



Gene Allen Walch

March 3, 1956 - January 24, 2021

A visitation for Gene Walch, 64 of Lexington, Texas, will be held on Tuesday, January 26, 2021 from 9:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. and on Wednesday, January 27, 2021 from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 a.m. at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. The Walch family will be present for visitation Tuesday evening from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Due to the current COVID-19 Pandemic, a private funeral service will be held for immediate family members only.

Gene Allen Walch was born on March 3, 1956 in Giddings, Texas to Arthur Walch Sr. & Amanda (Meyer) Walch. Gene was united in marriage to Diane Suehs on December 17, 1978. In the 42 years they were married, they made their home a haven to their family. He worked hard in his 47 years of drywall, not knowing how to do a job slowly or how to take advantage of others. That heart and commitment could be seen in how he served his church – if the doors were open, he was there. His greatest joy in life was being a Popo to his four grandchildren, Emery 16, Ellie 13, Sam 8, and Maggie 6. Countless hours were spent with them gathering chicken eggs, feeding fish in the tank, tending his vegetable garden, and riding around in his old jeep looking for deer. He sacrificially delighted in finding ways to bless his family, including always being faithful to deliver the newspaper, dropping off a ripe watermelon, and filling bellies with ice cream. His big heart and gentle chuckle will be dearly missed.

With his wife Diane by his side, Gene finished his race and peacefully went home on Sunday, January 24, 2021.

Gene was preceded in death by his parents.

He is survived by his wife, Diane Walch of Lexington; his daughter, Amber Brockenbush & her husband, Phil of Lexington; his son, Lance Walch & his wife, Jennifer of Lexington; his four grandchildren, Emery Brockenbush and Ellie Brockenbush and Sam Walch and Maggie Walch all of Lexington; four brothers, Wayne Walch & his wife, Diana of Lexington, Dennis Walch & his wife, Norma of Lincoln, Larry Walch & his wife, Norma of Houston, and Arthur Walch Jr. of Houston, as well as several nieces, nephews, and friends.

Pallbearers will be Bradley Patschke, Craig Walch, Troy Walch, Joshua Walch, Jordan Walch, and Jacob Suehs.

Memorials may be made to Trinity Lutheran Church in Old Dime Box or to the charity of one's choice.

Cemetery Details

St. John Lutheran Cemetery

8417 FM 141
Dime Box, TX 77853

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **26**. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
3950 East Austin St.
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Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Gene Allen Walch*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - January 25, 2021 at 09:54 PM

CS

“ *So sorry for your loss.
Love, David, Carol, and Christopher Schulz*



Carol Colleen Schulz - February 01, 2021 at 05:38 PM

MA

“ *Diane, I hold you and your family in my prayers. I'm asking the Father for His strength in you as you progress through this. I am so saddened to hear the news.*
Maggie

Maggie - January 27, 2021 at 12:49 PM

OD

“ Our deepest sympathy to you Diane and all of your family. May God comfort you at this time.



Oranell Dunk - January 26, 2021 at 10:25 PM

JG

“ Prayers and sympathy are sent your way to you and your family. Hugs.
Janice and Gary



Janice and Gary - January 26, 2021 at 08:15 PM

RS

“ Praying for comfort and peace. Gene was a wonderful gentleman and we will all miss him.

Rose Stoermer - January 26, 2021 at 06:42 PM

BB

“ MY UTMOST, HEARTFELT CONDOLENCES TO THE ENTIRE WALCH FAMILY. PRAYING FOR ALL OF YOU AT THIS MOST DIFFICULT TIME!! BETH BRATTON

BETH BRATTON - January 26, 2021 at 05:30 PM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Gene Allen Walch.*



January 26, 2021 at 04:30 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Gene Allen Walch.*



January 26, 2021 at 03:32 PM



“ *8 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - January 26, 2021 at 03:13 PM



“ *Darlene Hosea Oltmann lit a candle in memory of Gene Allen Walch*



Darlene Hosea Oltmann - January 26, 2021 at 02:19 PM

GI

“ *Prayers for the entire family. Gene was a great buddy, husband, father, and grandfather.*



Gary and Beverly Iselt - January 26, 2021 at 01:47 PM

CW

“ *Dear family, I am so sorry for your loss. Hold on to the good memories. Praying for peace for all of you. May God wrap you in his arms and be with you through the times ahead and give you His grace.*

Connie Ward - January 26, 2021 at 12:56 PM

TF

“ *Our condolences to you Diane, your children, and grandchildren, on the loss of your husband, daddy, and popo. Prayers for you all. Sherwood and Janet Frosch*

The Frosch's - January 26, 2021 at 11:14 AM

ND

“ Our sincere condolences to Diane and the Walch family.
Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.



Nancy and Chris Delcastilho - January 26, 2021 at 10:07 AM

DL

“ To Diane, Amber & Phil, Lance & Jennifer, and all of Gene's precious grandkids, we will always remember Gene fondly and are so sorry for the loss that you're enduring. You and the whole Walch family will remain in our thoughts and prayers. - Debbie, Jack, and Jake LaPenta

Debbie LaPenta - January 26, 2021 at 08:38 AM

CM

“ We've known eachother for years! Worked everyday together for a few years, I'M GONNA MISS YOU BUDDY!!! I know your not hurting now! Love COTTONR.I.P. Gene



cotton & suzanna Medack - January 26, 2021 at 08:34 AM



“ Bountiful European Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Gene Allen Walch.



January 26, 2021 at 08:23 AM



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Yellow and White was purchased for the family of Gene Allen Walch.



January 26, 2021 at 12:42 AM



“ Sincere condolences to family and friends. May God comfort you all at this most difficult time.

SINCERELY Cheryl Friedrich Iselt Sanders



Cheryl Friedrich Iselt Sanders - January 26, 2021 at 12:22 AM



“ Fields of Europe for Spring was purchased for the family of Gene Allen Walch.



January 25, 2021 at 11:39 PM

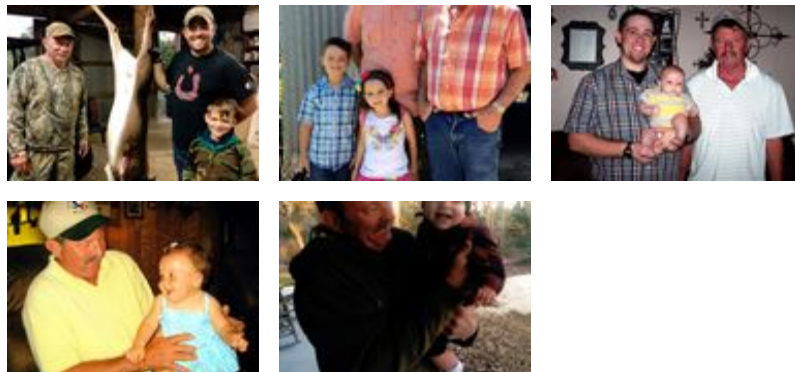


“ Kathy and I send our sympathy and prayers 🙏 to the entire Walch Family. May God be with everyone at this time 🙏 Harvey & Kathy Roensch

Harvey and Kathy Roensch ❤️ - January 25, 2021 at 10:05 PM



“ 74 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



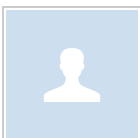
Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - January 25, 2021 at 09:45 PM

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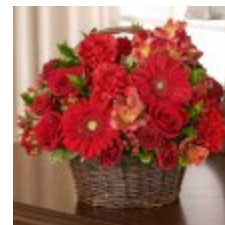
“ Dale And Lisa Belmont lit a candle in memory of Gene Allen Walch



Dale and Lisa Belmont - January 25, 2021 at 09:43 PM



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All Red was purchased for the family of Gene Allen Walch.



January 25, 2021 at 09:41 PM