



Michael Jude Skeldon

March 2, 1940 - February 14, 2022

Michael Jude Skeldon passed away February 14th, 2022 at the age of 81 with his wife, daughters, and friends by his side.

In 1980, Michael returned to live in his favorite city of San Antonio, Texas, where he had spent his childhood and graduated from Central Catholic High School. After retiring from Friedrich A/C in 2002, he immensely enjoyed showing off his city to visiting family and often attended CCHS football games. In the hot San Antonio summers, he'd typically visit his paternal family homes in Ohio to enjoy time with his son, daughters, granddaughters, and great grandchildren. He also honored many San Antonio nieces and nephews at special events in their lives. When not attending family functions, he greatly enjoyed socializing with his neighbors.

Michael is preceded in death by his parents, Col. John R. Skeldon, USAF Retired, and Elsie Schilo Skeldon, along with his siblings, John R. Skeldon, Jr., Delana Therese Breece, Laura Ann Skeldon, and his granddaughter, Mandy Wickard.

He is survived by his loving wife Donna Gannon-Skeldon, his brother, Timothy (Sherry) Skeldon; sister, Helen Skeldon; children, Shawn (Sandy) Skeldon, Jeanne Skeldon (Scott Wickard), and Nikki Skeldon (David James); granddaughters, Megan, Celia, Erika, Alyssa, Zoe, and Karlee; nine great grandchildren, brother in law Kevin (Connie) Gannon and sister in law Julie McAllister.

Family and friends will always cherish and miss Michael sitting in the garage,

drinking beer, waving at the neighbors, and feeding corn to the mourning doves in his driveway.

The entire family thanks all friends and neighbors for the love and care they exuded during his life and his illness, especially Clyde and Jaynell Toston.

As you leave today, we invite you to consider this thought found online recently:

We can't always choose the music life plays for us,
But, we can choose how we dance to it.

Visitation will be from 11:00 am - 12:00 pm Wednesday, March 16, 2022 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North followed by a graveside service at 1:00 pm at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery. No procession, everyone to meet at the cemetery in Shelter #4.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **16**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North
3401 Cherry Ridge Drive
San Antonio, TX 78230

Tribute Wall

KB

“ Donna,
Our thoughts and healing prayers are with you and the entire Gannon-Skeldon family. I enjoyed our visits to you house and can remember Mike sitting in his chair having mostly conversations about sports with David. Mike was always so gracious to all of us. We will miss him deeply!
Sending our deepest condolences for you and the family's loss.
Karin and Lauren Gannon and David Bynum

Karin and Lauren Gannon and David Bynum - March 14, 2022 at 04:57 PM

PG

“ Dear Donna and family!
We are sending our sincere condolences from across the pond and would gladly participate at the funeral if there wasn't such a great distance between us. We met Mike about 40 years ago and always enjoyed seeing him during our visits to San Antonio, even having a chat in his garage. May he RIP!
Peter, Edda, and Corinna Gannon from Oberursel, Germany

Peter, Edda, and Corinna Gannon - March 14, 2022 at 04:21 PM

TS

“ Donna,

So sorry to hear of Mike's passing and our deepest condolences go out to you and the family. Mark and I (Teri) enjoyed the garage visits with him and me hearing his classic country music he played as he sat in the garage. I would yell over to him from my back fence to turn it up. He had a great smile and his hand wave tall and long to the neighbors will surely be missed. "RIP Mike"

Mark and Teri Schuler

Teri-Mark Schuler - March 13, 2022 at 03:45 PM

CS

“ *My thoughts and prayers go to Donna and the extended Gannon-Skeldon family. Keep his memory alive with the good time memories. May he rest in peace.*

Cheryl Salazar - March 07, 2022 at 02:01 PM

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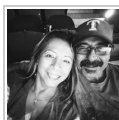
“ *I sure do miss you Dad. Hearing your calming voice. "Just call Dad"*

Nikki Skeldon - March 07, 2022 at 09:00 AM

TC

“ *Remembering all his visits to Chicago with you Donna! Always had a great conversation with him!! Enjoyed his personality and love for others! He will be dearly missed! ❤️*

Terri Crowley - March 03, 2022 at 11:13 AM



That Mikey 😊. Rest in Peace. My deepest condolences my friend. Love, Linda and Joe Jimenez

Linda Jimenez - March 03, 2022 at 07:31 PM

JE

“ Today Dad would have been 82 years old. Happy Birthday Dad.
Rest well. I love you❤️

Jeanne - March 02, 2022 at 10:38 AM

KW

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you Donna and the entire Skeldon family - Much as I would love to attend in memory of Mike I am unable to at this time- many many fond memories of Mike and my brother Frank and also many not so great (lol) which I know you understand - hugs to all!

Kathy (Skeldon) Woodward - March 01, 2022 at 06:05 PM

JE

Thank you for your sweet memories Kathy.

Jeanne - March 02, 2022 at 10:40 AM

MN

“ Mission Park North lit a candle in memory of
Michael Jude Skeldon



Mission Park North - March 01, 2022 at 04:31 PM