



George Armstrong Kirkpatrick

May 1, 1930 - September 21, 2022

George Kirkpatrick, 92, of Houston, Texas passed away in his home on September 21, 2022. George was born in Ann Arbor, Michigan on May 1, 1930 to Frances (née Sherk) and Roy Kirkpatrick. He graduated from St. Thomas High School and then enlisted in the US Army in 1948.

He served 6 years in Army as a Sargent First Class in the 11th Airborne at Fort Campbell, Kentucky and in the 511 Airborne Infantry Division and the 77th Special Forces Group Airborne later known as the Green Berets at Fort Benning, Georgia and Fort Bragg, North Carolina. Then on the GI Bill, he attended St. Joseph College in Rensselaer, Indiana for two years and transferred to the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor completing a BS in Geology.

George married Janet Kuebler in 1958. Together they moved to Bogota, Colombia where they had 2 children, Kathy and Susie. George worked as a geologist for Texaco in Bogota, and their family transferred back to the states in 1962 settling in Midland, Texas. George retired from Texaco in 1987. George, Janet, and Kathy moved to the Lost Pines of Bastrop, Texas where they built a log home and lived until 2021.

George enjoyed woodworking, fishing, hunting, and football. His favorite teams included the Dallas Cowboys and Michigan Wolverines! He also served

in the 3-N-1 Volunteer Fire Department in Bastrop County. George was an avid supporter of and volunteer for the Midland Association of Retarded Citizens, the Bastrop County Mental Retardation Association, the Down Syndrome Association of Central Texas, and Special Olympics.

George is survived by his wife Janet; daughter Susie of Friendswood, Texas; and many nieces and nephews across the country. He was predeceased in death by his daughter Kathy, his parents, and his two brothers, Bill and Ed Kirkpatrick.

At his request, no memorial services will be held. Next time you are out on the lake, think of George as you reel in that bluegill! Memorial donations may be made in George Kirkpatrick's name to the Down Syndrome Association of Central Texas or to your favorite animal charity.

Tribute Wall



“ *George Armstrong Kirkpatrick*

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



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October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ *George Armstrong Kirkpatrick*

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



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October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM



“ *Our very sincere condolences to Janet, Susie and relatives. George was a very unique individual with a gruff exterior and a heart of gold. He was my mentor, confidant, father figure and best friend. Yes he will be missed, but I will always carry with me the wonderful memories of good times shared together!*

Bill Burkett

Bill Burkett - September 23, 2022 at 09:09 PM

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My condolence to the family. Janet, I think about your family every day. I do have good memories of your family always. I love you ❤️

Karan Deeds

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