



Charles Lee Murphy

May 6, 1938 - July 20, 2021

Our dear father, Charles Lee Murphy was born in the little town of Sabinal on May 6th, 1938 to Gladys and Aubrey Murphy. Soon after, they moved to San Antonio and later to the family farm in St. Hedwig. He was a proud graduate of East Central High School, Class of 1956. Upon graduation he enlisted in the Air National Guard. In 1955 he met a sweet gal by the name of Jeanette Emily Brown at Terrell Wells Swimming Pool and they later attended her high school Prom in 1958. After dating for a few years, they were married in 1962. They bought their lifetime home in 1964 and soon filled it with the laughter of their children, Michael and Stephanie. They were happily married for 45 years until her sudden passing in 2007. Charlie, as he was known to his friends and family, continued to reside in this very home in Kirby, until his passing.

Papa was a career member of the Sheet Metal Workers, Local 67, for 60 years, having joined as an Apprentice. After working for several mechanical companies, he retired as a Mechanical Estimator with Mueller and Wilson, Inc. after 22 years. His work ethic was admirable and he passed that strong work ethic to his children and grandsons. Papa could fix anything. If his son Michael was stumped when fixing something, his wife Dina was quick to say, "Call Papa and ask him."

Papa loved to fish and hunt. Some of his favorite family times were spent enjoying the lake in Swinney Switch, where he built the family lake house. He passed this love of the water and camping to his children. He enjoyed the last several years of his life, taking in the summers in Rockport, with his daughter

Stephanie, in the family RV. His most favorite hunting buddy was his son Michael. They hunted white tail deer together each season, but his most favorite of all, were the last 4 years hunting at Michael & Dina's Ranchito near Bandera. This last season was especially special.

Our beloved Papa is survived by his loving daughter Stephanie, of San Antonio, who was the apple of his eye and his camping buddy, and his dear son Michael and his wife Dina, of Wimberley, and their two children, son Manny and his wife Paige, also of Wimberley, and son, Joseph, of San Antonio.

Papa was a man of few words, but of significant actions, that he used to show a deep love for his family.

We will all miss him so very much.

Papa was predeceased by his wife, Jeanette, his parents and his brothers, Byron and Roger.

Funeral Services are entrusted to Mission Park North, 3401 Cherry Ridge Drive, San Antonio, Tx. Visitation on Friday, July 23rd, from 6-8pm. Chapel Service on Saturday, July 24th, at 2pm. Interment will follow at Oakley Cemetery, 3460 Hardy Road.

The family would like to thank the medical professionals at Northeast Methodist Hospital, Park Lane West, and St. Gabriel's Hospice.

Go in peace, dear Papa...you are forever in our hearts.

Cemetery Details

Oakley Cemetery

3460 Hardy Rd
San Antonio, TX 78264

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **23.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge
3401 Cherry Ridge Dr
San Antonio, TX 78230
(210) 349-1414
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Celebration of His Life

JUL **24.** 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge
3401 Cherry Ridge Dr
San Antonio, TX 78230
(210) 349-1414
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Graveside Service

JUL **24.** 3:30 PM (CT)

Oakley Cemetery
3460 Hardy Rd
San Antonio, TX 78264

Tribute Wall



“ Tom and Harriet Phillips purchased the Pretty Ple
ase for the family of Charles Lee Murphy.



Tom and Harriet Phillips - July 23, 2021 at 01:15 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Charles Lee Murphy.



July 23, 2021 at 12:14 AM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the
family of Charles Lee Murphy.



July 22, 2021 at 08:59 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for
the family of Charles Lee Murphy.



July 22, 2021 at 06:10 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Charles Lee Murphy.*



July 22, 2021 at 12:25 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Charles Lee Murphy.*



July 22, 2021 at 10:32 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles Lee Murphy.*



July 21, 2021 at 08:02 PM