



## Ernest Ray Wade

October 16, 1945 - August 19, 2005

On Friday August 19, 2005 Ernest Ray Wade of San Antonio, Texas passed away at his home of a fatal heart attack. He is survived by his wife of 39 years Vicki Wade and his two daughters Kelli Wade Kirwan married to MSgt Charles Kirwan and Kerri Wade Volk married to Michael P. Volk. His family includes eight grandchildren: Victoria Kirwan, Wade Kirwan, Rebekah Kirwan, Joseph Kirwan, Hannah Volk, Samuel Kirwan, Adam Kirwan, and Tyler Volk. Ernest was a 1971 graduate of the University of Alabama and then went on to become a pilot in the United States Air Force where he served his country for over 20 years. He retired to San Antonio in 1988. Over his career he flew a number of fixed wing aircraft and remained a true patriot and supporter of the United States military until his death. A visitation will be held from 6:00 - 8:00 PM on Tuesday, August 23, 2005 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. A church service will be held on Wednesday August 24, 2005 at 11:00 AM at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints on UTSA Blvd. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Volunteer Services Council of SAS 5711 South New Braunfels San Antonio, TX 78223.

# Tribute Wall

YC

“ *My Deepest Sympathy to the family of Mr Wade. I was a student of his at Thomas Jefferson, class of 70, and also in his History Club. He was a great teacher and a great person to know! I will keep him in my prayers.*  
*Mrs Yolanda Casares*

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**Yolanda Molina Casares** - March 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM

HS

“ *My deepest sympathies are extended to all of you during this difficult time. I'm so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and I wish I could be there.*

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**Holly Winsett Snow** - August 24, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ *My condolences on your loss. My prayers are with you in this time of grief.*

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**Anne Margaret Winsett** - August 24, 2005 at 12:00 AM

FM

“ *Fred and I wish to express to you our most sincere condolences to your family over the loss of Ray. Vikki, please let us know if there is anything we can do to help - anytime - mom and dad Birch are thinking of you too - more than just neighbors - Fred an*

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**Fred and Susan Mayfield** - August 23, 2005 at 12:00 AM

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“ May I express to you my most sincere condolences to your family over the loss of Mr. Wade. Although I have known Mr. Wade for a short time his visits to the Lackland RAO were so pleasant and enjoyable. We shared many problems in our dealing with retirem

Robert A. Eakin - August 23, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Our deepest sympathies during this difficult time.

Stuart Shaw - August 23, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ I have such great memories of times spent with your family when I was young. Mr. Wade could always make me smile or laugh. My thoughts and prayers are with you. I'm so sorry for your loss. I wish I could be there with you at this time.

Tricia LaRo Couffer - August 23, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ Our deepest sympathies are extended to all of you in this difficult time. We are holding you close in our thoughts and in our prayers.  
Love,  
Paul, Sherry, Jordan, Jake & Madison

Sherry Frye-Harper - August 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM