



## Rex Lewis Andrew

July 15, 1956 - May 15, 2018

Rex Andrew passed away peacefully on May 15th, 2018 after a long and arduous battle with both Colon Cancer and Early Onset Alzheimer's Disease. Born July 15th, 1956 in Atlanta Georgia and shortly thereafter moved to Texas with family, Rex graduated from the University of Texas in Austin with a degree in Broadcast Journalism. His exceptional career included serving as an intern for the United States Congress, as a journalist for the Navy, as a police officer for the Plano police department, a reporter for several radio and television stations including KHLB in Burnet Texas, KRBC in Abilene Texas and KYFO in Lubbock Texas. He was also a beloved weatherman in Abilene, Texas. Rex served as a Justice of the Peace in Abilene, Texas for many years and remained a lifelong servant leader by serving on numerous non-profit boards and committees. Rex was very devoted to three things in his life, His son, his country, and his faith. He is survived by his son Jonathan Taylor Andrew, Age 21 of Lubbock, Texas. His father Charles Andrew and his wife Kay Andrew of Conway Arkansas, and his brother Charles "Andy" Andrew of Atlanta, Georgia, as well as several other aunts and uncles. Preceding him in death is his mother Nell Bridges Andrew who he will joyfully reunite with in heaven. Services will be held at Christ the King Cathedral Church on May 18th at 10:00 a.m. with burial to follow at the Slaton Cemetery. In memory donations can be made to The American Cancer Society, South Plains Council Boy Scouts of America, or the Mental Health America Association of Abilene.



# Cemetery Details

## Englewood Cemetery

1100 N. 20th. St.  
Slaton, TX

# Previous Events

## Rosary

MAY 17. 7:00 PM (CT)

Sanders Memorial Chapel  
1420 Main Street  
Lubbock, TX 79401

## Mass

MAY 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

Christ The King Cathedral  
4011 54th Street  
Lubbock, TX 79413

# Tribute Wall



“ Sanders Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Rex Lewis Andrew



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**Sanders Funeral Home** - May 17, 2018 at 02:44 PM

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“ My sincere sympathies to Jonathan. Rex worked for me at KTAB TV doing weather for us. In 2001 the father of our corporate news director at the time worked at M.D. Anderson. She was able to get him connected to staff there and they got him in quickly for examinations which took place over the course of a week. Then surgery followed with a treatment after his local diagnosis. As I recall it was a 7 hour surgical operation to remove the cancer that had spread, there were 3 surgeons involved. Rex was a great father and employee.

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**Tom Vodak** - May 17, 2018 at 02:25 PM

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“ Rex was a very sweet person and always had a smile on his face. I had the privilege of being his Hospice Volunteer/ We had had many conversations about his life and his son who he loved very much. Rex is at peace and is now with God. Prayers go out to his family especially his son.



*Dianna Walker, Interim Hospice*

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**Dianna Walker** - May 16, 2018 at 11:22 PM



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