



Ronald Ray Rivas

April 20, 1941 - July 21, 2018

Ronald Ray Rivas, 77, went home to be with the Lord on July 21st, 2018 in San Antonio, Texas.

Ron was born in San Antonio to David and Verda Rivas on April 20, 1941. He married Rebecca Moreno on February 20th, 1985. He graduated from Edison High School then attended Odessa Junior College on a basketball scholarship. After graduating from Southwest Texas State University, he worked at Equifax, and retired from State Farm after 35 years. He then joined the Board of Directors at Las Palapas.

Ron was devoted to his church and family. He also enjoyed calligraphy, fishing and golf. He was an avid San Antonio Spurs and Houston Astros fan. He was passionate about spreading the gospel of the Lord through ministry work including making hospital visits and speaking at people's funerals.

He is preceded in death by David and Verda Rivas, Audrey Kuhn, and Kristin Hopper.

Ron is survived by his wife Rebecca, children Leslee, Brian Hopper, grandchildren Jordan Rios, Logan, Layla Hopper, and an abundance of family and friends.

Service will be Saturday, July 28th at 10am at Mission Park Stone Oak 23755
Hwy 281 N with burial to immediately follow.

Cemetery Details

Mission Burial Park North

20900 IH 10 West
San Antonio, TX 78257

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JUL 28. 10:00 AM (CT)

Mission Park Life Center at Stone Oak
23755 US-281
San Antonio, TX 78258
(210) 576-3377
<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Tribute Wall

RL

“ Dear Becky,
Frank & I just heard about Ron's passing today and we are so sorry to hear that such a wonderful friend who we have not seen in a while has left this earth and is in heaven as I write this. We just wanted to tell you we are praying for you because I know you and your family will miss him greatly. We have such fond memories of you both as we ministered together at Cornerstone Church.
We love you,
Rosalee & Frank Little

Rosalee & Frank Little - August 05, 2018 at 06:23 PM

MP

“ You are such an amazing and godly man. I am so grateful we crossed paths. Many of funny memories and lots of words of encouragement you shared over the years.
10,000 Reasons Rivas! I can't wait to see you again.

Monica Pardo - August 04, 2018 at 09:01 AM

Jl

“ I'll sing o song for you Mr. Rivas! Thank you for the light you brought into this world. Thinking of you today. I won't forget our conversations and your words of encouragement.
Love you lots! ♡ jilly



jilly - July 28, 2018 at 10:45 AM

CR

“ *Ronnie Rivas was a very special person and through his life and ministry touched many people and families. I am proud that I knew him as a class mate and friend. I am so sorry for your loss, he will be greatly missed. I am sorry that I can not make his service today as I am dealing with health issues myself but will be with you in spirit and memory.*
Charlie Rummel

charlie rummel - July 28, 2018 at 09:44 AM



“ *Island Memories Casket Spray was purchased for the family of Ronald Ray Rivas.*



July 27, 2018 at 05:18 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ronald Ray Rivas.*



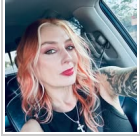
July 27, 2018 at 02:31 PM



“ *Memories to Treasure was purchased for the family of Ronald Ray Rivas.*



July 26, 2018 at 01:09 PM



“ *Ron was such a sweet and genuine man, not many are made like him. It has been a privilege to have known and have had the opportunity to work with him through these years. We wish the Rivas hope in the midst of sorrow, comfort in the midst of pain.*

Pat Brown Realtors Family

Michelle Stout - July 26, 2018 at 01:00 PM

PB

“ *Our Condolences to Ron's Family from the 1962 Class of Edison High School.*



Peggy Kosub Butler - July 26, 2018 at 12:25 PM

GK

“ *Ron was a very special man, so kind and genuine, and a true friend. His precious family is in our thoughts and prayers. He will be missed.*

Dee and Gloria Keller

gloria keller - July 25, 2018 at 11:29 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronald Ray Rivas.*



July 25, 2018 at 11:22 PM

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Mark Lackie - July 25, 2018 at 07:44 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Ronald Ray Rivas*.



July 25, 2018 at 05:15 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray* was purchased for the family of *Ronald Ray Rivas*.



July 25, 2018 at 05:02 PM

ML

“ Ron was an incredible man that I am so blessed to have known him for so many years. He was more than just a friend but a spiritual brother. I think I could ask him anything and if he could he would do it for me. I can't count the number of times that he was there for me. He picked me up out of a parking lot when I learned of my dad's passing. He sat with me while my wife was in surgery. He came and comforted me after I learned of my wife's passing. He went with me to the funeral home to make the arrangements. He encouraged me to start a ministry in grief support. I know they say that we should not judge people but Ron is one person I know that should of had an express lane to heaven. Every night, I turn to my wife's urn and tell her goodnight, I miss her and I love her and I have since added Say hi to Ron for me. We all can be comforted knowing that Ron is with his Savior and some day we will all be united with him and our Savior.

Mark Lackie - July 25, 2018 at 03:02 PM

JT

“ I am terribly sorry to hear of your loss. Although words can do little, I want you to know you have my deepest sympathy.



Joe A Trevino - July 25, 2018 at 01:47 PM

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“ ~ Your Outcomes Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ronald Ray Rivas.



~ Your Outcomes Family - July 25, 2018 at 01:40 PM