



Orland Gilbert, Jr.

September 20, 1934 - June 17, 2021

Orland Gilbert, 86, of Lubbock, died Thursday, June 17, 2021, surrounded by loved ones.

Marvin Orland Gilbert, Jr was born September 20, 1934 in Tulia, Texas to Marvin Orland, Sr and Polly Stovall Gilbert. He graduated from Lockney High School in 1953 and then McMurry University in 1957, where he was also Student Body President.

Orland moved to Lubbock upon graduation, where he joined the accounting firm of Bolinger Segars in 1957. Orland became a CPA and a partner in the firm of Bolinger, Segars, Gilbert and Moss where he still had an office. Orland married his high school sweetheart Betty Johnson in Lockney, Texas on July 27, 1957. He was a member of St. Luke's United Methodist Church since 1959. Orland and Betty had three sons, Greg, Garry, and Gavin, and enjoyed spending time on South Padre Island and Possum Kingdom Lake. He was an avid fan of Texas Tech University sports, frequently attending games. Orland was a Trustee of McMurry University from 1998 to 2006, and was named a Trustee Emeritus in 2021. He was currently serving on the Board of Marion Moss Enterprises. He loved working with the firm's clients, and enjoyed getting together for breakfast with friends.

Orland is preceded in death by his parents; his cherished wife, Betty, a son,

Garry, in 1980, a granddaughter, Victoria, in 1995 and sister-in-law Rita Pollard. Surviving loved ones include, son and daughter-in-law, Greg and Gina Gilbert and grandsons, Garrett (fiancée, Elizabeth) and Grant of Lubbock; son and daughter-in-law, Gavin and Jennifer Gilbert of Granbury and granddaughter, Paige. His sister, Sue Miller, husband Bob and family, brother-in-law Tom Johnson, wife Dixie and family.

The memorial service for Orland Gilbert will be at 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at St. Luke's United Methodist Church with Rev. Matt Wolfington officiating. Private Interment will be at Resthaven Memorial Park.

Arrangements are under the direction of Sanders Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Betty and Orland Gilbert Endowed Scholarship, Office of Advancement, 1 McMurry University Box 938, Abilene, TX 79697; or Marion Moss Enterprises, 4001 MLK Blvd., Lubbock, TX 79404. The family will receive friends from 6 to 7:30 p.m. Monday, June 21, 2021 at Sanders Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Resthaven Memorial Park

5740 West 19th Street
Lubbock, TX 79416

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **21**. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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

Memorial Service

JUN **22**. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

St. Luke's United Methodist Church
3708 45th Street
Lubbock, TX 79413

Tribute Wall



“ Sanders Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Orland Gilbert, Jr.



Sanders Funeral Home - June 21, 2021 at 12:58 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Orland Gilbert, Jr..



June 22, 2021 at 08:27 AM



“ My name is Sue Johnston and I have worked for CADP/NISC for over 22 years. I met Orland when I started at CADP and they were our auditors. I have such fond memories of he and Betty, as they would travel with us for our January board meetings, and it was always a highlight for me to see them. I've kept in touch with Orland throughout the past years, and he will truly be missed at NISC. He was a wonderful, kind, and generous person. I know God has a special place for him as he reunites with Betty in heaven. God's blessings to his family.

Sue

Sue Johnston - June 21, 2021 at 02:55 PM

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“ I will always remember Orland and Betty as being so kind and so geniune. Just really good people. Orland is a great role model for us all.

Laura Burrescia - June 21, 2021 at 02:29 PM

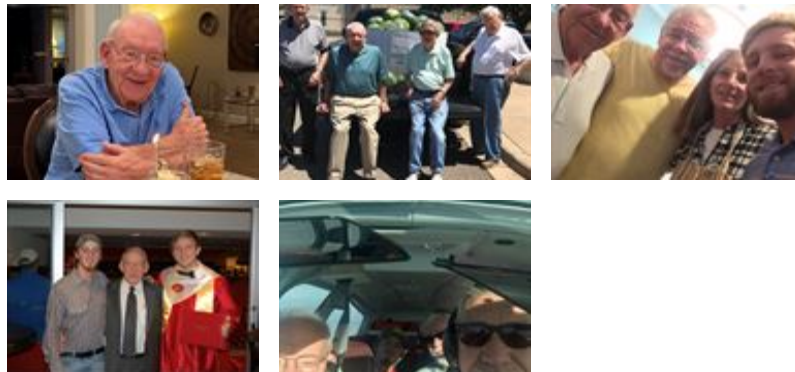
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“ Orland had many friends at McMurry University, and we will miss him greatly. What a wonderful role model he was to many, and he was the epitome of a servant leader. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family during this difficult time. God bless you all.

Nancy Smith - June 21, 2021 at 01:18 PM



“ 56 files added to the album Life Tributes



Sanders Funeral Home - June 21, 2021 at 12:54 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Orland Gilbert, Jr..



June 21, 2021 at 12:28 PM

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“ *Manager & Directors of Jasper-Newton Electric Coop purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Orland Gilbert, Jr..*



Manager & Directors of Jasper-Newton Electric Coop - June 21, 2021 at 10:33 AM

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“ *Dear loved ones of Orland Gilbert i would love for you to know your dad was a very special person to me he always had a special smile or very coverstion to hold when we spoke at our annual meeting or our Christmas party at Marion moss enterprises he gave me all of great heads up s on how to be a better person and i have become today yes Orland will be greatly missed by many at Marion moss enterprises i love you Orland you were always such a blessing to me i have yall in my prayers as yall go through such a tragedy love Brandye Davis*

Brandye Davis - June 19, 2021 at 04:36 PM

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“ *Gavin And Jenn Gulbert lit a candle in memory of Orland Gilbert, Jr.*



Gavin and Jenn Gulbert - June 19, 2021 at 02:28 PM