



Robert (Bob) Fulton Collins

July 6, 1939 - March 14, 2025

Robert (Bob) Fulton Collins, 85, passed away on Friday, March 14, 2025 in San Antonio, Texas.

Bob was born in Savannah, Georgia to Mary and Robert Fulton Collins on July 6, 1939. Bob attended Texas A&M University where he was in Squadron One in the Corp of Cadets. In 1960, Bob walked on to the Aggie baseball team where he held the position as relief pitcher. In 1961, Bob had 61 strikeouts in one season for the fighting Aggies which was a college record for Aggie baseball for the next 25 years. He received a degree in Industrial Engineering from Texas A&M. Bob was an avid supporter for many sports, as well as a golf enthusiast and fisherman. Every Tuesday, Bob could be found playing golf with many of his buddies. Saturday Aggie football games were a must and enjoyed by Bob. Another great passion of Bob's was planning and traveling to the next destination with his wife and family.

Bob married Barbara Patterson on September 9, 1961 in San Antonio at Trinity Baptist Church. Bob and Barbara were married for 55 years until Barbara's passing in 2017. In Bob's early career, he was a Stockbroker for EF Hutton, he later went on to own a family business, B&M Mattress, and in later years, he owned Collins Properties and was a Real Estate Agent for Bradfield Properties. Bob was a faithful member at Trinity Baptist Church where he served as a Life Deacon. He and Barbara helped to establish a

couples Sunday School class referred to as "That Class." Bob was also a member of the downtown Rotary Club where he was well known for his perfect attendance.

Bob is preceded in death by his parents, wife Barbara, and son Kenneth He is survived by his children, Leigh Ann Timber and Lori Collins; his grandsons, Zachary Timber and Anastasia and Cameron Timber; and his great grandchildren Henleigh, Adalyn and Aurelia. Although Bob was an only child, he was blessed with Barbara's family including her sisters Sandra Jenkins, Karen Dean, and Marsha Patterson Wade (deceased), and many nieces and nephews.

SERVICES

A Celebration of Bob's Life will be at 3:00 P.M. on Sunday, March 23, 2025 at Trinity Baptist Church, 319 East Mulberry, San Antonio. Pastor Ken Hicks will be officiating. A reception will follow in the Creative Life Center Grand Room at the Church. A Graveside Service with Military Honors will be at 1:00 P.M. on Friday, May 9, 2025 at the Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery (Shelter 1), 1520 Harry Wurzbach Road. Please refer to the directions to the site of the Service on this memorial. In lieu of flowers, his family requests contributions in his memory be made to Rise Recovery Services to help those who struggle with addiction and substance abuse.

Previous Events

Celebration of His Life

MAR **23**. 3:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Baptist Church
319 E. Mulberry Ave.
San Antonio, TX 78212

Reception

MAR **23** (CT)

Creative Life Center Grand Room
319 East Mulberry
San Antonio, TX 78212

Following the Celebration of His Life

Graveside Service with Military Honors

MAY **9**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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

Directions to the Shelter for the Service are on the image at "Photos & Videos" tab

Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Mission Park Funeral Chapels & Cemetery - April 30, 2025 at 02:36 PM

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“ Bob Collins....a straight, stand-up Christian, a true Gentlemen and wonderful friend for sixty five years. He contributed much to so many; his kids, and in particularly to his lovely wife (Barbara), were his pride and joy, and God was his life.
Miles and Vi Whitnah

Arthur Whitnah - March 22, 2025 at 12:41 PM

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“ Jeffrey & Timi Lynch purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Robert (Bob) Fulton Collins.



Jeffrey & Timi Lynch - March 21, 2025 at 09:05 PM



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March 21, 2025 at 06:02 PM