

Horn, Lawrence Earl | 1932-2017

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Lawrence Horn

Lawrence Earl Horn, 85, of Lago Vista, died Wednesday, July 26.

Memorial service is 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 5, at Grace Fellowship Church in Lago Vista with the Rev. Rick Waters officiating.

Earl will be cremated with a portion of his ashes being scattered over Lago Vista and the remaining ashes being buried alongside his beloved son in Boyd.

He was born April 16, 1932, in Hubbard to W.B. Horn and Blanche Mae Horn. When he was 3 years old, his family moved to Boyd where he was raised.

Earl was drafted into the United States Army during the Korean War and served two years for his country. After his service in the army, he attended Lamar University in Beaumont while working full time at the Vidor State Bank as vice president and cashier. Known for his quick wit and humorous personality, Earl loved music and was the karaoke emcee at the Highland Lakes Country Club for about 10 years.

He went to Lago Vista in 1969 and was part of the sales force for National Resort Communities. He also opened several offices for the company to bring people to see Lago Vista. During this period in his life, he also served as sales manager for the Point Venture development. In 1990, he organized Premier Specialities, an orthopedic supply company and durable medical equipment provider. He was president and CEO until his retirement in 2001.

He was privileged to have two beautiful wives, Kay Stevens Horn of Lake Jackson and Phyllis Bryan Horn of Elgin, Ill. Kay gave him three wonderful children, Deborah Kay Hair, Edward Earl Horn and Steven Mark Horn. Phyllis had one beautiful daughter, Sara Elizabeth Horn.

Earl was preceded in death by his parents; son Steven Mark Horn; sisters Sue Farmer and Billie Logan; and brother Olan Horn.

He is survived by his son, Edward Earl Horn; daughters Deborah Kay Hair and Sara Elizabeth Horn; grandchildren Kelly Ann Bridges and husband, Drew, and Adam Michael Hair; great-grandchildren Bristol Kay Bridges, Bowen Robert Bridges and Evelyn Clare Bridges; sisters Peggy Nell Thom and husband, Roger, of Lake Buchanan and Trisha Taylor and husband, Don, of Boyd.

He is also survived by an identical twin brother, Livingston Burl Horn and wife, Johnnie, of Houston.