



Carlton Gibson

December 1, 1933 - August 9, 2020

Carlton Gibson, age 86 of Lexington, passed away Sunday, August 9, 2020 at his home in Lexington.

He was born December 1, 1933 in Burkburnett, Texas to Carlton and Dorothy (Ragsdale) Gibson. He graduated from San Benito High School and received his Masters of Science degree from Texas Christian University (TCU). He served in the U.S. Army and was honorably discharged on September 30, 1962. On May 31, 1969, he and Mary Elizabeth Vance were married in Dickinson, Texas. He worked as a petroleum geologist. After leaving Dickinson, they made their home in Lexington.

Carlton is preceded in death by his parents and his wife, Mary Elizabeth on April 9, 2018.

Surviving are his son, Eric Carlton Gibson of Lexington; Daughter, Gail Terese Gerdes and husband Lee Charles of Lexington; Brother, R.E. Gibson and wife Sharon of Georgetown and two grandchildren, Callie Shae Gerdes of Austin and Garrett Lee Gerdes of Lexington.

Mr. Gibson, following his wishes, was cremated. No services are planned at this time.

Tribute Wall

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“ I will always remember Carlton as a friend. He was quick with a smile, a sharp dresser and never spoke an unkind word about anyone (although we did have fun with Rick Perry wanting to put the trans Texas corridor down our throats!) He was one of most intelligent people I have ever been associated with and I was always spellbound of his travels around the world. He dearly loved his family and he will be missed by me. Carlton Gibson was a great man.

Joe Green - August 13, 2020 at 06:58 PM

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Thank you Joe! Do you know in his final days, when the only people he knew were Eric and I, we needed him to sign an Edward Jones document. He kept asking questions and I finally said, “Daddy, it’s for Edward Jones and Joe Green needs you to sign it.” He said, “Oh I really like Joe. He’s a very good person,” and signed the document promptly. Thank you for everything over the years!

Gail Gerdes - August 19, 2020 at 03:28 PM

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“ Prayers for Carlton’s entire family. He was a very kind and generous man. He will truly be missed.

Sharon Moore - August 11, 2020 at 12:20 PM