



Alan Murray Burton Jr.

October 13, 1955 - May 5, 2018

Alan Murray Burton, Jr., 62, of Houston passed away Saturday, May 5, 2018. Murray was born October 13, 1955 in Waco, Texas to Alan M. Burton, Sr. and Ann Park Burton. Murray is preceded in death by his sister, Katie Burton, aunt Sandra Mayfield Coleman, uncle John D. Mayfield III and uncle F. Herman Coleman. He is survived by his parents; sister, Terry Burton Kahn & husband David; brother, Joel Wade Burton, Sr; nieces and nephews, Kathryn Moreno, Cory Moreno, Joel Wade Burton, Jr.; aunt, Beth Mayfield; cousins, Laura Williams & husband Dale, John Miller Mayfield, Bill Coleman , Julie Luedke, John Lupton, Lallie Lupton, Emily Coleman, Cody Olson, Chris Luedke, James Raisanen & wife Clair.

If you knew Murray you knew he was the most giving, loving positive human on the planet. His soul, heart and love blessed us every day. Always living in the “now” he was a joy to be with smiling and laughing and just being Murray. He loved to attend Ascension Episcopal Church, go on the Ascension senior bus trips to visit new places, travel with his cousin Bill Coleman many wonderful destinations, go to Waco to visit family and friends, travel up and down Westheimer on the city bus knowing the routes and schedules better than the MTA, drink his coffee and read the newspaper, country music, listen to his Sirius radio, sing, collect stuff, follow the Aggies, the Crimson Tide, Astros and Texans and a longtime member of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Murray will be missed by his loving family and the many friends at

Ascension, at the bus stops and at his favorite Walgreen store plus other places. Heaven is one member richer and the world is a much sadder place. He tried so hard to be brave and took it all like a champion.

This is what we know about Murray as stated in 2nd Timothy: chapter 4, verse 7

“I fought the good fight, I finished the race, I kept the faith”

> the above could never be truer about someone

The family wishes to thank Dr. John Levins and all the medical team and care givers for their care of Murray.

A Memorial Service celebrating Murray's life will be held Saturday, May 12, 2018 at 11:00 AM at Ascension Episcopal Church, 2525 Seagler Road, Houston, TX 77042. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Ascension Episcopal Church Endowment Fund, 100 Club of Houston, Center for Speech and Hearing or charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY 12. 11:00 AM (CT)

Ascension Episcopal Church
2525 Seagler Road
Houston, TX 77042

Tribute Wall



“ Alan Murray Burton Jr.

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ Alan Murray Burton Jr.

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ Alan Murray Burton Jr.

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



“ Alan Murray Burton Jr.

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM



“ very sorry to hear ofmurrays passing enjoyed working and being with himthe obituary was a tribute to murray our sonalan sends hiscondoleces also with regards murray schoendorf

murray schoendorf - May 14, 2018 at 05:08 PM



“ Allen & Brittany Kahn purchased the Sweet Since rity for the family of Alan Murray Burton Jr..




Allen & Brittany Kahn - May 10, 2018 at 12:26 PM

CA

“ I didn't really know Mr. Burton personally, but I did speak to him on the many occasions he was traveling from the Waco airport! I can remember he was always such a sweet and pleasant person and always so excited to be traveling to see his family. My thoughts and prayers for him and his family.

Candice - May 09, 2018 at 09:57 PM

 Michelle Feagin

“ Murray always had the joy of the Lord in his heart and shared it with everyone with his beautiful smile. When we did the school clothing drive at Ascension for the children of the Mission of Yahweh, he was so excited about giving a new pair of shoes for the child he sponsored. He kept talking about how much that child would enjoy those shoes. His beautiful spirit was elated with joy for that child. That moment was a true gift to me that I will cherish.



Michelle Feagin - May 09, 2018 at 10:04 AM

TK

He loved giving to those in need and volunteering.

Terry Kahn - May 09, 2018 at 05:48 PM

RS

“ So very sorry. He was a sweet and generous man with an open heart and a cheerful smile. He will be missed by many. Love and peace to all. Ruth Burns Sherlock

Ruth B Sherlock - May 08, 2018 at 02:01 PM

BC

“Murray, you were the best and most loving cousin anyone could ever wish for. You brought joy to my life.
I'm a better person by having you in my life. Thank you for being you!

Bill Coleman - May 07, 2018 at 09:46 PM