



## Wally R. Baban

March 24, 1968 - January 22, 2019

Funeral services for Wally R. Baban, age 50 of Cedar Park, formerly of Rockdale are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Sunday, January 27, 2019 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale, with Rev. Stephen Ammons officiating. Burial will follow in the Minerva Cemetery in Minerva, Texas. Visitation will also be Sunday, January 27th, from 11:00 a.m. until service time at 2:00 p.m.

Wally Baban, was born March 24, 1968 in Baghdad, Iraq to Shirley Adell (Carey) and Riadh Baban. They came to Rockdale where he attended Rockdale High School. He received his Bachelor's of Fine Arts degree from Southwest Texas University in San Marcos. He later moved to Cedar Park and for the past 11 years was owner and operator of 620 Motorsports in Austin.

On Tuesday, January 22, 2019, he passed away at his home in Cedar Park. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, Raymond and Mildred Hubert; paternal grandparents, Suad and M. Ali Baban and two uncles, Ben Carey and Noble "Pete" Hubert.

Surviving Wally are his children, son, Cole Baban and daughter Carli Baban both of Cedar Park; his mother, Shirley and Frank Rogers of Rockdale; father, Riadh Baban of Rockdale; brothers, Nathan Baban and wife Michelle and Adil Baban all of Rockdale; sisters, Zena Caldwell and husband Cody of Rockdale and Rana Baban of Round Rock; nephews, Christian Carrasco and Tyler

Caldwell of Rockdale; niece, Trinity Baban of Rockdale and his aunt, Beverly Hubert McComb of Galveston.

Pallbearers are, Cody Caldwell, Tommie Pounders, Steve Johnson, Michael Raski, Bruce Johnson, Daniel Denton and honorary pallbearers are, Christian Carrasco and Tyler Caldwell.

# Cemetery Details

## Minerva Cemetery

761 County Road 232 Loop  
Minerva, TX 76567

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 27. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale  
1041 West Highway 79  
Rockdale, TX 76567  
(512) 446-5454  
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## Chapel Service

JAN 27. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Wally R. Baban*



**Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home** - January 26, 2019 at 03:41 PM

NM

*Rest in peace Sir. God bless your family and ease their pain and grief.*

**Normie Jean Mareth** - January 28, 2019 at 07:02 AM



“ *Can't believe it's been 3 years today without you. You were truly my best friend, my dad, my everything. I miss you so incredibly much more and more everyday. I love you to infinity and beyond as we always used to say. I would do anything to watch a simple movie with you again or even a small trip to HEB. Memories I will never forget are when we used to watch house flippers, and tons of horror movies, and let's not forget all the funny movies. When you would beg me to go to HEB with you, when you would beg me to go get some rocky road before we watched our favorite show Breaking Bad. Or even when you would beg me to scratch your back even though I always knew you would just fall asleep. Those are some of the memories I will never forget. Forever my best friend and my dad.*

*Until we see each other again,  
Your loving daughter*

**Carli Baban** - January 22, 2022 at 05:23 PM

MA

“ My name is Mark Ames. I met Wally and Nathan at a place called The Castle Southern California. I was a 19 year old kid who had just joined the Navy and I met these guys and play Pinball with them on weekends. These guys went out on aircraft carrier with me back around 1980. I lost track of the boys for 30 years until finding Wally on Facebook in 2009. We spoke a few times on the phone but never did reconnect in person and since I got rid of Facebook a few years ago I really had not known what's been going on with him. This evening I decided to Google his name and see where he is and what's going on and I came across his obituary. I am deeply saddened. To all of Wally's family and his beautiful children I am so terribly sorry for your loss.

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**Mark Ames** - March 03, 2019 at 06:36 PM



As his daughter, this really does mean a lot. Thank you. 💕

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**Carli Baban** - January 22, 2022 at 05:12 PM



“ Sending my condolences out to the family. My heart broke after finding out about Wally passing and will be for sometime to come. Wally you will always be in my heart along with all the memories of the times we shared together. He will be missed by my wife Kimberly and I dearly! Till we meet again my friend. Blair LeNoir & Kimberly LeNoir

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**Blair LeNoir** - January 27, 2019 at 02:31 PM

KB

“ My sincere condolences to Cole, Carli, Staci, and Wally's family. Wally was a part of my life for many years. Will forever cherish the good times.

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**Kendal Buccieri** - January 27, 2019 at 12:55 AM

SW

“ Thoughts and Prayers to Cole, Carli and all of the family. Wally will be missed by all.

Stacey Wheeler - January 26, 2019 at 05:27 PM



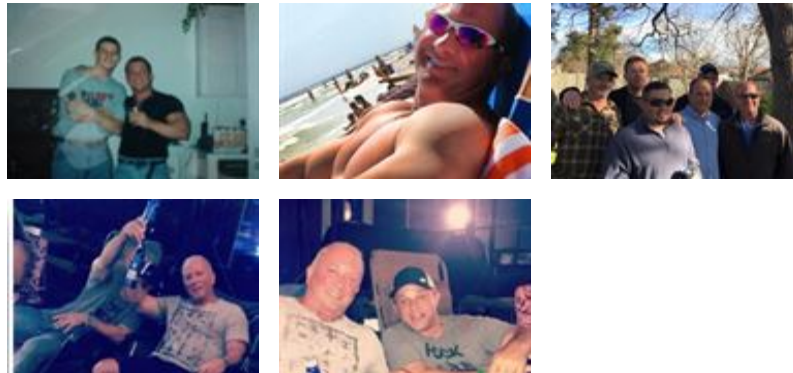
“ Ghirardelli & Fruit Condolences Gift Basket was purchased for the family of Wally R. Baban.



January 26, 2019 at 03:22 PM



“ 71 files added to the album LifeTributes



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - January 26, 2019 at 02:13 PM

LL

“ We love you Wally and are praying for peace for Staci and the kids.

leah limball - January 26, 2019 at 01:45 PM

SB

“ Wally was always smiling and always seem to be in good spirits. The memories I have if Wally are when Wally, Staci, Cole and Carli would come to Aunt Faye’s on Christmas Eve. He always made us laugh and always had a story to tell.he had a smile that could light up a room and he will be dearly missed.

Sandra Bienski - January 26, 2019 at 11:39 AM

CB

“ Zena and family,  
God bless you all. You are in our thoughts  
and prayers.



Charles and Gaye Blabd - January 26, 2019 at 07:44 AM

BB

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all.  
Cole and Carlie...big ((hugs)) to you both.  
I remember your daddy with a smile always  
on his face..

Much love  
Nurse Barbara Burnett(Cypress Elementary)



Barbara Burnett - January 26, 2019 at 12:35 AM

 Debbie  
Morgan

“ Debbie Morgan lit a candle in memory of  
Wally R. Baban



Debbie Morgan - January 25, 2019 at 04:47 PM

TD

“ My most heartfelt sympathies to all of Wally's family and friends! He was and will always be remembered by me as one of my absolute best friends. He added such a great depth and wonderful color to my life and I'm sure to all those that were fortunate enough to have known him well! I'm truly in disbelief and my heart hurts knowing that part of my life will from here forward be missing...

*Thanks for all the great memories and I will always miss you my treasured friend !*

*Tim Derryberry*

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**Timothy Derryberry** - January 25, 2019 at 02:32 PM

SA

*Thank you, Tim. You and Wally go way back! He cared about you so much!*

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**staci angel** - January 25, 2019 at 06:09 PM

CF

“ A life taken way too soon. May the memories you made together provide you comfort during this difficult time. Sending hugs & prayers to the Baban family & friends.

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**Carol Marek Faulder** - January 25, 2019 at 11:02 AM

CC

“ I had the pleasure when I first started in the Car Business for Champion Autoplex to learn under Wally who was a natural with people and such a fun guy to work with. He made us laugh and enjoy our long hot days of selling Iron. He will be sorely missed and loved by all his friends. Thanks, Wally for your great friendship.

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**Clive Crawford** - January 25, 2019 at 10:50 AM



*he always knew how to lighten up any situation didn't he.*

**Carli Baban** - January 22, 2022 at 05:15 PM



“ *Thoughts and prayers to all the Baban family, and loved ones. So very sorry for your loss !!! 🙏🙏🙏*

*Jack and Marcia Bastow*

**Marcia Bastow** - January 25, 2019 at 10:34 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss. I'll keep your family in my prayers.*

**Debbie McIrvine** - January 25, 2019 at 05:16 AM



“ *Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. We are so very sorry for you loss.*

**Mike & Beckie Zelisko** - January 24, 2019 at 06:29 PM



“ *Sending prayers and condolences for the Baban family. God Bless You 🙏🙏🙏❤️*



**Lori M.** - January 24, 2019 at 06:08 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for he loss of Wally,he was a good friend,love to Shirley,an the rest of the family❤️*

**Debra Travis** - January 24, 2019 at 05:47 PM



“ *Thinking of you all during this difficult time thoughts are with the family many hugs sent your way i'm so sorry.*



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**Lora Cornelius** - January 24, 2019 at 03:55 PM