



Thomas "Jim" Keith

March 4, 1943 - November 2, 2020

Thomas "Jim" Keith, went to his heavenly home on Monday, November 2, 2020 at the age of 77. Anxious to start his life early, he was born in a back seat on the way to the hospital on March 4, 1943 to Ralph E. and Berta H. Keith.

He is survived by his son Nathan Keith; daughter, Kimberly Whitaker (Brian); granddaughters Kaylynn and Emily; sisters Elaine Conklin and Kathy Bishop (Jim); brothers Duane Keith (Johnnie) and Byron Keith (Midge); numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his loving wife of 53 years, Carol, his parents and his brother Gordon Keith.

Jim worked for the US Postal Service until his retirement in 2002. He thoroughly enjoyed retirement as he was able to serve full time as the absolute best Granddaddy in the world! For years, he was an avid deer hunter; he enjoyed nature and often expressed awe in what God created for us. His favorite vacations were camping in State and National Parks where he could explore from sunrise to sunset. His favorite day was any day he felt he contributed to bringing joy to someone he loved.

The family wishes to express their gratitude to his wonderful and caring physicians whose care allowed him to enjoy a wonderful life.

Services will be held Monday, November 9, 2020 at Shearer Hills Baptist Church located at 12615 San Pedro, San Antonio, TX 78216. There will be a visitation at 1:00p followed by a celebration of his life at 2:00p. Please observe Covid protocols.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 9. 1:00 PM (CT)

Shearer Hills Baptist Church
12615 San Pedro Ave.
San Antonio, TX 78216

Celebration of Life

NOV 9. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

EG

“ Ernest & Kim Garza purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Thomas "Jim" Keith.



Ernest & Kim Garza - November 08, 2020 at 12:14 PM

SA

“ Steve, Shirley & Betty Whitaker Kim & Josh Abbott purchased the Fall Fantasia for the family of Thomas "Jim" Keith.



Steve, Shirley & Betty Whitaker Kim & Josh Abbott - November 06, 2020 at 02:20 PM

TN

“ The Villarreal Family (Your neighbors) purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Thomas "Jim" Keith.



The Villarreal Family (Your neighbors) - November 06, 2020 at 01:53 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas "Jim" Keith.*



November 05, 2020 at 10:43 PM



“ *Jim was a wonderful big brother. He knew his work was to obey the scriptures and spread the Words of Jesus Christ by being a loving husband, understanding Dad and a Grandpa that made his granddaughters know they could always count on his support. He lived what he believed.*

Elaine Conklin - November 05, 2020 at 03:26 PM



I have many memories of Jim and his family as friends and neighbors for many, many wonderful years. One particular memory is etched in my mind and heart, that I just have to share, and that is Jim pulling a wagon down the sidewalk, and around the neighborhood, with Kaylynn, and later Emily sitting inside talking about everything they saw on the way. I used to enjoy watching them, because I knew Jim was proud as could be of his precious grandgirls. We shared so much together and called ourselves the Red Cap Family. We truly have remained close in our hearts, even when we don't see one another as often. I can truthfully admit that, except for the birth and time with my grandchildren...those were the best times of our families lives. We will miss Jim, but I know the time will come when all of us will come together again on our Red Cap in Heaven. Nathan, Kim, Kaylynn and Emily, and all the family, my heart is sad for your loss. He left a treasure behind, but the treasure he has in Heaven is so much more than we can imagine. I am grateful to have had the opportunity to share a friendship with you. RIP Jim Keith

Sandra Jeanes - November 08, 2020 at 11:49 PM