



Ron Lin Bartlett

January 6, 1948 - August 28, 2023

Ronald Lin Bartlett was called home on August 28th, 2023 at the age of 75.

He

was born in San Antonio, Texas on January 6th, 1948 to Maurine (Blackburn) and Leonard Bartlett. Ron now reunites with his parents, and his first wife

Sandra

(Chappelle) Bartlett.

Ron grew up in San Antonio with his brother Lewis Bartlett; where he gained an

appreciation for hunting, fishing, and shooting sports. During his adolescent years he frequently accompanied his Dad painting houses and hanging wallpaper. While in high school he obtained his private pilot's license at Stinson

Municipal Airport in San Antonio. After graduating from Harlandale High School

in 1965 he attended Trinidad State College in Trinidad, Colorado where he obtained an associates degree from TSC's gunsmithing program. After college he began working as a gunsmith in Seguin, Texas where he met his first wife Sandra in the fall of 1972. They were married July 21st 1973 and moved to San

Antonio where he began working at Nagel's Gun Shop. Ron and Sandra had two

children Stephanie and Jeffrey. They were married for 21 years until Sandra passed on May 17, 1995 after a battle with cancer.

After nearly 30 years of working at Nagel's Gun Shop in San Antonio; Ron bought Vais Arms Inc. in 2000.

He met Beverly (Walker) Bartlett in 1997, they dated for 6 years, then were married on January 11th 2003. They were married 20 years until his passing. They bought property outside of Hondo Texas in 2006 where they built a house.

A shop was also built where he operated the business until several years prior to his passing. Ron had many interests including: hunting, fishing, archery, traveling, bird watching, woodworking, reading, native american history, the west, firearms, aviation, and photography.

Ron had many friends and family who loved him and will miss his quick wit, wisdom, and his storytelling.

He is survived by his wife Beverly, children: Stephanie Bartlett (Kurt), Jeff (Sarah)

Bartlett; step-children: Kim Albert, Heidi (Ray) Barrera, Jesse (Courtney) Stewart;

grandchildren: Aiden, Avery, Brian, Cimone, Elliott, Emma, Emily, Everett, Katie,

McKenna, Scarlet, Wyatt; brother: Lew Bartlett; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A celebration of life will take place at Concordia Lutheran Church in San Antonio,

Texas on Monday, September 18th at 10 am with an internment immediately following at Mission Park Funeral Chapels and Cemetery Dominion.

Cemetery Details

Mission Burial Park North

20900 I.H. 10
West San Antonio, TX 78230

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

SEP **18**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Concordia Lutheran Church
16801 Huebner Road
San Antonio, TX 78258

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ron Lin Bartlett.*



September 17, 2023 at 09:56 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ron Lin Bartlett.

September 17, 2023 at 09:56 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Ron Lin Bartlett.*



September 17, 2023 at 01:55 AM



“ *Hey Ron, you are now in the hands of our almighty father and savior... a much better place than here. I pray for God,s comforting arms to surround your family and loved ones who are still earthbound. I now have no “smith” to do my work and am reluctant to use anyone else. You were the best and I’m very lucky to have had 3 builds from you.*

George Weynand, 9/15/2023

George Weynand - September 15, 2023 at 03:40 PM

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“ ~The Law Office of Suzanne Coates Taylor purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Ron Lin Bartlett.



~The Law Office of Suzanne Coates Taylor - September 14, 2023 at 06:07 PM



“ A grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ron Lin Bartlett.

September 06, 2023 at 09:35 PM

JJ

“ Ron was an influential figure to me as a teenager. I worked for him for a brief period of time drilling muzzle brakes and building custom computers. Ron built his own business and he showed us kids what hard work and determination could achieve. If he were disappointed in your work or thought you could do better, then he'd let you know without beating around the bush. That kind of honesty is rare these days.

Joe Jungmann - September 05, 2023 at 10:50 AM

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“ Ann Walker and All of her Family purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Ron Lin Bartlett.



Ann Walker and All of her Family - September 04, 2023 at 01:03 PM

MW

“ We love you and miss you, Ron, but take comfort that you're with our Lord Jesus. Thank you for being such a wonderful husband to my sister Bev, and a loving father, grandfather, and brother-in-law. God bless you forever.



Miriam Walker - September 04, 2023 at 12:39 PM

RS

Beverly, our family is saddened to hear of your family's loss. We planted 5 trees in Ron's honor. Love your cousins, Greg, Rhonda, Brian, Mike, Terri and Rob.

Rhonda Shedron - September 06, 2023 at 09:40 PM