



## Gerhard Fredrick Vogel

September 13, 1931 - May 15, 2024

Gerhard F. “Jerry” Vogel, age 92, passed away at Frank M. Tejada Texas State Veterans Home on May 15, 2024. He was born to Alois and Josephine Vogel in San Antonio, Texas, on September 13, 1931. Jerry graduated from Central Catholic then got drafted into the army in 1950. During his time in the military, he met his beloved wife, Margie. They were married in 1953. Jerry and Margie were married for 69 years before she passed. He retired from the United States Postal Service as a Station Manager in 1988. He was an extremely hard worker. In his free time, Jerry was very involved with the church and a devoted Catholic. He was the President of St. Margaret Mary’s men’s Club. He coached volleyball, track, softball and drove the school bus for St. Margaret Mary’s and delivered meals-on-wheels. He had many hobbies which included hunting, gambling with the retired postal poker group, and traveling the United States with his wife in their motorhome.

Jerry was a very caring man. He had never met a stranger in his life; the kind of man to give you the shirt off his back. Even right before his passing he was trying to offer his food and care to everyone around him. He was very family oriented and loving.

Jerry is preceded by his wife, Margie Vogel; his sister, Anna Marie (Joe) Kocurek; his brothers, AH “Sonny” (Virginia May) Vogel, and Clarence (Betty) Vogel; his brothers-in-law, Ed Smith, and Harold (Lee) Chastain. He is

survived by his daughters, Cathy (Mark) Krueger, Susie (Craig) Coleman; his grandchildren, Karen (Darren) Cone, Stephanie Houck Coleman, Travis Krueger, Allison (Tim) Zincke, Lana Coleman, Colby (Danielle) Coleman; his great grandchildren, Haley (Wyatt), Kaylee, Kameron, Kyle, Zachary, Cady, Faith, Timothy, Braxton, Avery, Coytt, and Collins; his great-great grandchild Rustyn. He is also survived by his sister Alice Marie Smith and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. He will be dearly missed.

The visitation for Jerry Vogel will begin at 5:00 PM on May 29, 2024, with Rosary to be recited at 7:00 PM that night at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South on 1700 S.E. Military Dr. San Antonio, TX. 78214. Mass will take place on May 30, 2024, at 9:30 AM, at St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church on 1314 Fair Ave. #1, San Antonio TX. 78223. The funeral will leave in a procession to Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery for the burial with Travis Krueger, Colby Coleman, Darren Cone, Tim Zincke, Kameron Houck, Kyle Cone, Zachary Krueger, and Wyatt Blaylock serving as pallbearers. Timothy Zincke, Braxton Bass, Coytt Coleman, and Rustyn Houck will serve as honorary pallbearers.

Jerry's family would like to extend their gratitude for the loving care from the staff and nurses at Frank M. Tejada Texas State Veterans Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach Rd.  
San Antonio, TX 78209

# Previous Events

## Public Visitation

**MAY 29.** 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories  
1700 SE Military Dr  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
(210) 924-4242  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

## Holy Rosary

**MAY 29.** 7:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels South, Cemeteries & Crematories  
1700 SE Military Dr  
San Antonio, TX 78214  
(210) 924-4242  
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

## Funeral Mass

MAY 30. 9:30 AM (CT)

St Margaret Mary's Catholic Church  
1314 Fair Ave  
San Antonio, TX 78223  
(210) 532-6309

## Burial

MAY 30. 11:00 AM (CT)

Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery  
1520 Harry Wurzbach Rd  
San Antonio, TX 78209  
(210) 820-3891

*We will go in procession to Fort Sam Houston from the church.*

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.*



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May 29, 2024 at 07:15 PM



“ *Mr & Mrs John & Pat Hamiton planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.*

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**Mr & Mrs John & Pat Hamiton** - May 29, 2024 at 07:15 PM



“ *Cherry Cone purchased the Simply Elegant Spat hiphyllum for the family of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.*



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**Cherry Cone** - May 28, 2024 at 01:20 PM



“ *Alice, Bubba, Vanessa and Mason purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.*



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**Alice, Bubba, Vanessa and Mason** - May 28, 2024 at 12:42 PM

AM

“ Alice, Bubba, Vanessa and Mason planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.

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**Alice, Bubba, Vanessa and Mason** - May 28, 2024 at 12:42 PM

LG

“ My deepest condolences to the Vogel Family. Jerry was the kindest and most caring man I have ever met. His friendship was cherished by my mom Beatrice and David Gongora, they lived across the street. Jerry was the neighborhood guardian angel. He always made sure that my mom was OK. He would always stroll across the street when he saw that I came to visit just to say Hi. Jerry would always save me one of his famous Fruit Cakes when I came to visit my mom during the Christmas Holidays. His was the best ever I might add. I know that the many beautiful memories that you have of your dad will help you through this difficult. time. Rest in peach Jerry.

Linda Gonzales  
Houston, Texas  
Daughter of Beatrice Gongora

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**Linda C Gonzales** - May 27, 2024 at 05:14 PM

CA

Thank you Linda,,, he was the best..

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**Cathy** - June 03, 2024 at 04:01 PM

BF

“ Bobby and Debbie Vogel and family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.



Bobby and Debbie Vogel and family - May 25, 2024 at 04:06 PM

BF

“ Bobby and Debbie Vogel and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.

Bobby and Debbie Vogel and family - May 25, 2024 at 04:06 PM

EJ

“ Erma Jean purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.



Erma Jean - May 24, 2024 at 02:51 PM

LR

“ Love Mark and Rosemary purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.



Love Mark and Rosemary - May 24, 2024 at 11:06 AM

LR

“ Love Mark and Rosemary planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.

Love Mark and Rosemary - May 24, 2024 at 11:06 AM

CA

“ Our family was so sad to hear of “Mr. Vogel’s” passing. So many of our family memories are intertwined with the Vogel’s...Mr. Vogel coaching us in CYO; working at Pan American speedway on weekends; anything St. Margaret Mary’s then Highlands High School; Double Ring club and on and on. We suspect he and our dad Ray are kicking back in heaven sharing and laughing over some good memories!

Cheryl Sultenfuss Adamson

Cheryl Adamson - May 22, 2024 at 03:11 PM

CA

Thank you Cheryl,, He will be greatly missed.

Cathy - May 25, 2024 at 06:22 AM

DJ

“ I was so sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. He was a very close friend of my parents and our family. Take comfort in knowing he is reunited with his beloved wife, Margie, and his brothers. Cathy, Susie, and the extended Vogel family, our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time. Rest in Peace Jerry. You will be missed by your family and friends.

Danny & Gayelyn Daniels  
Lake Jackson, TX

Danny Daniels, Jr. - May 21, 2024 at 02:17 PM

CA

*Thank you Danny,*

**Cathy** - May 25, 2024 at 06:24 AM

PH

“ *Jerry was my moms neighbor, my mom lived across the street from Jerry and Margie , when my stepdad passed , Jerry always checked in on my mom just to make sure she didn't need anything, he was the neighborhood's guardian angel went way beyond what anyone would expect. That was just Jerry, may he rest in peace .. God Speed ❤️*

**Pat Hamilton** - May 19, 2024 at 12:58 PM

DV

*RIP UNCLE JERRY  
ONE OF MY FONDEST MEMORIES IS ANYTIME DAD AND I  
WOULD NEED HELP ON BIG CATERING YOU WERE ALWAYS  
ALWAYS THERE TO HELP AND REMEMBER ALL THE MILES WE  
PUT FOLLOWING THOSE TRAILRIDES  
LOL  
I ALSO REMEMBER ALL OF THE FAMILY REUNIONS YOU AND  
UNCLE SONNY AND MY DAD WOULD ALWAYS BE THE LIFE AND  
BACKBONE OF THE PARTY  
UNCLE JERRY YOU AND UNCLE SONNY AND MY DAD WILL  
ALWAYS BE MY Heroes  
Love and miss you already uncle Jerry 🍷🍷*

**David Vogel** - May 23, 2024 at 04:21 PM

CA

*Thank you David, He was one of the good ones and he will be missed by all.*

**Cathy** - May 25, 2024 at 06:23 AM

CA

*Thank you Pat, the old neighborhood will not be the same with out him.*

**Cathy** - May 25, 2024 at 06:32 AM

CC

“ Jerry was one of the sweetest men I have ever met, He always made James and I feel like part of the family and always had a smile on his face. He will be missed.  
Cherry Cone

Cherry Cone - May 18, 2024 at 04:14 PM

CA

Thank you Cherry. We miss him and his big hugs.

Cathy - May 25, 2024 at 06:25 AM

LS

“ Lanette Shroyer purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.



Lanette Shroyer - May 17, 2024 at 09:14 PM

LS

“ Lanette Shroyer planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gerhard Fredrick Vogel.

Lanette Shroyer - May 17, 2024 at 09:14 PM

WB

“ Oh my goodness I don't know what to say at this terrible sadness BUT I am sure that Daddy and Jerry are having the best time together!!!



Wallis Beverly - May 17, 2024 at 03:05 PM

CA

*Thank you Beverly, I know that Mom and his family and friends were at the pearly gates waiting for him with open arms, just waiting for one of his hugs.*

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**Cathy** - May 25, 2024 at 06:30 AM