



Danny Ray Kelley

February 24, 1946 - April 3, 2024

Services for Danny Ray Kelley, age 78, are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Saturday, April 13, 2024 at

Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale, Tx. His brother-in-law Rev. Jim Muston will officiate.

Burial will be in the Oak Lawn Cemetery in Rockdale. Visitation is at 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 13, 2024 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale.

Danny was the middle child of three born to Curtis Ray and Gladys Louise Gregory Kelley on

February 24, 1946 in Austin. On May 6, 1972, he married the love of his life, Bonnie Joyce Muston.

Danny and Bonnie were members of Murray Street Church of Christ in Rockdale.

Danny was a master mechanic and worked at both the Ford and Chevrolet dealerships in Rockdale.

He also worked for Onyx Industrial Cleaning Services and United Rentals prior to his retirement.

In 2018 he moved to Eden to be closer to family. While in Eden he came out of retirement to work as

the assistant for the director of Eden Housing Authority. Danny greatly enjoyed

working with the tenants who live in Eden, and he made many friends during his time there. Danny enjoyed gardening, bird watching, reading historical markers, and spending time with his family. He especially loved the time he spent with his grandchildren.

Danny passed away peacefully on April 3, 2024 at Park Place Manor in Belton. He is preceded in death by his wife, Bonnie; parents, Curtis and Gladys Kelley; son, Russell Kelley Sr.; and his brother, Alan Kelley.

Surviving are two sons, Danny Lee Kelley and wife Jan of Burnett and Kevin Kelley and wife April of Huntsville; two daughters, Darla Zell and husband James of Horseshoe Bay and Amanda Rurup and husband Seth of Temple; sister Nancy Ward; sisters-in-law, Mavis Farrow and husband Peter, Juanita Beason and husband Billy, Bert Muston-Clark and husband Roy, Kathy Muston; brother-in-law Jim Muston and wife Sandy. 10 grandchildren: Danielle, Justin, Layla, Emily, Shayla, Kamryn, Russell Jr., Abbie, Lizzie and Nate. 9 great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Serving as pallbearers are Kevin Kelley, Seth Rurup, Nate Rurup, Kendal Beason, Caleb Muston, Todd Lee, and John Lawhon.

Cemetery Details

Oak Lawn Cemetery

250 S. Pear Street
Rockdale, TX 76567

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 13. 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale
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Funeral Service

APR 13. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



*“ I worked with Danny at onyx industrial he was a good person to be around learned a little mechanic work also my thoughts and prayers go out to his family may he rest in peace.
Terry L Mowdy*



Terry L Mowdy - April 11, 2024 at 02:38 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Danny Ray Kelley.



April 09, 2024 at 06:13 PM



“ I hate to hear this about Danny he was such a character, Condolences to the Kelley family. Danny rest in peace my friend your work on earth is done.

Johnny Stewart - April 09, 2024 at 04:47 PM