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Retired San Antonio Police Department Detective Frank R. Corn, 72, passed away unexpectedly in the early hours of Sunday, January 5th, from complications following a heart attack. Born March 2nd, 1947 in Asheville, North Carolina, he was the son of the late CSM (ret) Bill and Janine M. Corn. As an “Army Brat,” he called many places home, Germany, where one of his favorite memories was getting to toss a football with Elvis Presley. After graduating from Würzburg American High School, he enlisted in the United State Air Force where he successfully trained to become an Air Traffic Controller. Following his tour of duty in Vietnam, Frank was assigned to Osan Air Base in South Korea, and it was during this assignment that he met the love of his life, Kyong. They were married in 1969 and would celebrate fifty wonderful years together before his passing.

Shortly after separating from the Air Force, Frank joined the San Antonio Police Department where he served in many capacities, to include Patrol Officer, Training Officer, SWAT Team Member, and as the Director of the San Antonio Police Officers’ Association from 1983-1987. But it was Frank’s role as a founding member of the department’s Repeat Offenders Program that he was most proud. During his 32 years of faithful and dedicated service, Frank earned a Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice from the University of Texas at

San Antonio, and he received many awards and decorations to include the Purple Heart for injuries sustained in the line of duty.

He is survived by his wife, Kyong; children Terri Brown (Brian), Traci Osborn (David), and Travis Corn (Andres); grandchildren Megan, Allison, Isabella and Luke; siblings Evelyn Hendricks, Doug Corn, Billie Barrier (Rick), Joelle Frohbieter (Greg), Annette Hedges (William), and Alan Corn (Selena); sister-in-law Liz Corn; and numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents Bill and Janine, and his sister Michelle Adamski, and brother Gerald Corn.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 6-8 pm at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North, 3401 Cherry Ridge, San Antonio, Texas.

A celebration of life service will be held on Thursday at 3:30 pm at Western Hills Christian Church, 8535 Huebner Rd, San Antonio, Texas.

Internment will occur on Friday at 9:15 am at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, Shelter #2.

In lieu of flowers, his family requests donations be made to Donate Life Texas (www.donatelifetexas.org) in Frank's honor due to his avid support for the cause of organ and tissue donation.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 8. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North
3401 Cherry Ridge Drive
San Antonio, TX 78230

Memorial Service

JAN 9. 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM (CT)

Western Hills Christian Church
8535 Huebenr Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78240

Graveside Service

JAN 10. 9:15 AM (CT)

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery
1520 Harry Wurzbach
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Tribute Wall

KM

“ Frank and I were both Army brats and friends. We met in Ft. Hood, Tx in the early 1960's. We were both in Germany, Frank in Wurzburg, and me in Bamberg. Sadly, I lost contact with Frank and joining the Army after high school graduation, over 50 years ago.

I learned of his death, by internet search. I offer my condolences to his family.

kenneth Morgan - April 18, 2024 at 01:11 AM

JS

“ Dear Cho, so sad to read of Frank's passing. I noticed his name on the back page of the obits in the Sunday paper this morning and looked up his obit on the Mission Park webpage. Your family was always so kind to us when we lived on Dartmoor Drive, especially to our son, Victor, as he loved coming to your house to play and especially enjoyed Cho's wonderful cooking. Frank was always so neighborly and offered assistance whenever I needed it. Though we have all moved away from Dartmoor, I remember your family fondly. You have my deepest condolences. Janice Smith

Janice Smith - January 19, 2020 at 08:50 AM

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“ To such great neighbors for many years on Dartmoor and continuing the family connections for so many years. I'm so sorry to hear the news. Frank was always alot of fun to be around and I know he will be missed ever so deeply. My love to Cho, Terri, Traci, Travis, the grandkids... Billie, and all of the extended family and friends... Chris Brazel

Chris Brazel - January 08, 2020 at 10:52 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frank Ronald Corn.*



January 07, 2020 at 11:33 PM



“ *Cho we are broken hearted over the loss of Frank. These words will not take the hurt away but please know in time all those wonderful memories will take over and you will smile again. Frank was our friend, we knew he was always there for us and we loved him for that. I know you have your own special guardian angel watching over 24/7. Our prayers, thoughts and love to you and you family.
Terry & Sharon Wong*

Terry & Sharon Wong - January 07, 2020 at 08:50 PM