



Ernest "Leon" Fleming

August 30, 1947 - October 5, 2020

Funeral services for Ernest "Leon" Fleming, age 73 of Tyler, Texas, are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Thursday, October 8, 2020 at the Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home Chapel in Lindale, Texas with Pastor Lewis Pollard officiating. Interment will follow at the Damascus Cemetery in Lindale.

Leon passed away Monday, October 5, 2020 at his home in Tyler. He was born August 30, 1947 in Lindale, Texas to the late Earnest Clark and Lila Ruth (Duncan) Fleming. Leon served his country in the United States Army from 1966 to 1972. He has lived in Tyler for over 50 years where he retired after 38 years of service with Goodyear Tire and Rubber. Leon was a member of Masonic Lodge #993, United Steel Workers # 746, and loved watching his granddaughters play softball. He was preceded in death by his son, Terry Fleming.

Leon is survived by daughter, Kristin Robertson and husband, Kevin of Bullard, Texas; son, Jerry Fleming and wife, Jennifer of Frankston, Texas; sisters, Nancy Bedinghaus of Tyler, Texas, Nell McPherson and husband, James of Lindale, Texas, Kaffie Corley and husband, Woody of Lindale, Texas; grandchildren, Kelsey and Cassidy Robertson, Lauren Freeman and husband, Lane, and Bailee Fleming; great grandchild, Henley Beekman; and numerous nieces, nephews, and other loving family members and friends. Serving as pallbearers will be Luke Beekman, Michael Bedinghaus, Aaron McPherson, Ben Corley, Travis McPherson, and Brandon Nevarez.

Family will receive friends from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 7,

2020 at Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home in Lindale. As a COVID-19 precaution, masks are required at all visitations and services.

Cemetery Details

Damascus Cemetery

16964 County Road 4105
LINDALE, TX 75771

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home
206 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771
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Tribute Wall



“ *Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Ernest "Leon" Fleming*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - October 06, 2020 at 10:33 PM



“ *Ernest "Leon" Fleming*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Ernest "Leon" Fleming*

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM



“ *UP Palestine Car Shop family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ernest "Leon" Fleming.*



UP Palestine Car Shop family - October 07, 2020 at 02:58 PM



“ *Lori & Matt, Jennifer, and Gary Burleson purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Ernest "Leon" Fleming.*



Lori & Matt, Jennifer, and Gary Burleson - October 07, 2020 at 01:58 PM



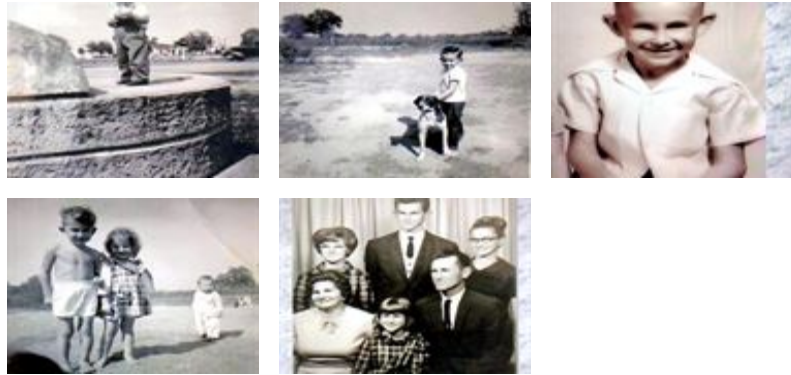
“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Ernest "Leon" Fleming.*



October 06, 2020 at 10:56 PM



“ *38 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - October 06, 2020 at 10:24 PM



“ *Sentimental Dreams was purchased for the family of Ernest "Leon" Fleming.*



October 06, 2020 at 06:37 PM



“ *JANE POWELL lit a candle in memory of Ernest "Leon" Fleming*



JANE POWELL - October 06, 2020 at 02:12 PM



“ *I REMEMBER THE DAY LEON WAS BORN. CARRIED HIM ON MY HIP UP AND DOWN THE DIRT ROAD BETWEEN HIS HOME AND OUR GRAND PARENTS HOUSES. WE KIDDED ABOUT IT MANY TIMES OVER THE YEARS. WOULD NOT TRADE OUR MEMORIES WITH ANYTHING. LOVE TO HIS CHILDREN, GRANDCHILDREN, SISTERS AND THEIR FAMILIES, A COUSIN THAT MEANT A LOT TO ME... JANE POWELL*

JANE POWELL - October 06, 2020 at 02:11 PM



“ *Karen Damon lit a candle in memory of Ernest "Leon" Fleming*



Karen Damon - October 06, 2020 at 09:44 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ernest "Leon" Fleming.*



October 06, 2020 at 09:28 AM



“ *Sending comfort, prayers & hugs to all the Flemings. Leon was a very special friend & holds a special place in our hearts.*

Del Paula - October 05, 2020 at 06:54 PM