



Lorenz Martin Schimank

December 15, 1923 - September 3, 2015

Funeral services for Lorenz Schimank, 91 of Giddings, are scheduled for 10:30 a.m. on Monday, September 7, 2015 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Giddings with Rev. Robert Tiner officiating. Burial, with military honors provided by the Giddings American Legion York Post 276, will follow in the Giddings City Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Sunday, September 6, 2015 from 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. and on Monday, September 7, 2015 from 7:00 a.m. until 9:00 a.m. at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. The family will be present for visitation Sunday evening from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Lorenz Martin Schimank was born on December 15, 1923 in Fedor, Texas to Emil & Martha (Becker) Schimank. He was baptized on December 25, 1923 at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Fedor by Rev. William Seidel and was confirmed on April 10, 1938 also at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Fedor by Rev. A.F. Michalk. His confirmation verse was Romans 5:1, "Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ." He began serving in the U.S. Army on July 25, 1944 and received his Honorable Discharge on June 20, 1946 having obtained the rank of Corporal. Lorenz was united in marriage to Ruth Margarete Kappler on November 10, 1946 at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Fedor by Rev. Paul G. Brust. He worked for Cargill Nutrena in Giddings for many years and was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church. Lorenz enjoyed gardening, taking care of his cattle, playing dominoes and hunting and fishing. He lived for his grandchildren and great

grandchildren and was proud of the individuals they had each become.

Lorenz passed away the evening of Thursday, September 3, 2015 at his home in Giddings.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Emil & Martha Schimank; his wife of 66 years, Ruth Schimank; his daughter, Frances Krause and four brothers, Edmund Schimank & his wife, Clara, Edgar Schimank & his wife, Lydia, Winfred Schimank and Victor Schimank & his wife, Mary.

Lorenz is survived by his two daughters, Helen Simmons of Bastrop and Nancy Handrick & her husband, Charles of Buda; five grandchildren, Justin Krause & his wife, Meri of Buda, Nick Simmons & his wife, Amy of Windsor, Colorado, Keith Handrick & his wife, Maranda of Buda, Marcus Krause & his wife, Tacy of Buda and Stacy Woolery & her husband, R.C. of Liberty Hill; nine great grandchildren, Jordyn & Dylan Becker of Windsor, Colorado, Hunter & Brooke Krause of Buda, Makensie & Balen Handrick of Buda, Madison & R.C. Woolery of Liberty Hill and Brynnley Krause of Buda; two brothers, Gilbert Schimank & his wife, Dorothy of Lexington and Clarence Schimank & his wife, Jane of Fedor; one sister-in-law, Elsie Schimank of Giddings as well as numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Serving as pallbearers will be Justin Krause, Marcus Krause, Keith Handrick, R.C. Woolery, Nick Simmons and Charles Handrick.

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

The Schimank family would like to also thank Lorenz's caregivers, Maribel, Idalhia, Isamar and Rena who lovingly took care of him.

Cemetery Details

Giddings City Cemetery

900 West Austin Street
Giddings, TX 78942

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 6. 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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

SEP 7. 7:00 AM - 9:00 AM (CT)

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Church Service

SEP 7. 10:30 AM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church
300 North Grimes Street
Giddings, TX 78942

Tribute Wall

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. May you find strength through God's love during the days to come. Lorenz will be remembered by all the lives' he touched throughout the years'. He was a shining star.*

*God Bless,
Mike and Tammy Jackson*



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*Dear Friends,
You are in our thoughts and prayers! Heavenly comfort in our Lord Jesus! Love, Frances and Families*

Frances Mutscher - September 06, 2015 at 07:57 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Lorenz Martin Schimank.*



September 04, 2015 at 07:12 PM