



Anthony Christopher (Tony) Hughes

November 30, 1940 - July 7, 2018

Tony Hughes passed away peacefully on July 7, 2018 in Houston TX.

Tony was born on November 30, 1940 in Darby, Pennsylvania to Joe and Helen Hughes. He earned his undergraduate degree from Saint Joseph's University and his master's degree from Temple University and spent his career working in the human resources industry for various companies in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Connecticut and Massachusetts. In his later years Tony began his second career teaching classes at universities in Boston, Philadelphia and Houston which he enjoyed very much. He was one of the first professors hired by the University of Phoenix when they opened a campus in Houston. For his entire life Tony loved painting as a hobby and he took classes and was a skilled painter in oils, water colors, and acrylics. Over the years Tony gave away many paintings as gifts to family members and friends and was always happy to create a painting for someone who requested one from a favorite photograph that they had. He enjoyed many wonderful trips with his wife Kathy as well as activities with his grandchildren. He was a friend of Bill for over 22 years. Tony was a beloved member of the community at Colonial Oaks in Houston, TX where he lived for the past two years.

Tony is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Kathy, and his children Chris Hughes of Johns Creek GA, Marianne Hughes of Mansfield, MA, Kathleen

Lyttleton, of Cypress TX, and Paul Hughes of Los Angeles, CA. In addition he is survived by his seven grandchildren, Colin, Lindsey & Meghan Hughes, Alyson and Anthony Jr Centrella and Jackson & Griffin Lyttleton. Tony is also survived by his sisters Kathleen McCollum of North Port, FL and Mary Ellen Aicher of Berlin, NJ, and many nieces and nephews.

Tony was preceded in death by his parents Joe & Helen Hughes and his brother Joe Hughes.

The family will welcome visitors on Monday, July 16 from 6PM to 8PM at the Dettling Funeral Home located at 14094 Memorial Drive, Houston, TX 77079. There will be a funeral mass on Tuesday, July 17 at 10.30AM at St. John Vianney Church located at 625 Nottingham Oaks Trail, Houston, TX 77079 and a reception to follow. Following the reception, a committal service will take place at the Immaculate Conception Cemetery in Sealy Texas.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that a donation be made to The Council on Recovery online at www.councilonrecovery.org.

Cemetery Details

Immaculate Conception Cemetery

811 Main Street
Sealy, TX 77474

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 16. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Dettling Funeral Home
14094 Memorial Drive
Houston, TX 77079
(281) 497-2121
david@dettlingfuneral.com

Vigil Service

JUL 16. 7:00 PM (CT)

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14094 Memorial Drive
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Funeral Mass

JUL 17. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. John Vianney Catholic Church
625 Nottingham Oaks Trail
Houston, TX 77079
(281) 497-1500

Reception

JUL 17. 11:30 AM (CT)

St. John Vianney Catholic Church
625 Nottingham Oaks Trail
Houston, TX 77079
(281) 497-1500

Graveside Service

JUL 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

Immaculate Conception Cemetery
811 Main Street
Sealy, TX 77474

Tribute Wall



“ Anthony Christopher (Tony) Hughes

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ Anthony Christopher (Tony) Hughes

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ Anthony Christopher (Tony) Hughes

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



“ Anthony Christopher (Tony) Hughes

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM



“ Please accept my family's heartfelt condolences. May you find peace in fond memories of them, and comfort in God's promise, to soon, "swallow up death forever" and awaken those asleep in death.

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“ Tony I am a better man for knowing you . Loved you and your art!

Acts Brother

Jim Birdsong

Jim Birdsong - July 14, 2018 at 09:27 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Anthony Christopher (Tony) Hughes.



July 14, 2018 at 03:23 PM



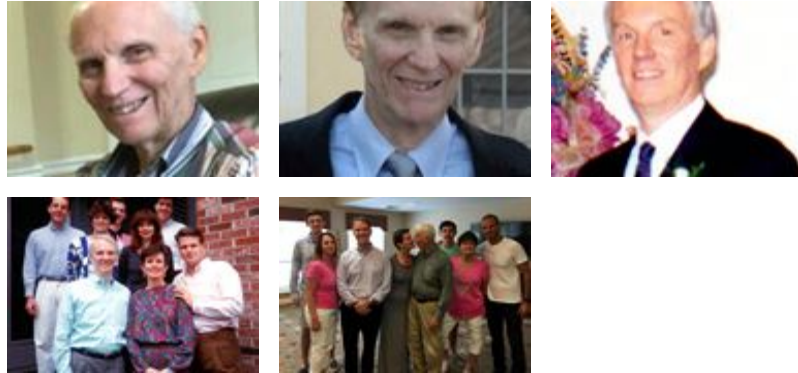
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Dettling Funeral Home - July 13, 2018 at 04:27 PM



“ *I send my deepest sympathy to Tony's family!*
Louise Ross

Louise Ross - July 13, 2018 at 10:30 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Anthony Christopher (Tony) Hughes.*



July 12, 2018 at 12:36 PM