



Aubrey Downing Keith

June 28, 1939 - July 3, 2023

A celebration of life service for Aubrey Downing Keith, 84, of Hideaway, TX will be held

Wednesday, July 12, 2023, at 2:00 pm at Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home in Lindale, TX with

the Rev. Nick Sholars officiating. Visitation will begin at 1:00 pm directly before the service. After a

lengthy battle with Lewy Body Dementia, Aubrey passed away peacefully at home on July 3, 2023, with

his wife Carole by his side. Burial will be at Harris Creek Cemetery in Winona, TX.

Aubrey was born June 28, 1939, in Winona, TX to Aubrey and Helen Keith. At two years of age his family

moved to Dallas, TX where he graduated from Sunset High School in 1957.

Upon graduation he served in

the United States Coast Guard. He obtained his Bachelor of Business Administration degree with a

major in accounting in 1963 from the University of Texas at Arlington. He became a Certified Public

Accountant in 1972.

Aubrey's early professional career was in the oil and gas industry with

employment in Dallas, Brownsville, and Amarillo, TX. His entrepreneurial spirit was always present. He owned numerous restaurants, and in 1983, he purchased Grace Healthcare Services in Jacksonville, TX. After moving to Hideaway, TX in 1990, he acquired a home health agency changing the name to Grace Visiting Nurses and relocating the agency to Jacksonville. In 2017, Aubrey sold both businesses and retired.

Aubrey enjoyed many sports, and he loved being outdoors with his family participating in golf, snow skiing, sailing, running, and tennis. He and Carole often traveled alone or with friends playing many well-known golf courses.

Aubrey was preceded in death by his parents, Aubrey and Helen Keith, and his sister Zeyphene McMackin.

He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Carole; son, Brian Keith of Hideaway, TX; daughter, Carrie Provinsal of Lansing, Michigan; 2 grandsons, Tyler Provinsal of Hideaway, TX, and George Provinsal of Lansing, Michigan; sister, Bailey Sue Marland of Spring, TX; four nephews and one niece.

Aubrey's family would like to thank all the nurses and aides from The Hospice of East Texas for their loving care, especially Stacey, Joyce, and Jackie. They would also like to thank caregivers Tameka and Tawatha of Living Angels for their kind and compassionate care.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Hospice of East Texas, 4111
University Blvd, Tyler, TX
75701 or the charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

Harris Creek Cemetery

14037 County Road 336
Tyler, TX 75708

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 12. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home
206 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771
(903) 882-3141
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Funeral Service

JUL 12. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



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“ My deepest condolences to the Keith family on this very sad occasion. Aubrey Keith (Mr. Keith to me growing up) was like a second father and the Keith household in northern Dallas was like a second home. I was best friends with Brian (Aubrey's son) and Carole Keith (Mrs. Keith to me) was my second mom. Carrie was my second little sister. I love you all and miss you so much, it's been far too many years since we've seen each other. Please reach out to me on my email below when you have time.

Love,
Cliff Breedlove
breedlovecliff@hotmail.com

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