

Robert E. (Bobby) Walker

January 15, 1938 - November 29, 2025

Robert E. (Bobby) Walker died peacefully in his sleep on Saturday, November 29, 2025, surrounded by his family. He was born on January 15, 1938, to Wilson Elvin Walker and Georgia Pace, where he grew up and lived in Port Arthur, TX most of his life. He moved to Hideaway Lake, TX for the last 25 years of his life. He was a loving husband, devoted father, adoring grandfather, amazing great grandfather, and friend to everyone he encountered. Most of all, he was a man of strong and abiding faith, a steadfast follower of his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, and His Roman Catholic Church. He was a parishioner at Holy Family Catholic Church in Lindale, TX. He attended Port Arthur Thomas Jefferson High School, and was a four-sport letterman. He also was a graduate of Lamar University in Beaumont, Texas. He worked for DuPont Chemical for 38 years as a metallurgist, and retired to Hideaway Lake, TX. He was by definition an extremely hard worker. He worked multiple jobs in roofing, electrical line work, and metal inspection as he worked his way through college. While working as a metallurgist at DuPont, he found the time to coach his sons' baseball and football teams and made a lifelong impact on many of their friends that remained for decades. He was the president of the Sertoma Club in Port Arthur, and remained active in the Kiwanis Club in Hideaway, TX. He found great joy in watching the sporting events and cheering on his children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. He loved traveling with his family and especially enjoyed summer trips to Garner State Park with his family for over

50 years. He had an engaging personality and an uncanny knack for finding something interesting to discuss with whomever he met. He was compassionate, energetic, contemplative, and evangelized for Jesus Christ by living a life of virtue. After meeting at the age of 15, he later married the love of his life Wanda Jacobs Walker, and they remained married for 68 years. After child rearing, they lived a life filled with travel, social group engagements, bridge club, and supper groups. He is survived by his wife, Wanda; his five children: Kurt Shane Walker, Shanna Kae Brown (Gary Sanderson), Kyle Shawn Walker (Madeleine), Karl Shea Walker (Lori), and Kevin Slate Walker. His 14 grandchildren: Jacob Walker (Lana), Kaleb Walker (Carly), Hannah Simonds (Kyle), Court Brown (Dallas), Corrigan Jones (Tyler), Camden Brown, Colton Brown, Kyle Walker (Brooke), Christopher Walker, Caroline Kelly Walker, Elle Walker, Erin Walker, Christian Walker and Caroline Kay Walker; His 9 great grandchildren: Truett Walker, Deacon Walker, Briggs Walker, Jane Walker, Julia Walker, Walker Brown, Bergen Brown, Kate Simonds, and Garner Simonds, as well as many more cousins, nephews, and nieces. Serving as pallbearers will be Jacob Walker, Kaleb Walker, Court Brown, Christian Walker, Kyle Walker, Christopher Walker, and Colton Brown. Honorary pallbearers are Donnie Goodwin, Hank Wainwright, Johnny Massey, Alton Wolfe, Steve Smith, Billy Baugas, Jimmy Walters, and James Turpin.

Cemetery Details

Lindale City Cemetery

702 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771

Previous Events

Rosary

DEC 5. 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM (CT)

Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home
206 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771
(903) 882-3141
jeff@crdfh.com

Visitation

DEC 5. 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

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Mass

DEC 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church
18221 FM 2493
Flint, TX 75762

Tribute Wall



“ Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - December 03, 2025 at 11:00 PM

DK

“ Doug, Liana and Lauren Kirk purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.



Doug, Liana and Lauren Kirk - December 05, 2025 at 09:20 AM

DK

“ Doug, Liana and Lauren Kirk planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.

Doug, Liana and Lauren Kirk - December 05, 2025 at 09:20 AM

SW

“ Shannon Loosier and Austin Warren purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.



Shannon Loosier and Austin Warren - December 05, 2025 at 08:27 AM

RR

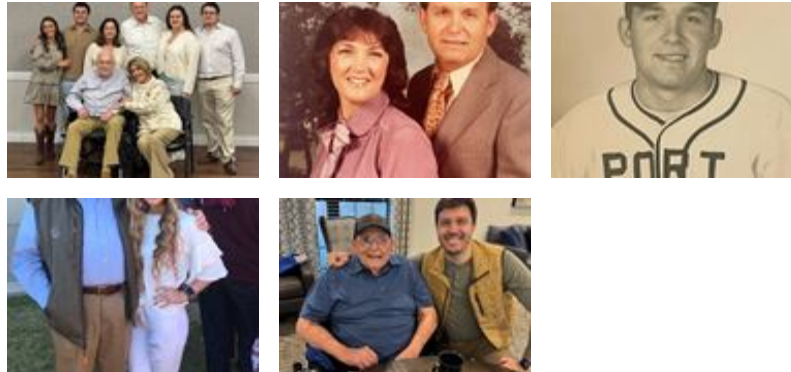
“ Rusty and Trish Ransom purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.



Rusty and Trish Ransom - December 04, 2025 at 07:25 PM



“ 49 files added to the album Life Tributes



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - December 04, 2025 at 05:46 PM

TF

“ *The Durso Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.*



The Durso Family - December 04, 2025 at 03:12 PM

BR

“ *I love you guys. He will be greatly missed...may he rest in eternal peace.
I'll always have fond memories of him. Never forgotten. B*

Belinda Rice - December 04, 2025 at 12:36 PM

BR

“ *Belinda Rice lit a candle in memory of Robert Walker*



Belinda Rice - December 04, 2025 at 12:35 PM

GB

“ *Gregg & Lisa Brooks planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.*

Gregg & Lisa Brooks - December 04, 2025 at 11:27 AM

GB

“ Gregg & Lisa Brooks purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.



Gregg & Lisa Brooks - December 04, 2025 at 11:27 AM



“ Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.



December 04, 2025 at 10:58 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.



December 03, 2025 at 11:44 PM

TM

“ Tania, David, Emily and Madison. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.

Tania, David, Emily and Madison. - December 03, 2025 at 07:57 PM

TM

“ *Tania, David, Emily and Madison. purchased the Divine Light for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.*



Tania, David, Emily and Madison. - December 03, 2025 at 07:57 PM

AK

“ *Angela and Joe Krebs purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.*



Angela and Joe Krebs - December 03, 2025 at 07:47 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.*



December 03, 2025 at 12:18 AM

WH

“ *W. Lee Hood purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.*



W. Lee Hood - December 02, 2025 at 09:09 PM

WH

“ W. Lee Hood planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.

W. Lee Hood - December 02, 2025 at 09:09 PM

KJ

“ Kyle Jacobs purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.



Kyle Jacobs - December 02, 2025 at 08:11 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Robert E. (Bobby) Walker.



December 02, 2025 at 03:18 PM

RL

“ I have always thought about my friend and mentor Bobby Walker. He was not only an inspiration to me but taught me much about life and how to better myself. I thank him for driving me and giving me the opportunity to become successful in my life. Now I have another Saint to pray to help me get to Heaven where I hope to see him again. Wanda, my heart is with you and your loss. I know Bobby loves you forever! ramon lopez

Ramon Lopez - December 02, 2025 at 11:34 AM

JM

“ Bobby was our friend , he lived out his Faith. We pray for Wanda and family comfort. He finished his race. Rest in Peace Bobby

Joan Margaret Mullen - December 02, 2025 at 10:45 AM

AW

I met Robert in 1945 at R.E. Lee Elementary in 1945, Second grade. Not enough space here to share eighty years of memories. One of my favorites: Fifth Grade; P.E. teacher Mr. Delk made him spit out his Beech Nut chewing tobacco. He didn't move. As soon as Mr. Delk was out of sight, he recovered his "chew". He was my catcher from Little League in 1950 thru High School; always wondered why he didn't try Pro ball, he was that talented. T.J. won Third place in State in 1956. We have commiserated for a life time we didn't get to Play Abilene for the State Championship! Bobby, may you rest in the loving arms of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ for for eternity! Wanda, my heartfelt condolences to you and the family. Maybe I'll be thumping his catchers mitt in a field of dreams one day. Much love, Alton wolf

Alton "Butch" Wolf - December 03, 2025 at 05:24 PM