



Jerry Craig Otte

April 11, 1946 - December 4, 2024

Jerry Craig "The Mity O" Otte, born April 11, 1946, in St. James, Minnesota, passed away on December 4, 2024, in San Antonio, Texas, at the age of 78. He was the beloved son of Willard H. Otte and Mavolyn Burton.

Jerry was preceded in death by his wife, Mary E. Otte; his sister, Marcine Lyn Miller; and his grandson, Ja Otte. He is survived by his children: son Charles (Maria) Otte, son Thomas (Nelda) Otte, daughter Patricia (Todd) Panarese, son Andrew (Irma) Otte, son John (Kelly) Otte, daughter Caroline (Anthony) Martinez, and his niece/"#1 daughter" Julie (James) McComb. Jerry was the proud grandfather of fourteen grandchildren: Joseph Brackett, Christopher Weideman, Krystal Otte, Matthew Weideman, Emily Otte, Taylor Otte, Charles Otte Jr., Joseph Otte, Jenna Panarese, Anthony Martinez, Robert Otte, Sophia Panarese, Claire Otte, and Jerry J. Otte, and two great-grandchildren, Aubrey Weideman and Athena Otte.

After retiring from the United States Air Force in 1986 as a Technical Sergeant (TSgt), Jerry settled in San Antonio, Texas. Following Mary's death, he moved to Florida to be closer to his daughter, Patricia, and his beloved granddaughters, Jenna and Sophia. In January 2024, Jerry returned to San Antonio to be near his sons.

Jerry was known for his kindness, generosity, and unwavering love for his family. His presence in the lives of those who knew him was a source of strength, warmth, and joy. He was a man of integrity who deeply valued family and friends. His legacy of love and service will live on in the hearts of those he

touched.

A viewing will be held on December 17, 2024, from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge. A burial service will follow on December 18, 2024, at 1:00 p.m. at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Parkinson's research or a charity of your choice in Jerry's memory.

May Jerry rest in peace, knowing his legacy of love, warmth, and service will forever be cherished by his family and all those who were fortunate to know him.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Public Visitation

DEC 17. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge
3401 Cherry Ridge Dr
San Antonio, TX 78230
(210) 349-1414
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Committal Service with Military Honors

DEC 18. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery
1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Tribute Wall

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“ Our deepest condolences on the loss of your father. We keep you in our thoughts and prayers. Thank you for sharing some great events and memories with us, we feel like we know him through your stories and descriptions. We know he will be missed but keep his memory alive and he'll always be with you in spirit.

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“ Your friends and colleagues at CACI purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Jerry Craig Otte.



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