

Konecny, Gerald 'Jerry' Louis

1940-2021

By [Joy Carrico](#) | Published on January 20, 2021

Gerald "Jerry" Louis Konecny, 80, went to be with our Lord Friday, Jan. 15, 2021, at his home in Decatur.

There will be a private memorial service at Oaklawn Cemetery.

Jerry was born July 22, 1940, to William and Frances (Heitzman) Konecny in Fort Worth. He served in the U.S. Army during the 1960s and was stationed at Camp David, Maryland. Following his military service, he attended the University of North Texas and the University of Texas at Arlington. On June 29, 1974, Jerry was united in marriage to his wife of 46 years, Carolyn Sue Renshaw of Decatur. They spent the next 31 years as the owners and operators of Renshaw Seed, Greenhouse and Landscaping in Decatur, retiring in 2005.

Jerry is survived by his wife, Carolyn; brother Jim Konecny and wife, Lisa, of Weslaco; sisters Joan Hope and husband, Ron, of Abilene and Joyce Brown and husband, Mark, of Austin; and numerous nephews, nieces and friends.

The family requests memorials be made to the Wise County Historical Society, 1602 South College St., Decatur, TX 76234.

Hawkins Funeral Home Decatur