

James Travis Burnside

February 28, 1932 - March 7, 2014

Services for James Travis Burnside will be held at Trinity Church 7002 Canton Tuesday 11:00am with private graveside services to follow. An honor guard from the Lubbock Fire Department will be provided. Friends and family will gather Monday at Sanders Funeral Home 1420 Main, Lubbock, TX on March 10 from 6:30-8:00pm. Travis was born in McKinney, TX February 28, 1932. His parents were Maude & Vel Stanley and Poppa and Granny Johnson. He was married to Mary Abercrombie for 47 years. His children include Ed Burnside of Riverside CA, Rickey Burnside, now deceased and wife Carla of Ponder TX, Rhonda & Larry Shively of Flower Mound TX, Kate and Mike Byerley of Lubbock, and Lee Burnside, of Lubbock. Travis also is survived by eight grandchildren, eleven great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

Travis moved to Lubbock in the 40's, graduated from Lubbock High School, and began his career on the Lubbock Fire Dept. in 1953, moving up the ranks to District Chief in 1973. He retired in 1990 with 36 years. During this time he was involved in the Muscular Dystrophy serving as president in 1978 & 1979, was awarded the Community Service Award from Lubbock Chamber of Commerce in 1976, and served on the pension board and was a member of the International Firefighters Association. Travis also operated Burnside Construction, and built custom homes for many different local builders including Congressman Randy Neugebauer. After retirement, Travis enjoyed

fishing, traveling with Mary and their beloved dog Annie.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 10. 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Sanders Funeral Home
1420 Main Street
Lubbock, TX 79401
(806) 763-6433
director@sandersfuneralhome.com
<https://www.sandersfuneralhome.com>

Celebration of Life

MAR 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

Trinity Church
7002 Canton Ave
Lubbock, TX 79413
<http://www.trinitytoday.com>

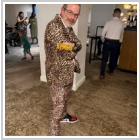
Tribute Wall

JR

“ *Kristy - My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I'm very sorry for your loss!*

Joanna Richards

Joanna Richards - March 12, 2014 at 05:10 PM



“ *Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Proverbs 3:5*

Russ Johnson - March 11, 2014 at 02:08 PM

AH

“ *Kristy,
We are praying for you and your family during this difficult time as you remember the wonderful man your grandfather was and celebrate his life.*

Amy Holloway

Amy Holloway - March 11, 2014 at 08:29 AM

MW

“ *Kristy,
You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this time.
God Bless*

Michele Walton

Michele Walton - March 11, 2014 at 08:24 AM

WN

“ *My deepest condolences to you, Kristy, and to your family in your loss! I pray that you all will experience the peace of the Lord during this difficult time as you celebrate the life of your grandfather!*
Wyatt Nagel



Wyatt Nagel - March 11, 2014 at 08:23 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James Travis Burnside.*



March 10, 2014 at 11:34 AM