



Jack Benjamin Johnson

December 5, 1931 - April 8, 2019

Jack Benjamin Johnson went to be with the Lord on April 8th, 2019 in Boerne Texas. He was born on December 5th, 1931 in Atlanta Georgia to Charles Benjamin Johnson and Charlsie Ruth McCurry.

He was an avid aviation enthusiast's as well as Founder and President of Texas Skyways Inc. an international company located in Boerne Texas. He was the recipient of the prestigious Wright Brothers "Master Pilot" Award after 69 years of flying.

Jack is survived by his loving wife of 38 years Mickey Jo Johnson; son , Curtis Benjamin Johnson (Pam); daughter, Phyllis Danielle Johnson-Beaird (Jerry); grandchildren, Amanda Johnson, Charles Johnson, Lucas Johnson, Jacob Johnson, Ryan Struzyk (Kasey) and Kyle Struzyk.

SERVICE

Visitation will be held on Monday, April 15, 2019 from 6pm-8pm at the Cornerstone Church Chapel. Funeral Services will be on Tuesday, April 16, 2019 at 11:00am also at the Cornerstone Church Chapel. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to:

Sanctuary of Hope
C/o Hagee Ministries
PO Box 1400

San Antonio Tx 78295

And

Jewish Voice Ministries Intl

PO Box 31998

Phoenix Az 85046-9901

Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Jack Benjamin Johnson* ”



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - April 15, 2019 at 08:58 AM

SV

“ I met Jack as a young boy hanging out doing aviation things with my Dad, Mike Vavrek. I remember when Jack flew out from Boerne to our home base at the Albuquerque International Airport in the early 90s to demo his big engine 182. My dad immediately connected with Jack and was sold right after the high performance take-off at 5,000+ feet elevation.



They become good friends and my dad purchased several engines from Jack and Mickey throughout the years! Both Mickey and Jack are sweet, caring and wonderful people!

I'll never forget the countless flights we took together, including the flight with Jack as my first flight instructor back on June 27, 1994 in Skyhawk N13696 at 11 years old.

The next day Jack let me fly my dad's 182 N1297S a little - that was the day Jack, Mickey, my dad and myself flew over to New Braunfels for ice cream!

Jack is and will always be an inspiration to me and my family. I love him and Mickey so very much!

God speed Jack!

Starr Vavrek - April 26, 2019 at 06:36 PM

SV

“ 8 files added to the album Memories Album



Starr Vavrek - April 26, 2019 at 05:17 PM

PS

“ *Velford loved to talk and laugh with Jack; and they could tell some stories!! :D
My deepest sympathy.. Patsy Strain*

Patsy Strain - April 19, 2019 at 03:44 PM

PJ

“ *I am very sad to this : I am a Jack's swiss customer who installed an O550 on his C182 being extremely satisfied with suggestions and back ups.
My sincere condolences to the family.
Paolo Jasson*

paolo jasson - April 16, 2019 at 04:46 AM

LT

“ *Our condolences to your family. Jack was such a wonderful friend who will always be in our hearts. Flying with him was one of the most exciting moments of (Laura) my life. - Laura Martinez Thrash & all of the family.*

Laura Martinez Thrash - April 15, 2019 at 12:39 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jack Benjamin Johnson.*



April 15, 2019 at 09:20 AM



“ *Every once in a while fate leads us to an event that is life changing. I was fortunate enough to obtain my pilots license about 3 years ago and shortly after that i started shopping for a used airplane. I saw an ad for a plane named Festus which was being sold by a Company named Texas Skyways. I had never heard of Texas Skyways but a man named Jack Johnson called me back and explained why I should buy his good friend, Festus. We haggled a little, which Jack was much better at than I was, and I ended up flying out to see what Festus was all about. I fell in love with Festus and Jack. My 14 year old Grandson, Jacob, flew out with me and Jack gave him his first lesson and signed his log book. A couple weeks later my brother Tom and I flew back out to Texas from Orlando Florida to bring Festus home. Jack gave us both orientation flights and signed off in our log books. Since then I have had to privilege to share many phone calls with Jack discussing Festus, Mustang cars, and his latest gun swaps. My last conversation with Jack was about 3 months ago and he was excited about having, I believe both a knee and a hip surgery and was taking a new cancer drug that seemed to be working great. It was great to hear his exuberance as he relayed his condition. I may not be able to reach Jack on the phone any longer but I will always know he is riding along with Festus and I on every flight. Our thoughts and prayers are out to all Jack's family and friends.*

Terry Freeman

Terry Freeman - April 14, 2019 at 11:16 PM

SV

Hi Terry, what is the tail number for Festus?

Starr Vavrek - April 26, 2019 at 05:49 PM

JA

“ *Jim & Jenny Acree purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jack Benjamin Johnson.*



Jim & Jenny Acree - April 14, 2019 at 10:57 PM

RB

“ *My wife and I met Jack at the AOPA Convention in 2006. We discussed putting in a new engine in my 1964 C210 and in 2008 flew our plane down to Boerne Texas and left it in Jack's capable hands. I remember bringing a cooler full of snow with us since we were coming from Colorado and Jack had mentioned that his staff didn't see much snow in that part of Texas. His office manager took a handful of snow and made 2 snowballs, one of which ended up being thrown at the head mechanic and the second at Jack when he wasn't looking. Needless to say Jack and his staff did an excellent job and the plane flew like it was brand new with that 3-bladed prop and 300HP engine. We stayed in-touch over the years and looked each other up every year at the annual AOPA conventions. Jack will surely be missed. God speed Jack Johnson!*

Robert & Pamela Benda

Robert Benda - April 14, 2019 at 09:19 PM



“ *Celestial Love was purchased for the family of Jack Benjamin Johnson.*



April 12, 2019 at 07:23 PM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jack Benjamin Johnson.*



April 11, 2019 at 10:07 PM