



## Jim Shepherd

March 19, 1947 - January 30, 2021

Jim Shepherd 73, passed away on January 30, 2021. He was born on March 19, 1947 to Everett and Muriel Shepherd in Raton, NM. He was raised in Dalhart, Texas where he met his beloved wife Shirley Fassauer in the 3rd grade. Soon after High School, they were married and moved to Abilene, Texas where he attended court reporting school. After graduating he landed a job in San Antonio at the Bexar County Courthouse where he worked for 35+ years until he retired in 2005. He was a very talented carpenter and woodworker by hobby and shared many of his projects with family, friends, and the church. He was a remarkable and beloved husband, father, brother, and the "greatest Papaw" ever. Jim had an unconditional and devoted love for his family and friends and was a true servant of our Lord. He was active in his church and served as a lector during Mass, ACTS retreats where he served on many teams, and also participated in various charities. He is survived by his beloved wife Shirley of 56 years, brothers and sisters in law, Steve & Shirley, Glenn & Gloria, his children, daughter Shelly & husband Jack Young, son Casey & wife Beth, grandchildren, Josh & Alyssa Young, Jace & Kate Young, Jordyn Shepherd, Cody Shepherd, and many nieces and nephews. Due to COVID and in the spirit of safety for all a private service will be held at St. Luke Catholic Church on Friday, February 5, 2021 with a Holy Rosary to begin at 2:00 PM followed by Mass of the Resurrection at 3:00 PM. For those individuals wishing to view services, you may do so virtually via live stream at [facebook.com/stlukesanantoino/live](https://facebook.com/stlukesanantoino/live). In lieu of flowers contributions may be

made to St. Luke's St. Vincent de Paul Society.

# Previous Events

## Private Services

FEB 5. 2:00 PM (CT)

St. Luke Catholic Church  
4603 Manitou Drive  
San Antonio, TX 78228

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Jim Shepherd*



**Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery** - February 05, 2021 at 07:20 AM

RL

*Super job... beautiful memories!*

**RONALD LIZAR** - February 05, 2021 at 05:11 PM



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Webcast in memory of Jim Shepherd*



**Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery** - February 04, 2021 at 05:54 PM

PP

*It was a beautiful and befitting tribute to our wonderful friend. How blessed all our lives have been that you, Shirley, picked Jimmy. How privileged I have been to have shared our lives together.*

**Parkerlene Pillans** - February 05, 2021 at 04:58 PM

LA

“ *Beautiful family and great memories.*

Lionel Alonso - February 05, 2021 at 06:18 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.*



February 05, 2021 at 11:29 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.*



February 05, 2021 at 12:47 AM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.*



February 04, 2021 at 09:35 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.*



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February 04, 2021 at 08:54 PM



“ *We were so deeply saddened by this news. We are sending love and Prayers to Shirley, truly the Love of Jim's life, and Shelly & Casey's Family. One of the finest men I ever knew. God Bless you all. Kristen Moreman Lewis*

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**Kristen Lewis** - February 04, 2021 at 06:11 PM



“ *Jim Shepherd - What a wonderful man! We have so many fond memories of Jim, Shirley and his wonderful family. He was a such a devoted husband, father, grandfather, and a true friend to all who knew him. Our hearts are broken at learning of his passing. Shirley and family, please know our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Rest assured he is now resting in the arms of our Heavenly Father. May he rest in peace.*

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**Buddy and Claudell Ginn** - February 04, 2021 at 06:10 PM



*Heaven has gained another good man, Jimmy, kind, loving truly good friend. Prayers & love for Shirley, Shelley, Casey & their entire family. May God comfort all of you. Bless you all*

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**sherry bryant** - February 05, 2021 at 03:21 PM

BG

“ Buddy and Claudell Ginn purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Jim Shepherd.



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**Buddy and Claudell Ginn** - February 04, 2021 at 06:03 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.



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February 04, 2021 at 05:11 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.



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February 04, 2021 at 04:34 PM

SS

“ Last week I was talking about a trip that our family had to San Antonio, where we stayed with Jim and Shirley for 10 days. It was the best trip and I have so many fond memories with the entire family. I mentioned Jim and Shirley specifically when talking to my friend and just find it so powerful that he was on mind, not knowing what he was struggling with. So much love for this man and his entire family.



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**Suzette Shepherd** - February 04, 2021 at 04:25 PM

PK

“ Patti And Ken lit a candle in memory of Jim Shepherd



Patti and Ken - February 04, 2021 at 03:35 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.



February 04, 2021 at 03:25 PM

PH

“ Patti Herring lit a candle in memory of Jim Shepherd



Patti Herring - February 04, 2021 at 02:26 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.



February 04, 2021 at 02:22 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.*



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February 04, 2021 at 01:09 PM



“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



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**Rhett Shepherd** - February 04, 2021 at 12:11 PM



“ *It's a hard day when you realize someone you shared your childhood with is gone! I remember those sleep overs in the Shepard's front yard and the early morning scrambles to get the Amarillo paper delivered. The walks down Cherry street to RitaBlanca lake to fish all dang day and roast your face in the sun until you were red as a beet ! It's a hard day to know another dedicated Dalhart Wolf is gone! It's a hard day when an old friend has to go.*

*Our heart felt condolences from our house to yours at such a hard time . May the Almighty bless you all .*

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**rusty gilmore** - February 04, 2021 at 11:36 AM

TM

“ Shirley my condolences on your loss. Jim was one pf a kind and he will be missed. I only saw Jim on rare & random occasions and, as I sit here here, I regret the lack of contact. I could not have done my job without Jim's talents and I did my job better because of him. Let there me no doubt, the 186th District Court was the best run in the courthouse because of Jim & Bonnie. Fair winds and calm seas my friend, and I will see you on the other side.

Terry McDonald

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**TERRY MCDONALD** - February 04, 2021 at 10:31 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.



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February 04, 2021 at 10:01 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.



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February 04, 2021 at 09:51 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jim Shepherd.



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February 04, 2021 at 09:46 AM

LB

“ As a prosecutor I tried many cases in the 186th. I learned so much from Jim. He had a certain look when he heard something I needed to pay attention to. He gave me such good advice and made me a much better lawyer. He had a wealth of information he was always willing to share. Condolences to his family.

Lyndee Bordini - February 04, 2021 at 09:15 AM

RL

“ It is always hard to lose someone you love and respect. Jimmy was family. Jimmy was a great friend. Jimmy was one of the best men I have known. Go in peace my friend.

RONALD LIZAR - February 04, 2021 at 08:35 AM

LS

“ We loved and will miss our dear friend Jimmy. Sending love and prayers to Shirley and all the family.



Loreitta and Marvin Stuart - February 04, 2021 at 08:24 AM

EA

“ Elena Alonso lit a candle in memory of Jim Shepherd



Elena Alonso - February 04, 2021 at 01:57 AM

LI

“ *Laura Ingram lit a candle in memory of Jim Shepherd*



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**Laura Ingram** - February 04, 2021 at 01:04 AM

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“ *Jim was my mentor from the time I began as a court reporter at Bexar County 29 years ago. I have fun and fond memories of him. The thing that stands out the most is he never took BS from attorneys. He spoke his mind and had the courage to say, “STOP! Stop talking over each other if you want a good record.” Well, that stayed with me and now my Judge, Judge Andrew Carruthers says I have turned into a “Jim Shepherd.” Wow. What a compliment. No one could ever fill his shoes. May he Rest In Peace. Condolences to his family. May God continue to bless you all. 🙏*  
*Roxanne F. Pena*

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**Roxanne F. Pena (Roxie)** - February 03, 2021 at 11:22 PM

JL

“ *John, Sharon Connie, Jason. Whitney & Sweet Leni purchased the Majestic Heart for the family of Jim Shepherd.*



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**John, Sharon Connie, Jason. Whitney & Sweet Leni** -  
February 03, 2021 at 10:06 PM

DL

“ I remember playing golf with Jim and my brother in Texas one time years ago. I hit a ball in a lake and then proceeded to hit three more new balls into the lake. Jim asked me why I didn't use an old ball and I told him I never had one. I think about that day from time to time and smile every time.

*Dwayne Lizar*

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**Dwayne Lizar** - February 03, 2021 at 09:14 PM