



Thomas L. Even

February 6, 1937 - November 13, 2005

Thomas L. Even, born on February 6, 1937 in Washington, Missouri, passed away on Sunday, November 13, 2005 in San Antonio, Texas. A fair and compassionate attorney, Tom graduated from St. Mary's University in 1972 with a Doctorate of Jurisprudence. He was a Past Noble Grand of Harlandale Oddfellow Lodge #26, member of the San Antonio Bar Assoc., National Rifle Assoc., State Bar of Texas, San Antonio Family Lawyers Assoc. Past President, Texas State Rifle Assoc. and the San Antonio Executives Club. Tom was a good man who had a heart of gold and will be dearly missed by everyone who knew and loved him. Tom is survived by his loving wife Cheryl; daughter Libby Huffman and husband Brock of San Antonio; sons, Mark Even and wife Joyce of Seguin TX, Paul Even and wife, Tina of San Antonio, Skip Nill of San Antonio; sisters Judy McCarthy of Dallas, TX, Mary Minchow of San Antonio, Ann Hamilton of Tacoma, WA, Jane Cunningham of Helotes, TX; and brothers John Even of San Antonio, Jim Even of Houston, TX, Harold Even Jr. of San Antonio, Michael Even of Soldotna, AK; five grandsons, Christopher, Alan, Derek, Eric and Jason Even; honorary Granddaughter, Keely Faust, Mother-in-law Margaret Barnes of San Antonio; numerous nieces and nephews and a host of friends and colleagues.

SERVICES

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, November 16, 2005 starting at 6:00 pm,

with a rosary recited at 7:00 pm at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church, 13715 Riggs Rd., Helotes, TX 78023, with Deacon Bill Simmonds presiding. The funeral service will be held on Thursday, November 17, 2005 at 12:00 noon at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North, with Rev. Charles Cropper presiding. The interment will follow at Zion Lutheran Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society and mailed to Guadalupe County Relay for Life, C/O Joyce Even, 109 Twin Oak, Seguin, TX 78155.

Tribute Wall

BJ

“ Cheryl our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. When we think of love lost...a love shared is never lost. I am sure the good Lord is saying " Well done, my good and faithful servant."
Love You, Betty & Tim Schuster

Betty & Tim Schuster Jr. - November 27, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ Sorry to hear of your loss. Our prayers are with you and the family. Harry and I enjoyed traveling with both of you and will surely miss Tom in the future.

Mary Lou and Harry

Mary Lou Kilgore - November 27, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Thank you to the Even Family for sharing such a great man and allowing him to be a honorary Grandfather "Papa Tom" to my daughter Keely or "Keely Weely" as he called her. She knew him as nothing other than Papa Tom and loved him the same as she loves my

Michelle & Keely Faust - November 26, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ Thomas L. Even

Charlie Cropper - November 24, 2005 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ Although I never knew Tom well while he was living, I came away from his service feeling like I had just lost a dear friend. Everything about the service from his friend talking about what he meant to him, and all that he had accomplished in his life, to

Kit Farris - November 24, 2005 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ JOHN TAYLOR AND I SEND YOU OUR LOVE AND PRAYERS. IF YOU NEED ANYONE TO TALK TO, HOLD YOUR HAND OR WHATEVER WE WILL BE THERE FOR YOU

JOHN TAYLOR COOK
KAREN COOK

KAREN COOK - November 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ THE BOYS AND GIRLS OF THE BALCH SPRING JUNIOR IOOF AND THETA RHO WANTS YOU TO KNOW THEIR LOVE AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU

BALCH SPRING JR IOOF AND THETA RHO - November 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ To Cheri, Mark & Joyce & boys;
My turtle prayers are with you.
In F.L. & T.
Billie

Billie Lange - November 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ *Mother and I were so sorry to hear about Tom's passing. Our prayers are with you and your family in this time of sorrow. I have requested Tom's name to be added to our Mass intentions at St. Mary's Cathedral Basilica.*

*Love,
Dorothy & Momma Dare*

Dorothy Dare - November 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ *Cheryl, our hearts go out to you and hope you will find comfort in remembering your life with Tom and know that your friends and family are here for you. In Rebekah love,*

Barbara

Barbara Corfield - November 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ *Our deepest sympathy. Our prayers and thoughts are with you.*

Sam & Peggy Patterson - November 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ *My prayers are with you all for God's peace & comfort.*

*Sincerely,
Artis
Conroe Rebekah*

Artis Lothman - November 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Cheryl,
You are in my prayers. My mom keeps me informed with all the happenings of her friends so I hated to hear about your loss. You were such a wonderful part of my Theta Rho experience. Take care,
Marcy Hicks Curlee

Marcy Hicks - November 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ It was my pleasure to have had Tom in my life. He was a dear friend and was loved by me, and my children very much. We will miss him.

Glenetta Collier - November 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ Cheryl,
You and your family are in my thoughts and Prayers. You have always been very special to me. You are such a blessing to me and my family.

We love you very much!

Love,
Amy , Zachary, and Daisy

Amy Box - November 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SK

“ Cheryl-
Thoughts and prayers with you....

love you,
susan

Susan Khan - November 21, 2005 at 12:00 AM

VC

“ Cheryl, you and your family are in my thought and prayers. Tom was a great friend and neighbor for many years. I have so many wonderful memories of the fun times we all spent together. I know he is in a better place and having a joyful reunion with his fam

Vivion Collier - November 21, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Dear Cheri and family,
We are so deeply saddened for your loss. The months ahead will not be easy. We do hope that we will be able to get down there to see you before long.. .at a time when you are not getting so much attention!!
Our love,

Danny Jones and Bettie - November 21, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Cheryl, Frank & my thoughts and prayers are with you. Sorry we couldn't be there with you. Remember we are here for you. Love to you and your family.

Rosa Ford - November 21, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ Cheryl, please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers during this time of sorrow.

Richard & Brigitte Koehler - November 21, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ Thomas L. Even

SHIRLEY JONAS - November 21, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ You are in my thoughts and prayers. I hope to see you in the near future and just know that I care. Call me if I can do anything for you or just to talk. God Bless you.

Carol Curlee - November 21, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ Tom and I met when he was a law student and I a young lawyer and the two of us helped Charlie Butts prepare for and try a murder case. He displayed that early the talents that would stand him in such good stead as a lawyer. It was my great pleasure to mar

Judge Pat Priest - November 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ I had the pleasure of working in the same office that Tom did for a number of years. He was truly a remarkable man, and I feel blessed to have known him. He will remain in my prayers.

Bea Aldrich - November 17, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Tom has always been kind and generous, and a good legal advisor. We will always miss him and his contributions to our profession.

Bill and Patricia Baskette - November 17, 2005 at 12:00 AM

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DC

“ I agree that Tom will be missed. I personally will miss visiting with Tom and listening to war stories while we waited for an assignment in the Presiding District Court. We convey our sympathies to the family.

Dan & Ann Carabin - November 17, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ We did not get to meet Tom however we have met his daughter Libby. Thanks for sending us some joy our way.

Clint and Rose Heard - November 17, 2005 at 12:00 AM

KN

“ Mr. Tom was a great friend to us in so many ways. We share your sorrow and hoping it will comfort you to know that many hearts reach out to you in sympathy and love. May God Bless Tom & his family.

Kenneth, Judy, & Dillon Null - November 17, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ Tom Even's generous nature and true concern for his client's and friend's his client's often became his friend's for good reason manifest itself in many ways. His wise counsel and kindness were gift's he graciously shared. He will be missed. My condolences

Glenn Reed - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ Tom will be missed greatly by all his friends in the San Antonio Executives Association. I personally had done business with Tom, and can tell you that he was a very fair and honest gentlemen. His strong voice will be remembered throughout all the SAEA e

Richard Perez, Jr., SAEA President - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ THE FAMILY HAS MY DEEPEST CONDOLENCES. I HAD THE PRIVELEGE OF PRACTICING LAW FOR THE LAST THIRTY-TWO YEARS AND DURING THAT TIME TOM WAS ALWAYS THE CALM DIGNIFIED GENTLEMEN. HE WAS AN EXCELLENT ATTORNEY. I AM SORRY I DID NOT TAKE THE OPPORTUNITY TO KNOW

JOHN A. LONGORIA - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Mr. Even was a true supporter of the Guadalupe County Relay for Life. We will miss seeing him this year, but know he will still be there walking by our side. One day, he will look down on us and be able to say, "I knew that we could find a cure". My he

Donna Castillo - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ I first met Tom over 30 years ago when we were both baby lawyers. We remained friends since then. He was a good lawyer but more importantly, He was a good guy and a good friend. Jim Bass

JIM BASS - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

EF

“ Tommy was a good longtime friend and helped us through the years

Eddie & Betty Fort - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ Tom was a great mentor and I learned a great deal from him when I started practicing law with he and Franklin in that great office next to the Zero Lounge. He was an exceptional person as well as a great attorney and a wonderful friend. He will be missed

Pete and Deidra Henry - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ *May God Bless Tom and his family*

Scott R. Donaho - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ *We will all miss Tom. He was a great guy and we all enjoyed him at the San Antonio Executives Club.*

Paul Fuller - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ *I know Tom and my dad and Jimmy Mayfield are sitting around a table playing Pinochle. After all, this is deer season. I'm glad I got to spend all those deer seasons with Tom on our leases in Batesville. We had lots of great stories that I know we'll sh*

Rusty Collier - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ *Cheryl, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this somber time.*

Brooks C. Green - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *Tom was such a great guy. Always full of cheer and a smile for his friends. Aggressive in handling his clients' cases. Never one to back down from protecting his clients' best interests. An absolute pleasure in my life. He would be especially appreci*

Charles Hardy - November 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

ED

“ *Tom was a real advocate. He sometimes blamed me for his becoming a lawyer, but I forgave him for that. My deepest condolences to his family.*

Ed Dylla - November 15, 2005 at 12:00 AM