



## Richard Dale Dalton

July 11, 1938 - August 19, 2023

Richard D. Dalton went to be with his Lord on August 19, 2023. Dick was born on July 11, 1938, in Arlington, Texas. He was the youngest of 10 children born to Brit and Jessie Dalton. He graduated from Arlington High School, where he was a member of the DeMolays and the Key Club. He graduated from Texas A&M, class of 1960 in Architectural Construction. He was a member of the Aggie Singing Cadets. While he was at Texas A&M he met his wife of 61 years, Margie, who worked at the University. He served in both the Army and Air Force Reserves. After college, he also worked with young kids in Junior Achievement. He was employed by Mosher Steel Company for 40 years. He served as Vice President of sales which included contracts for the steel fabrication of many high-rise buildings, power plants and numerous steel bridges across the country, including the Houston ship channel bridge, Beltway 8 interchanges, and The World Trade Centers.

He and Margie enjoyed their time as youth leaders at Grace Presbyterian, where they have been members since 1974. Dick enjoyed playing tennis, golf, and fishing. For many years Dick and Margie enjoyed their season tickets cheering on their beloved Aggie football team. He mostly loved attending the many activities of his grandchildren. There was never an outing he didn't stop to tell a stranger one of his latest jokes. He is survived by his wife, Margie, son Keith and wife Donna, daughter Karen Koster and husband Lars, his grandchildren, Blake Dalton and wife Kayla, Brandon Dalton, Kirby Koster,

and Kendall Koster. He was fortunate to have enjoyed his first great grandchild Savannah Dalton.

A celebration of his life is planned for Tuesday, August 29, 2023, at 10:30 A.M. at Grace Presbyterian Church. A reception will follow. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Grace Presbyterian Church, 10221 Ella Lee, Houston, TX 77042.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

AUG **29**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Grace Presbyterian Church  
10221 Ella Lee Lane  
Houston, TX 77042

# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Dale Dalton*

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ *Richard Dale Dalton*

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ *Richard Dale Dalton*

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



“ *Richard Dale Dalton*

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Richard Dale Dalton.

August 29, 2023 at 11:03 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Dale Dalton.*



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“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Dale Dalton.*



August 28, 2023 at 04:20 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Richard Dale Dalton.*



August 26, 2023 at 01:26 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Richard Dale Dalton.*



August 24, 2023 at 08:56 AM



“ *Dick was always upbeat and fun to be around. He loved telling his jokes and making people laugh. We will miss him greatly.*

*Sincerest sympathy to Margie and the family,*

*Kaye & David Whisenhunt*

**Kaye Whisenhunt** - August 23, 2023 at 06:37 PM

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“ One of the nicest neighbors to have growing up in Houston. So kind to my parents who had very few close friends. I remember your big laugh and how you always made everyone feel welcome at your home. My prayers are with you now Margie , the kids and the beautiful family you and he made together. What a incredible legacy he leaves . Love, Paula Wiand Lindsey

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**Paula Lindsey** - August 23, 2023 at 02:33 PM

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“ My husband and I met Dick and Margie on a Viking Cruise on the Danube 🎉  
After the first night we had gathered 5 couples who partied and closed the lounge down every night the entire trip!  
Margie and I have maintained our friendship these past 6 years through a FB and phone calls.  
Every birthday I would tell them both” you never age”❤️  
My last call to Margie, she told me to just pray😭  
May Dick’s memory be a blessing to my Margie, his family and all who love  
Him.  
Much love,  
Adrienne and Jack Massey  
Atlanta , Ga

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**adrienne massey** - August 23, 2023 at 02:29 PM

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Chuck and I have so many great memories of Dick with Margie at parties, get-togethers, dinners out, etc. always was the life of the party. Condolences to the Dalton extended family. We know he will be greatly missed.  
Yvonne Dunkin.

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**yvonne dunkin** - August 24, 2023 at 11:58 AM