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Larry Nix passed away peacefully at home, surrounded by loved ones, at age 73 from complications of Parkinson's disease on July 17th, 2020. Larry was born in Henderson, Texas on March 7th, 1947. He was raised in Seagoville, Texas and served honorably in the Marine Corps before graduating from University of Hawaii in 1983 as a Civil Engineer. In his professional life, Larry worked for US Army Corps of Engineers and TU Electric for many years before striking out on his own as a successful and well-recognized custom home builder in the University Park area of Dallas. Larry knew this would be a place parents would want to raise their families and make memories; he took pride in that, and made sure what he was building was more than a house, it was a home. Although he died from a disease that made the last few years of his life difficult, Larry would always joke that it's okay because he'd already done so much "living" in his previous years. His passion for living life to the fullest led him to go from one adventure to the next. On a vacation to Hawaii with two of his best buddies at age 30, he vowed he would move there one day ... which he did in the 80's, where he completed his engineering degree and made new and dear friends before returning to Texas several years later. His fun and relaxed attitude could reliably turn any stranger into a fast friend. Anyone who knew Larry wouldn't be surprised to see him pull up in a great car - he had a passion for classic cars and trucks. However, Larry's greatest joys in life did not come from his work or his adventures, but the time he spent with his family and friends. To know Larry was to feel loved. He was accepting of everybody and his greatest hope was that his family and friends found happiness in their own lives. This was a good thing - Larry helped raise 6 children, so his easy-going, loving manner made him a wonderful family man. Larry was always there to cheer his loved ones on and lend a helping hand whenever they needed one. He was the epitome of selflessness and kindness. He did anything and everything for the people he loved. Everyone who knew Larry had a



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special place for him in their hearts, as he did for them. Larry's kind and loving spirit is carried on by his wife Coco, his 4 daughters Christina, Cecilia, Lane, and Rebecca, his 2 sons James and Tyler, and his 6 grandchildren; as well as his brother and sister, Tracy & Lana; and his other extended family Chris, Cody, Cory, Amy, and Tessa. A memorial service will be held 2:00 pm, Saturday, August 29, 2020 in The Memorial Chapel at Restland Funeral Home, 13005 Greenville Ave, Dallas, TX. In lieu of any flowers, please consider sending a donation to Parkinson Voice Project.



Events

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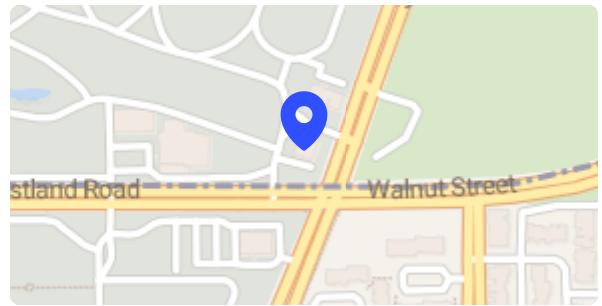
Memorial Service

 **Saturday**, August 29, 2020

 2:00 PM CT

 **The Memorial Chapel at Restland Funeral Home**

13005 Greenville Avenue, Dallas TX 75243





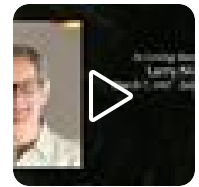
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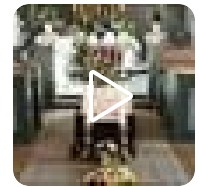
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August 29 at 12:01 PM



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August 12 at 5:04 AM



Steve Freeman posted:

Grateful that I got to know this guy thru Coco and my years at Fellowship. He had a way of making anyone feel welcome like an old friend. Good memories. - Steve Freeman

September 4 at 3:23 PM



Tracy Wayne posted:

06/13/20 Last week when I FaceTimed him, I had my Flag set up & had my USMC hat on. The Nurse asked my Brother "Who is that?" and HE said, "The Greatest Guy in the World!" (Love, Honor, Respect). Tracy Wayne Nix #GotYourSix :flag-us: :flag-us:OooRaaahh:flag-us:

August 22 at 11:15 AM



Tracy Wayne posted:

My Brother, A Legacy I want to be like:When I was 3, He protected like no other.When I was 13, He told everyone "Hey, this is my brother!"When I was 23, He reminded me to always call my Dad and Mother.When I was 33, He reminded me Family is FOREVER.When I was 43, He said "Let's go fishing, I've got Bass Fever!"When I was 53, He invited us over for Thanksgiving Dinner.When I turn 63, I will STILL believe if I am like Him that I am a WINNER!Love you Big Brother,TWN

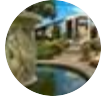
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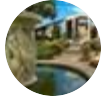




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