



SMSgt. Michael Dennis Gehri, USAF (Ret.)

October 7, 1938 - April 13, 2018

SMSgt Michael Dennis Gehri, USAF (Ret.) passed away on Friday, April 13, 2018. He was born October 7, 1938 in Tacoma, Washington to Errol and Eva Ruth (Sullivan) Gehri.

Michael served 2 years in the U.S. Marine Corp and 20 years in the U.S. Air Force before retiring in 1980 in San Antonio, Texas. He then joined Southwest Research Institute where he spent the remainder of his career, retiring in 2003.

Michael was preceded in death by his parents and his brothers, Pat, Glen and Terry. He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Marilyn; children, Kelly Tagliaferro and her husband, Rob, Christine Scrivner and her husband, Eric; grandchildren, Christopher and Robert Tagliaferro and Michael and Megan Scrivner; sisters, Jane Miller and her husband, Ron, and Linda Berryman; and numerous nieces and nephews.

SERVICES

A Rosary will be recited at 7:00 P.M. on Tuesday, April 17, 2018 at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 4201 DeZavala. The Funeral Mass will be at 12:00 P.M. on Wednesday, April 18, 2018 at the Church. A Graveside Service with Full Military Honors will be at 10:15 A.M. on Tuesday, May 1, 2018 at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, 1520 Harry Wurzbach Road.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Rosary

APR 17. 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church
4201 De Zavala Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78249

Funeral Mass

APR 18. 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church
4201 De Zavala Rd.
San Antonio, TX 78249

Graveside Service with Full Military Honors

MAY 1. 10:15 AM (CT)

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery
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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of SMSgt. Michael Dennis Gehri, USAF (Ret.).*



April 18, 2018 at 03:45 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to the Gehri family. I will always remember Mike for his ever-present smile, endless jokes and uplifting attitude. it was my true privilege and honor to know and work with Mike at SwRI.*

Carlos Garcia - April 17, 2018 at 11:36 AM



“ *The Carlos Garcia Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of SMSgt. Michael Dennis Gehri, USAF (Ret.).*



The Carlos Garcia Family - April 17, 2018 at 11:34 AM

JM

“ Mike and I had parallel careers in both the USAF and at SwRI. He was an expert in the field of Radio Communications and participated and managed many successful projects. He will be missed by everyone who knew him. Phyllis and I send our condolences to Marilyn and the family.

Joe Mazur

Joe Mazur - April 17, 2018 at 11:19 AM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of SMSgt. Michael Dennis Gehri, USAF (Ret.).



April 17, 2018 at 09:32 AM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of SMSgt. Michael Dennis Gehri, USAF (Ret.).



April 16, 2018 at 06:31 PM

DC

“ I worked with Michael Gehri at SWRI for a few years before he retired. He always had a smile and kind word. I looked forward to seeing him at the Christmas parties. He and his family will be in my prayers. I am sorry for your loss.

Debbie Cantello - April 16, 2018 at 05:41 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of SMSgt. Michael Dennis Gehri, USAF (Ret.).*



April 16, 2018 at 01:32 PM



“ *Raymond & Dianne Ledesma purchased the Garden of Serenity Bouquet for the family of SMSgt. Michael Dennis Gehri, USAF (Ret.).*



Raymond & Dianne Ledesma - April 16, 2018 at 01:05 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of SMSgt. Michael Dennis Gehri, USAF (Ret.).*



April 16, 2018 at 09:19 AM



“ *I was honored to be able to work with Mike for many years at SwRI and see firsthand his many great accomplishments and contributions to the company. He was a great friend and colleague and will be deeply missed. Our deepest sympathies to the family. We are out of town this week and won't be able to attend the services but will certainly have Mike in our thoughts and prayers. ---
Ken Roberson*

Ken Roberson - April 16, 2018 at 08:45 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of SMSgt. Michael Dennis Gehri, USAF (Ret.).*



April 16, 2018 at 08:26 AM



“ *I was very grateful to have met this man, and see him each time he came out to Washington. He will be greatly missed by everyone. RIP uncle Mike!*

Jennifer - April 15, 2018 at 10:56 PM



“ *I have few memories of uncle mike in person but regardless of my age at whatever time we would be speaking he always treated me with kindness and respect..... well he did try to throw away my egg pan*



Brian Bettencourt - April 15, 2018 at 06:38 PM