

Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Wayne Bettin

May 1, 1946 - November 20, 2022

A graveside service for Kenneth Bettin, 76 of Giddings, Texas, is scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Monday, November 28, 2022 at the Rosenberg Cemetery in Rosenberg, Texas with Tim Pitts officiating. Visitation will be held on Sunday, November 27, 2022 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and on Monday, November 28, 2022 from 8:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. at Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. The Bettin family will be present for visitation Sunday from 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Kenneth Wayne Bettin was born on May 1, 1946 in Richmond, Texas, the son of Bennie Bettin and Jeanetta (McKennon) Bettin. Ken's maternal aunt and uncle, Elizabeth and Arthur Schneider, played a very important role in his life and helped to raise him into the man that he was. Cousins Linda Knox, Jerry Schneider and Cheryl Supak served as siblings throughout his lifetime and gave him a family. After graduating from high school, he attended Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos and was a member of the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity. He attended St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church in La Grange. On December 12, 1970, he married Linda Luthringer in Karnes City. They had three children, Jennifer, Kori, and Brian. Kenneth was employed as a sales manager for Michelin Tire Company for 17 years before working 10 years at the Texas Youth Commission at The Giddings State School where he retired. He was an avid gun collector and loved hunting trips down to south Texas with family and enjoyed playing golf and fishing. He was probably most

known for his sense of humor and fun personality. He never missed an opportunity to enjoy life.

Kenneth passed away the evening of Sunday, November 20, 2022 at St. Mark's Medical Center in La Grange.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Bennie & Jeanetta Bettin; his sister, Donna Bettin, and his aunt and uncle who raised him, Arthur & Elizabeth Schneider.

Kenneth is survived by his three children, Jennifer Zaragoza of San Antonio, Kori Vaughn & her husband, Josh of Flower Mound, and Brian Bettin & his wife, Natalie of Fulshear; eight grandchildren, Nicholas, Arianna & Alania Zaragoza all of San Antonio, Hudson and Raylon Vaughn both of Flower Mound, and Brady, Mason, & Audrey Bettin all of Fulshear, and three cousins who he considered more like his sisters and his brother, Cheryl Supak & her husband, Jody of La Grange, Linda Knox of Houston, and Jerry Schneider & his wife, Teresa of La Grange.

Pallbearers will be Brian Bettin, Josh Vaughn, Jerry Schneider, Jody Supak, and Walter Kieschnick.

Memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

Cemetery Details

Rosenberg Cemetery

Avenue D and Brazos Street
Rosenberg, TX 77471

Previous Events

Family Present for Visitation

NOV 27. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Phillips and Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
3950 East Austin Street
Giddings, TX 78942

Visitation

NOV 27. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

NOV 28. 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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Graveside Service

NOV **28**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



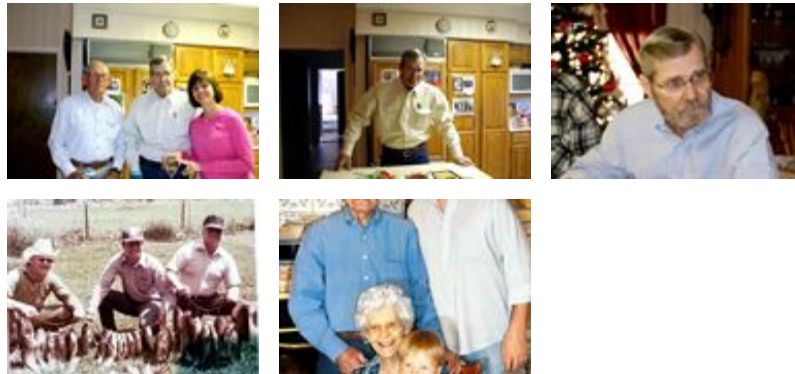
“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Wayne Bettin*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - November 27, 2022 at 04:31 PM



“ *40 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - November 27, 2022 at 04:21 PM

ME

“ *Say hi to Sam for me! We ran together for 56 years! Many good times and as in any life a few not so good! I look forward to seeing both of y'all! Daddy boy, go fast and go long. Oh, how I remember those days!* 🙌🙌😭

Michael Edge - November 27, 2022 at 01:14 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Wayne Bettin.*



November 26, 2022 at 05:46 PM



“ *Kenneth was a friend of mine through school in Rosenberg. We shared a few adventures. I can still hear his laugh. My condolences to you. Alice Graves Liles*

Alice Liles - November 26, 2022 at 10:40 AM



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Wayne Bettin.*



November 23, 2022 at 02:14 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Wayne Bettin.*



November 23, 2022 at 10:43 AM

DD

“ Duane and Linda DuBose. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Wayne Bettin.



Duane and Linda DuBose. - November 23, 2022 at 10:10 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Wayne Bettin.



November 22, 2022 at 10:01 PM

LK

“ I am so sorry for your loss.

Laurie Kubiak - November 22, 2022 at 06:39 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Wayne Bettin.



November 22, 2022 at 05:58 PM

RR

“ Diddy Boy you will always be my big brother. Not only in the LXA fraternity at SWT but forever. Love ya. Rick Riggs

Rick Riggs - November 22, 2022 at 05:08 PM

CE

“ *Crescent Energy purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Wayne Bettin.*



Crescent Energy - November 22, 2022 at 03:00 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Wayne Bettin.*



November 22, 2022 at 02:43 PM

CK

“ *You are in our thoughts and prayers during this time. May he rest in peace.*
- The Kana Family



Christine Kana - November 22, 2022 at 12:11 PM

RS

“ *You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Rebecca Sherrill - November 22, 2022 at 09:56 AM

PS

“ *Pam Sanders lit a candle in memory of Kenneth "Diddy Boy" Bettin.*



Pam Sanders - November 21, 2022 at 10:29 PM

EH

“ *Mr.Bettin was a great person and co-worker.Also had positive advice and wisdom.Prayers and condolences to the family.*



Earselen Harris - November 21, 2022 at 03:56 PM