



Larry Jerome Preiss

February 28, 1948 - November 29, 2022

Larry Jerome Preiss, age 74, of San Antonio, passed away peacefully in the early afternoon hours of Tuesday, November 29, 2022, at Mission Trails Baptist Hospital, with his beloved family by his side. Larry was born in Blanco, Texas on February 28, 1948, to the late Raymond Martin and Josephine Bechtold Preiss. On March 2, 1973, Larry married the love of his life, and his best friend, Katherine Aniol, at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Elmendorf. After nearly 50 years of raising a family, watching his cherished grandchildren laugh and grow, and a lifetime of memories with family and friends, she survives.

Those who remember Larry best will remember a man who loved the outdoors. He enjoyed horses, traveling and sports. He enjoyed being on the water, but there was little better for Larry than an afternoon riding motorcycles through the Hill Country of Central Texas. Larry was a larger-than-life character who loved to laugh, play with his children and grandchildren, and spend time with his extended family. His life leaves behind a legacy for all to follow.

Larry is survived by his beloved wife, Katherine; his children, Nicole Gawlik, and husband Nick, Larry A. Preiss, and wife Rosalind, and Jonathan Preiss, and wife Ashley; two brothers, Elmer Preiss, and wife Helen, and Nelton Preiss, and wife Charlotte; grandchildren, Callan Gawlik, Katie Gawlik, Allison Preiss, Emilia Preiss, Luke Preiss, Sophie Preiss, and Emma Preiss; and by a host of relatives, nieces and nephews and very special friends.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Chester Preiss and Alton Preiss. A funeral mass for Larry Jerome Preiss will be held at 10:00 A.M., Saturday, December 10, 2022, at St. Anthony's Catholic Church. 16506 Kilowatt Rd, Elmendorf, TX 78112. Interment will follow at a graveside service at St. Anthony's Catholic Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 5:00 – 8:00 P.M., Friday evening, at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. 1700 S. E. Military Dr., San Antonio, TX 78214. The rosary will begin at 7:00 P.M. In lieu of flowers, please send a donation to Shriners Children's Hospital, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, or a charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

St. Anthony Cemetery

16505 Kilowatt Road
Elmendorf, TX 78112

Previous Events

Public Visitation

DEC 9. 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/>

Recitation of the Rosary

DEC 9. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Mass

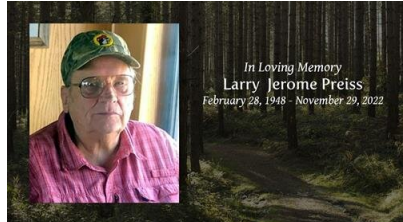
DEC 10. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Anthony Catholic Church
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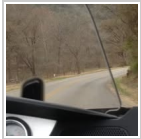
Tribute Wall



“ *Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Larry Jerome Preiss*



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - December 07, 2022 at 03:31 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Alan Preiss - December 06, 2022 at 08:59 AM

DH

“ *Kathy, Larry, Jonathan and Nicole & Family, My condolences in the passing of your Husband and Father. May the perpetual light shine upon him and may he rest in peace.*

Debbie Henze - December 03, 2022 at 01:57 AM

BH

“ Beverly Holub lit a candle in memory of Larry Jerome Preiss



Beverly Holub - December 02, 2022 at 09:03 PM

DE

Kathy, I am so sorry to hear about Larry. You and the children are in my prayers.

Dennis - December 07, 2022 at 01:37 PM