



## Herbert De Rouen

September 13, 1934 - April 25, 2021

Herb De Rouen, 86, of San Antonio, Texas, passed away on April 25, 2021 after a long battle with Alzheimers.

Herb was born on September 13, 1934 to Milton and Hazel De Rouen in Raywood, Texas. After graduating from Woodson High School he went on to study Biology, earning his Bachelor of Science Degree at Prairie View A&M University. There he met the love of his life, Margaret L. Morris, who he married on August 18, 1956.

After graduation, he was commissioned into the United States Army. He served his country as a MedEvac Pilot, as well as a member of the 82nd Airborne Division and the 1st Cavalry, during the Korean and Vietnam wars. He was awarded many accommodations to include: Bronze Star Medal, Air Medal (12 Oak Leaf Clusters - was awarded 12 times), Parachutist Badge, Army Aviator Badge, Vietnam Service Medal, Combat Medic Badge, National Defense Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Medal, Army Commendation Medal and Vietnam Campaign Medal. After 12 years, he resigned from Active Duty as a Major, then worked for Scott Paper Company and owned his own real estate brokerage, De Rouen Realty.

Herb was a strong, compassionate, loving, and supportive husband, father, brother, uncle, papa and friend. His knowledge and guidance was the

foundation of his family, who meant more to him than anything else in the world. He was incredibly proud of family and was always supportive in all of their endeavors. He was the most loving father and husband a family could ask for. His laugh was infectious, as was his smile, love of zydeco music and dancing...and he always had a good story or two to share. His grandsons were his pride and joy. There was nothing he wouldn't do for them. Herb was also a passionate tennis player but his true love was golf, which he shared with his sons-in-law, nephews and grandsons over the years.

Herb was predeceased by parents, Milton and Hazel De Rouen, sisters, Juanita De Rouen Bass and Thelma De Rouen Lemond, brothers, Milton J. De Rouen and Dudley De Rouen. He is survived by his wife of 65 years, Margaret L. De Rouen, daughters, Valencia De Rouen Farias (David Farias) and Kimberly De Rouen Plummer (Keith Plummer), sister, Jo Rita De Rouen Drones (Jerry Drones) and grandsons, Christopher Farias (Denise Farias) , James Farias (Jenny Horton) , Chad Plummer, Trey Plummer, great grandson, Tucker Farias and a host of many nieces, nephews and sisters and brothers-in-law.

If sending flowers, please have delivered to St. Anthony de Padua. There will be a funeral mass at St. Anthony de Padua on May 14, 2021 at noon, at 102 Lorenz Rd. San Antonio, Tx. 78209.

If you choose, in lieu of flowers, donations in Herb's memory may be sent to the Alzheimer's Foundation or a charity of your choice.

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

MAY **14**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

St. Anthony de Padua  
102 Lorenz  
San Antonio, TX 78209

# Tribute Wall



“ I am Tommy Wilson. This man was my godfather. I remember him taking me to see *The Empire Strikes Back* at the theater in 1980 when I was 5 or 6. I had plenty of amazing times in the pool out back, and I'm devastated as I grew into an adult and I didn't keep in touch. The entire family was always open and accepting of me. I love you all, and I am sorry for your loss. I can still hear that rich deep voice and fulfilling laugh of his. Thank you for loving me years ago.



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**Tommy Wilson** - March 25, 2023 at 10:01 PM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Herbert De Rouen.



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May 10, 2021 at 12:32 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Herbert De Rouen.



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May 10, 2021 at 12:17 PM



“ *A Full Life was purchased for the family of Herbert De Rouen.*



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May 10, 2021 at 09:35 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Herbert De Rouen.*



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May 07, 2021 at 03:21 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers for the family.*

*From The  
Broussard Mockabee Family*

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**Rena Broussard Mockabee** - May 05, 2021 at 11:04 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Herbert De Rouen.*



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May 04, 2021 at 06:52 PM

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family during this time of sorrow.*

Elayne Coffie - May 04, 2021 at 01:46 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Herbert De Rouen.*



May 03, 2021 at 01:31 PM

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“ *I was not fortunate enough to know Herb, but what I do know is that he raised a beautiful, kind, loving, devoted daughters and I know that made his heart proud. May he rest in peace and may the family find comfort in the loving memories they shared. God bless. Randy and Cindy Waddle*

Cindy Waddle - May 03, 2021 at 02:20 AM

MB

“ *Mr. D...my second dad, so kind and always smiling! Sometimes I would go over to there house, just to visit with him. I am gonna miss him, but he will be remembered!*

*Michelle Giguere Brock*

Michelle Giguere Brock - May 02, 2021 at 12:47 PM

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“ Our deepest sympathy and condolences. We loved Herb.  
He's smile was infectious, always.  
A true friend and family man. He will be missed. May our Lord bless  
him and he's family.  
Love, Liz Garza, Marsie and Harper

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**elizabeth garza** - May 02, 2021 at 10:36 AM

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*I remember fun we had growing up going to visit in Raywood. My best  
the family . Rest in peace Herbert.  
Aunt Anna Guillory Spearman*

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**Anna Guillory Spearman** - May 02, 2021 at 07:21 PM