



Garry Olen Holmes

January 9, 1946 - July 22, 2021

Memorial services for Garry Olen Holmes age 75 of Thorndale, will be 1:00 p.m. Saturday, July 31, 2021 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale.

Garry was born January 9, 1946 in Jewett, Texas to Olen and Opal (Sanders) Holmes. He was a First Lieutenant in the U.S. Army Military from 1968 to 1971 and was stationed in Vietnam from 1969 to 1970. He received a Bronze Star for bravery. On September 10, 1966, he and Carolyn Ireland were married in Rockdale. To this union two daughters were born. He was a self-employed business owner for 35 years. After retirement, they moved to Thorndale where they have lived the past two years.

Garry passed away Thursday morning, July 22, 2021 at his home in Thorndale. He is preceded in death by his parents, Olen and Opal Holmes and sister, Judy Quinney.

Surviving is his wife, Carolyn Ireland Holmes; daughters, Gari Ellen Ynostrosa and husband Ralph, Zena Preiss and husband Brian; three grandchildren, Jordan Heller and husband Andrew, Alexandra Wendt and husband James, Joseph Brucia; and two great grandchildren, Carley Nicole Wendt and Carson James Wendt.

Memorials may be made in Mr. Holmes memory to Wounded Warriors at ww

w.woundedwarriorproject.org or to K9s for Warriors at www.k9sforwarriors.org.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL 31. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Garry Olen Holmes*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - July 30, 2021 at 10:32 AM



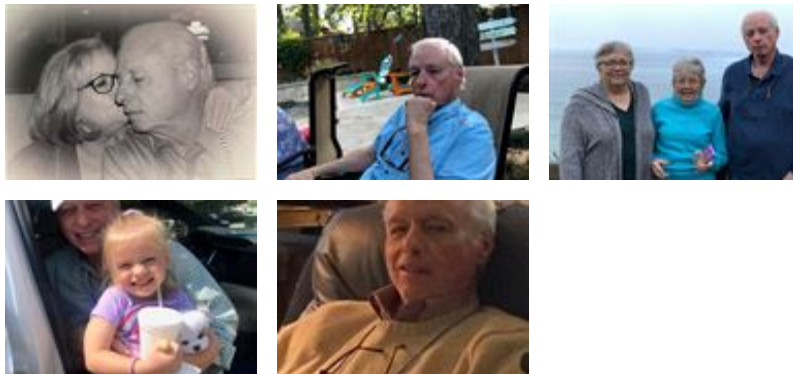
“ *Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Garry Olen Holmes.*



July 30, 2021 at 04:20 PM



“ *131 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - July 30, 2021 at 10:10 AM



“ *Blue & White Standing Open Heart was purchased for the family of Garry Olen Holmes.*



July 29, 2021 at 08:00 PM



“ *From you Family at DiMare Fresh Houston purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White for the family of Garry Olen Holmes.*



From you Family at DiMare Fresh Houston - July 29, 2021 at 02:52 PM



“ *Red, White & Blue Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Garry Olen Holmes.*



July 29, 2021 at 02:11 PM



“ *James B. purchased the Yellow & White Mixed Fi reside Basket for the family of Garry Olen Holmes.*



James B. - July 27, 2021 at 11:49 AM

TW

“ I’m very sorry for your family’s loss. My thoughts and prayers are with y’all.

Tiffany Wilson - July 27, 2021 at 11:36 AM

DJ

“ Gari, Ralph, Jordan, and Andrew, wrapping you in hugs and prayers for your loss. Love all of you bunches.

donna johnson - July 26, 2021 at 08:06 PM

FP

“ Frank Pilotte purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Garry Olen Holmes.



Frank Pilotte - July 26, 2021 at 05:54 PM