



Jerry Wade Jaeger

October 17, 1968 - September 6, 2023

Jerry Wade Jaeger, 54, of New Braunfels, passed away on Wednesday, September 6, 2023 at his home in New Braunfels. A funeral will be held at 2:00 pm on Sunday, September 10, 2023 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Thorndale. Pastor Schaller will be officiating. Burial will follow in Thorndale City Cemetery. Family and friends are invited to the church hall for a meal following the burial. Visitation will be held from 2:00 – 4:00 pm at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale. Serving as pall bearers will be Mike Jonas, Wes Simpson, Orlando Vargas, Rick Cardenas Sr., Jimmy Jones, and Brady Nelson. Honorary pallbearers are Eugene Cox and Tommy McCormick. Jerry was born on October 17, 1968 to John Lee and Joyce Alma (Schlather) Jaeger in New Braunfels. He was raised in Rockdale and graduated from Rockdale High School in 1987. He attended Tarleton State University where he played football and earned a Business Degree. He worked in construction, starting in the early 1990's until June of 2022. He enjoyed steer and calf roping, but mainly team roping with his brother, he was also a steer dogger. He along with his brother Jimmy trained horses for the Travis County Sherriff's Office Mounted Unit. He loved playing and watching football. He enjoyed fishing at the Coast and was notorious for forgetting the plugs. He also enjoyed both dove and deer hunting. He was very kind and had a big heart, he had a hard time telling anyone no and would give you the shirt off his back. He will be deeply missed by all who knew him. He is preceded in death by his paternal and maternal grandparents; and his

brother, Jimmy Jaeger.

Jerry is survived by his parents, John and Joyce Jaeger; daughter, Chelsea Christ and husband Caleb, Sr. of Gonzales, LA; grandson, Caleb Christ, Jr.; sister, Jennifer Ramirez and husband Aaron of Thorndale; niece and nephew, Nicholas and Alayna Ramirez; aunts and uncles, Albert and Beverly Schlather, Cecilia and Albert Robertson, and David Jaeger; as well as numerous cousins and friends.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Texas Wildlife Association, 6644 FM 1102, New Braunfels, TX 78132.

Cemetery Details

Thorndale City Cemetery

1341 County Road 437
Thorndale, TX 76577

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **9**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale
1041 West Highway 79
Rockdale, TX 76567
(512) 446-5454
phillips_luckey@yahoo.com
<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

Funeral Service

SEP **10**. 2:00 PM (CT)

St. Paul Lutheran Church - Thorndale
101 N. 3rd Street
Thorndale, TX 76577

Tribute Wall



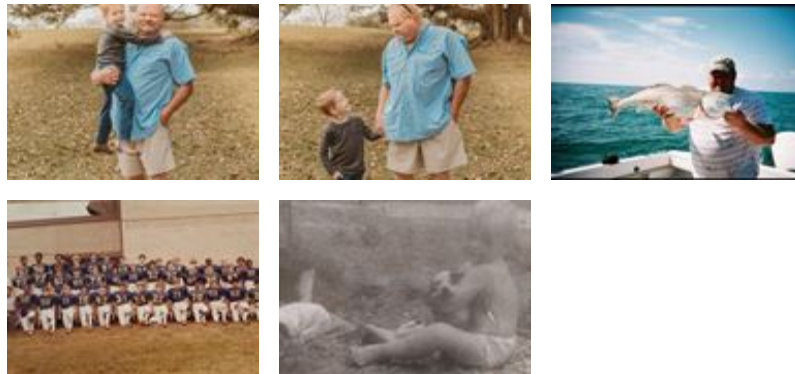
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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jerry Wade Jaeger.

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“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jerry Wade Jaeger.*



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“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jerry Wade Jaeger.*



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“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jerry Wade Jaeger.*



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“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Jerry Wade Jaeger.*



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“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Jerry Wade Jaeger.*



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