



Stephen Travis White

July 27, 1941 - December 5, 2024

Stephen Travis White, 83 of Houston, passed away peacefully on December 5th, surrounded by his loving family. He led a life dedicated to his family, faith and career.

Steve was born on July 27, 1941 in Centralia, IL to Travis and Virdie White and is preceded in death by his parents and brother Harold Ray White. He is survived by his wife Betty Ann, son Stephen “Adam” (Alison), daughter Stephani Ann (Walter), and son Zachary Travis (Melissa); as well as grandchildren Travis and Charlie White, Andrew Hunt, Julianna Hernandez (Nick), Madeline White and Emily White; and great-granddaughter Stella Hernandez.

Steve was raised in Houston and attended Austin High School. He was class President and had many friends that he continued to socialize with on a regular basis over the decades. He was chosen as “Teenager of the Year” in 1958 by the Houston Chronicle. Steve went on to graduate with a degree in Accounting from The University of Texas in Austin and then South Texas School of Law. He was a practicing attorney in Houston and member of the Texas Bar Association for 55 years.

Steve met his wife of 61 years, Betty Ann Boyett, when they both worked at TransCo when he was a junior in college. It was love at first sight for Steve

and he remained head over heels for Betty the rest of his life. They enjoyed traveling together and loved taking their kids on road trips around the country. He loved cars, especially Corvettes, going to car races including the Indy 500, college sports, and had a story to tell about everything

An avid sports fan and loyal Longhorn, Steve loved watching sports, especially basketball. He was often found on the field coaching his children's teams or in the stands cheering on his grandchildren. He was a passionate collector of Native American artifacts and took tremendous pride in telling the stories behind his acquisitions.

Steve was a devoted and loving husband, a proud father and adoring grand/great-grandfather. He had a wicked sense of humor and tried never to miss the chance to enjoy fried chicken or popcorn. He will be deeply missed and always remembered by all who loved him.

The family would like to thank the many doctors at Methodist Hospital, Memorial City Hospital and Miracle Medical Dialysis Clinic for their hard work, patience and love. Steve's journey lasted many years and it would not have been possible without them.

The family is holding a private graveside service and then welcome all guests to celebrate Steve's life at a Memorial Service held at Memorial Drive United Methodist Church (12955 Memorial Dr.) on Wednesday, December 18th at 2pm. Reception to follow in Wesley Hall.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the National Kidney Foundation.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 18. 2:00 PM (CT)

Memorial Drive United Methodist Church
12955 Memorial Drive
Houston, TX
<http://www.mdumc.org>

Reception to Follow Service

DEC 18. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DZ

“ Steve was one of my closest friends for more than 40 years. He taught me a lot about being a person, as well as, how to practice our profession. I will miss him greatly. David Ziegler

David Ziegler - December 18, 2024 at 10:46 AM

GL

“ Greg L. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephen Travis White.

Greg L. - December 17, 2024 at 01:52 PM

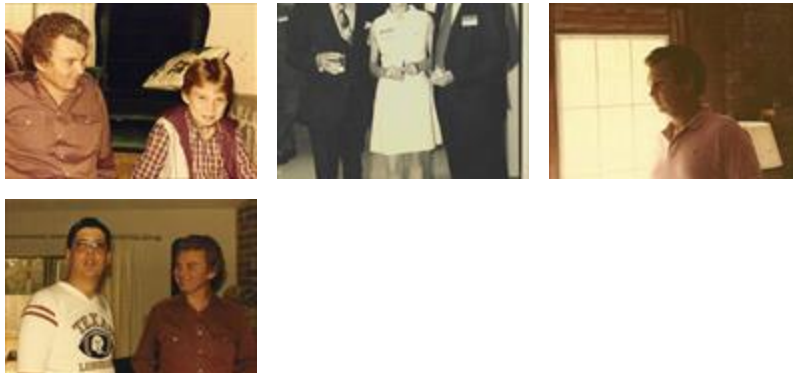
RP

“ Remembering all the good times we had through the years. Ray and Pat Prichard

Ray Prichard - December 17, 2024 at 11:52 AM

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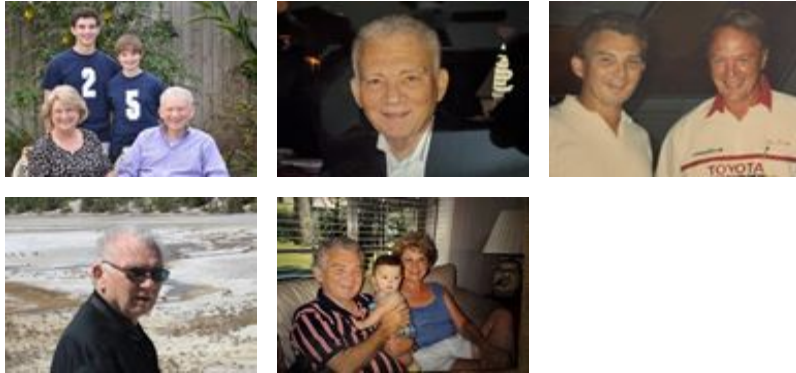
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Ray Prichard - December 17, 2024 at 11:38 AM



“ 173 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Detting Funeral Home - December 16, 2024 at 03:51 PM



“ *Dick and Cherry Hart purchased the Dawn of Remembrance Basket for the family of Stephen Travis White.*



Dick and Cherry Hart - December 15, 2024 at 09:02 PM



“ *Olivia and Joshua Bozarth purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Stephen Travis White.*



Olivia and Joshua Bozarth - December 14, 2024 at 07:31 PM

KP

“ Kevin P. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephen Travis White.

Kevin P. - December 14, 2024 at 02:20 PM



“ Rose Remembrance was purchased for the family of Stephen Travis White.



December 11, 2024 at 09:10 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Stephen Travis White.

December 11, 2024 at 09:10 PM

YF

“ Your Ambius Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Stephen Travis White.



Your Ambius Family - December 11, 2024 at 03:38 PM

MV

“ *Maria and Vira purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Stephen Travis White.*



Maria and Vira - December 11, 2024 at 03:31 PM

GD

“ *Gloria Dulworth purchased the Heavenly Grace Spray for the family of Stephen Travis White.*



Gloria Dulworth - December 11, 2024 at 10:11 AM

KA

“ *BETTY, I AM SO SORRY TO HEAR OF STEVEs PASSING.. I THINK OF THE TWO OF YOU OFTEN, AND ALWAYS WITH A SMILE... KAREN WALES*

KAREN - December 10, 2024 at 08:14 PM

KL

“ *Karen St. Laurent purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Stephen Travis White.*



Karen St. Laurent - December 10, 2024 at 05:27 PM