy was a faithful member of St. Mary's Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, where he served as Lector for the Sunday mass. He also was a member of the Knights of Columbus. Billy had great faith in all aspects of Christianity and believed firmly in the teachings of Jesus Christ.

As a young boy, Billy was probably on the back of a horse before he could walk. He loved riding with his sisters through the green pastures of Chriesman, Texas. He knew no danger while on his horse. He was bucked and thrown, but he always climbed right back on.

Billy attended Caldwell public schools and graduated with many honors in 1966. Upon graduation, he received a four-year scholarship from the University of Texas at Arlington. He was starting center his junior and senior years.

In 1967, the UTA Rebels won the Southland Conference Championship in the Pecan Bowl, beating North Dakota State 13-0. He wore a championship football ring with pride. Billy and his teammates formed a brotherhood of trust and true grit. These friendships have been faithful with Billy often going back to the Arlington area to re-unite with his teammates. Graduating from college, Billy started a career as a teacher and coach. He worked at La Grange, Arlington and Amarillo, Texas. Billy and Judy moved back to the Caldwell area in May of 1980. Here he owned Rocking K Ranch Supply in Caldwell, Texas. He was in business until 1999 supporting the Burleson County Fair, the Athletic Booster Club, Little League baseball and many more. While working at Rocking K, he spent time in the community with his hobbies, golf fishing and hunting as being totally involved with his kids activities.

Billy is preceded in death by his parents, his step-father Vernon Rhoton, and infant brother James as well as his infant daughter Jamie Lyn.

Billy is survived by his wife of 48 years, Judy Seibert Kornegay, his son Brian and his wife Ashley of Whitehouse, Texas, daughter Jill Homeyer and her husband Dennis of Caldwell, Texas; sisters Cindy, and her husband Bill Perry, Sherry Barrett and friend Johnny Taylor and Sue Dziobala and friend John Miears, grandchildren, Carson and Blaine Mc Rae, Emry, Easton and Elli Kornegay, Brenden and Blair Homeyer and extended family.

Express condolences at Phillipsandluckey.com.

Previous Events

Public Visitation

JAN 3. 4:00 PM (CT)

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

Rosary

JAN 3. 5:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Mass

JAN 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
500 W. Osr
Caldwell, TX 77836

Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Billy Lynn Kornegay*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - January 03, 2022 at 01:55 PM

BW

We are praying that the family will remember who is in charge. Pretty sure our Savior was there to meet him when he arrived to his eternal home. I have been thinking about his wonderful sisters. I want to send them peace an comfort at this time.

barbara wenzel - January 05, 2022 at 05:38 PM

RG

“ I was deeply saddened to hear about the loss of Billy. Please accept my heartfelt condolences during this difficult time. I am truly sorry for your loss.



I also wanted to apologize for the events that transpired that one Christmas at your home. It was quite unexpected to find out that I was related to Warlicks, and the situation felt quite odd to me. As a result, I decided to step back, as it was all a bit overwhelming. However, I do think it's very neat that I had the opportunity to meet cousins I had never known before. Johnny was unhappy about, but for the best.

Once again, my deepest sympathies to you and your family.

Roxanne Gilley - June 08, 2024 at 02:16 PM

TL

“ Gosh, it's August and I'm just now finding out about Coach Kornegay passing. Played for him at Amarillo Palo Duro back in 1976. He was definitely a country boy and the best football coach I played for. Never knew he was Catholic, but I should've figured, since his character and integrity were always evident. He believed in his O line and supported our effort when no one thought we were any good. We ended up over achieving due to his leadership. I'll never forget him. One of the first men that always wore his boots. Thanks Coach Kornegay and May the Perpetual Light shine upon you!

Terry Lichtie - August 22, 2022 at 09:11 PM

NM

“ *My thoughts and my prayers go out to Mrs. Kornegay and her family! Coach Kornegay was a positive role model for many of us during our days at La Grange High School in the 1970s. He deserves a lot of credit for the successes I experienced as an athlete and later as a teacher-coach. I will always remember him!*

Neal Miller - January 14, 2022 at 09:11 AM

JL

“ *Kornegay Family - I am so sorry for the your loss. Though I did not know Billy, I lived across the street from Judy Seibert as a child and we played together. My cousin let me know of Billy's passing. The Kornegay Family is in my prayers.*

Judy Massey Lundquist - January 08, 2022 at 04:17 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Billy Lynn Kornegay.*



January 06, 2022 at 03:41 PM



“ *Kornegay Family - Just wanted to express my deepest condolences on the passing of Billy. He will be greatly missed. The entire Kornegay Family will be in my thoughts & prayers.*

Mark Kacer - January 05, 2022 at 08:13 PM

BW

“ *Barbara Wenzel lit a candle in memory of Billy Lynn Kornegay*



barbara wenzel - January 05, 2022 at 05:13 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Billy Lynn Kornegay.

January 03, 2022 at 11:10 PM

SC

“ *Coach Kornegay coached with my dad in Somerville. He was such an incredible person and friend to so many. My dad (Larry Cone), brother (Ky Cone), and I would come out and hunt on his property. I'm sure he and my dad are in heaven telling stories and making all around laugh!*

Love y'all - Stephanie Cone

Stephanie Cone - January 03, 2022 at 08:19 PM



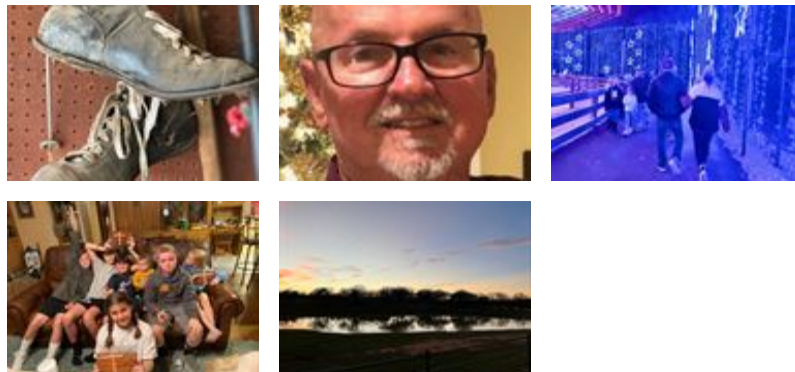
“ *Heavenly Light was purchased for the family of Billy Lynn Kornegay.*



January 03, 2022 at 05:52 PM



“ 134 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - January 03, 2022 at 01:51 PM

SS

“ *Billy Lynn was one of the nicest people I ever knew. I don't remember anyone ever saying a bad or mean thing about him. May God bless his family during this tough time. He can now rest in peace with his Lord and Savior. Sweet is not a very manly word to use about a man as tough as Billy Lynn was, but when my sister, Pearl Kay, talked about Billy Lynn, she would always use the word sweet.*

*God Bless,
Skelly*

Skelly Strong - January 03, 2022 at 09:52 AM



“ 1 file added to the album *Cousins*



Kathy Chruscielski - January 02, 2022 at 04:27 PM

RI

“ I hope I helped make his last few days more comfortable, and I hope I helped make things a little easier for the family.

Richey - January 02, 2022 at 07:49 AM

JK

I will never forget your beautiful heart and immediately taking care of not only our sweet daddy... but us as a family. We were so exhausted, hungry, and just needed someone.... And then God gave us you. Thank you for all that you do and for all that you serve. God gave you a calling... so run with it! We love you as a family and we are so thankful to have had you 🙏🦋💕

Jill Homeyer/ Kornegay - January 04, 2022 at 10:22 PM

BC

“ Bobbie Claypoole lit a candle in memory of Billy Lynn Kornegay



Bobbie Claypoole - January 02, 2022 at 02:33 AM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Billy Lynn Kornegay.



January 01, 2022 at 01:25 PM

WA

“ *With love, Kathy Alford purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Billy Lynn Kornegay.*



With love, Kathy Alford - January 01, 2022 at 12:47 PM

JL

“ *Joe Alford & Family- Allison, Eli & Lyla purchased the Delightful Dieffenbachia for the family of Billy Lynn Kornegay.*



Joe Alford & Family- Allison, Eli & Lyla - January 01, 2022 at 12:44 PM