



Larry Weaver

May 13, 1955 - November 26, 2012

Larry Weaver of Corsicana, Texas passed away November 26, 2012 at the age of 57. Larry was born May 13, 1955 in Houston, Texas to Hollice and Vicki Weaver.

Following his graduation from the United States Air Force Academy in 1977, Larry became a helicopter pilot specializing in search and rescue missions. During his time in the service, he achieved the rank of major before retiring in 1994. Larry and his family moved to Corsicana in 1995 where he became a dedicated member of Northside Baptist Church, serving as a deacon, Sunday school teacher, and chairman of the pastoral search committee. He found a passion for spreading the word of God through his work with the Corsicana camp of Gideons International. A lifelong teacher, Larry began the Junior ROTC program at Corsicana High School and later became the Dean of Arts, Science and Humanities at Navarro College where he recently retired.

He is survived by his wife, Susan Weaver of Corsicana; son, Patrick Weaver and wife Terri of Midlothian; daughter, Stephanie Weaver of Houston; granddaughter, Gwenyth Weaver of Midlothian; mother, Vicki Weaver of Tyler; brother, Keith Weaver and wife Denise of Tyler; father-in-law Sam Slaydon and wife Billie of Lufkin; brother-in-law Robert Slaydon and wife Cathy of Midlothian; brother-in-law Michael Slaydon and wife Lisa of Plymouth, Indiana; sister-in-law Sherri Due and husband Keith of Rockwall; and numerous nieces

and nephews.

He is preceded in death by father, Hollice Weaver.

Visitation will be Thursday evening from 6:00pm - 8:00pm at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. Services will begin at 2:00pm Friday, November 30, 2012 at Northside Baptist Church with Pastor Rick Lamb officiating. Burial will follow at Oakwood Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Byron Cook, Mike Cox, Brad Haynie, Richard Tate, Noel Webster, and James Wright.

Honorary Pallbearers are members of the Corsicana camp of Gideons International.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Gideons International or to the Northside Baptist Church building fund.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

900 North 19Th Street
Corsicana, TX 75110

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **29**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Corsicana
1530 N. 45th Street
Corsicana, TX 75110
(903) 874-4774
info@griffin-roughton.com

Service

NOV **30**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Northside Baptist Church
2800 North Beaton
Corsicana, TX 75110

Tribute Wall



“ *Larry Weaver*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Wow, it's hard for me to believe that he is actually gone. I was in his first J.R.O.T.C classes. He was such a wonderful person. He push me hard, but it paid off. Greatly missed.*

Michael Christopher - January 24, 2015 at 10:04 AM



“ *I'm sorry for the lateness of the post below. I knew Larry for many years in our USAF careers--no better Man, no better Leader. I was proud to know him. He dedicated himself to not only his God, his family, but to his fellow men and women--worldwide. He risked his own life many times to help those in need. Too soon. Calm winds my friend.*

Eric Greenblatt - March 28, 2013 at 10:44 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Eric Greenblatt - March 28, 2013 at 10:41 AM

DP

“ Dear Susan, I can not imagine the depth of your loss. I pray God will bless you with His increadable "peace that transends all understanding."

Larry and I roomed together for a while in CS 36 at the Air Force Academy. I remember him as a man solid in his character, mature in his faith and spirited in his sense of humor.

There is no better tribute to Larry than the life he lived in humble service to God and the lives he touched. He is an inspiration to me to do the same.

I look forward in hope to seeing him again in heaven.

*Sincerely
Dave Podolny*

David A Podolny - December 11, 2012 at 11:09 AM

RW

“ Larry's Academy family has just learned of his passing. His cadet squadron classmates remember him as a man of strength--strong faith, strong character, a strong friend to have on your side. His sense of humor and steadfast friendship will be sorely missed. Our hearts go out to Susan and to all who loved him and miss him. We are praying for y'all.

*See you in Heaven, Larry.
Rex Williams
USAF A CS-36 Class of '77*

Rex Williams - December 11, 2012 at 08:43 AM

SR

“ A great squadron classmate and friend at the Air Force Academy .. always rock steady, great sense of humor, and man of strong faith. We'll miss you but know we'll get together in the future to share some tales and catch up on old times. Peace and rest, good friend.

Sam Rupe
"Pink Panthers" Cadet Sqdn 36
Class of 77

Sam Rupe - December 10, 2012 at 07:46 PM

TH

“ Major Weaver, oh God it didnt even know. You had taught me a lot about self respect in JROTC and respect for each and everyone. I thank you. You will be missed. Im still in total shock it has been over a decade since school and I also helped you out athe college, you were super amazing and the nicest major, and teacher ever. My thoughts and prayers for the family

Tiffany Holmes

Tiffany Holmes - December 05, 2012 at 05:50 PM

CS

“ Susan, I am sorry to hear about the death of your husband. From reading the other tributes, I could tell that Larry was an awesome Christian man. It has been a long time since our days in Lufkin but I will pray for you and your family.

Carol (McCurry) Sinclair

Carol McCurry Sinclair - December 04, 2012 at 09:43 PM

DH

“ Larry you were a wonderful nephew and will be missed. My prayers go out to Vickie, Susan, Patrick, Stephanie and Keith. See you on the other side. Save me a places.

Love your favorite Aunt Dorothy

Dorothy Walker Hanovice - December 02, 2012 at 12:04 PM

EC

“ Our sympathy to the entire family. Victor and Marie Crawford

Elizabeth Marie Crawford - November 30, 2012 at 02:13 PM

PB

“ Pamesha Brown lit a candle in memory of Larry Weaver



Pamesha Brown - November 30, 2012 at 09:21 AM

PB

Dr. Weaver, inspired and touched so many lives while he served at CHS. I will never forget him and I thank God for the Christian life that he lived. A true role model he was.....May you rest in the bosom of Jesus for all eternity.

Pamesha Brown - November 30, 2012 at 09:23 AM



“ Red Poinsettia was purchased for the family of Larry Weaver.



November 29, 2012 at 10:39 PM

DA

“ Dan and I send our prayers and love to your family. Larry truly was a man who loved his God, family and friends. He will be remembered with great respect and love. Dan and Barbara Acock

Dan and Barbara acock - November 29, 2012 at 10:09 PM

CK

“ Cynthia Kirgis lit a candle in memory of Larry Weaver



Cynthia Kirgis - November 29, 2012 at 08:57 PM

CK

I did not have the pleasure of knowing Mr. Weaver but I worked with his wonderful wife at Bowie . Also I am so glad that he started up the JROTC program at Corsicana High my son is in his 3rd year in the program and with role models that are in this program I know my son will succeed in life. Thank you Mr Weaver for giving so much and to his family your all in my thoughts and prayers.

Cynthia Kirgis - November 29, 2012 at 09:04 PM

JH

“ Joe Hambrick lit a candle in memory of Larry Weaver



Joe Hambrick - November 29, 2012 at 08:48 PM



“ *Holiday Homecoming Basket was purchased for the family of Larry Weaver.*



November 29, 2012 at 02:56 PM



“ *To the Weaver family,*

Mr. (Major) Weaver made a definite impact on my life as a youth, and his wise words still ring true with me today. Words cannot begin to describe how good of a man he was and he will truly be missed.

Ecclesiastes 7:1 A good name is better than precious ointment, and the day of death than the day of birth.

Dusty Brooks - November 29, 2012 at 12:23 PM



“ *Larry was truly a man of God. He not only "talked the talk", he "walked the walk". What a great example & legacy he has left behind. Heaven has gained a new angel. Susan & family, our thoughts & prayers are with you. It was an honor to have know him.*

Greg & Mona Barlow - November 29, 2012 at 11:38 AM



“ *A Full Life was purchased for the family of Larry Weaver.*



November 29, 2012 at 11:33 AM

PD

“ I will always remember Larry, a wonderful friend and mentor. I am so glad we reconnected at Navarro College after going to high school together in Wichita Falls. Prayers to the family.

Phyllis Duggan

Phyllis Duggan - November 29, 2012 at 10:17 AM



“ *Quiet Expressions* was purchased for the family of Larry Weaver.



November 28, 2012 at 09:26 PM

TD

“ *The Duggans* purchased the *Written in the Stars* for the family of Larry Weaver.



The Duggans - November 28, 2012 at 08:02 PM

TW

“ *The Websters* purchased the *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* for the family of Larry Weaver.



The Websters - November 28, 2012 at 06:28 PM

JP

“ *The world has lost one of it's truly good people. Dr. Larry was a joy to work for and I feel blessed to have had that privilege. He is and always will be at the top of my list of people with honest and true hearts (right there with my Dad.)*

How lucky your family has been to have had him.

*Sincerely,
Jamie Preston*

Jamie Preston - November 28, 2012 at 12:25 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Larry Weaver.*



November 28, 2012 at 12:23 PM

MG

“ *In the short time i knew Dr.Weaver he had touched my heart. You and your dear family are in my thoughts and prayers my God Bless you.*

Mandy grant

mandy grant - November 28, 2012 at 11:51 AM

KW

“ Larry Weaver was a "Man of God"! He was true to his faith, he fought the good fight and finished his course. I will never forget the first time my family and I met the Weaver's, we were truly, truly blessed having know Larry, they were one of the first couples that we met at Northside, He is a true example of a Christian. We are truly blessed by knowing him and will continue to be because of the example that he left. Susan, you and your children are in our prayers, thinking of you. Love, Keely and Joey Ward

Keely Ward - November 28, 2012 at 11:11 AM

MP

“ As an employee under Larry 's supervision, we had several frank exchanges of viewpoints which didn't make his job any easier. We also had a mutual respect for one another. The world and Navarro College have lost a good man. Heaven has gained another star. Rest in peace, you will be sorely missed.

Mary Lou Percy

Mary Lou Percy - November 28, 2012 at 10:16 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Larry Weaver.



November 27, 2012 at 09:15 PM



“ No better demonstration of God's love than Dr. Weaver. We are so sorry for your loss.

Ervin and Sheral Phillips

Sheral Phillips - November 27, 2012 at 09:09 PM



“ This is very heartbreaking! I remember the first day I met Maj.Larry Weaver. I was a freshman at the High School and entered the ROTC program! I spent the next 4 years in the program. I spent hours, days, weekends with you, traveling around the different bases and you teaching me so much. The biggest thing you taught me was "NOT TO GIVE UP"! I took that and still carry it with me every day!! Then when I enrolled in college, there you were MY PROFESSOR!! More days and hours spent learning all new stuff with you, but this time it was Dr. Larry Weaver. You will be greatly missed and I am praying for your family and everyone that you have impacted in life! Thank you for everything you have taught me! Your are a hero in my book. I could start typing tons of stories about all the years I have known you. I will be digging out the ROTC books tonight, just so I can reflect everything!! Going to be lots of laughs and tears tonight!! Love, Crystal Valentine Allen

Crystal Allen - November 27, 2012 at 12:36 PM

DW

“ *Mary Kathyne and all of our family have wonderful memories of "Major Dad"! What a Godly man, husband, father, friend, boss and prayer warrior...oh to be more like him! Praise the Lord for his life!*

Thank you Stephanie for loving Mary Kathyne and sharing your family with ours. We are truly richer because of your love and life! We love you all and will continue to lift you to our Father! Mary Beth and David



David and Mary Beth Wilson - November 27, 2012 at 09:55 AM

DP

Dr. Weaver was a very nice person and treated everyone the same. He never failed to remember birthdays, and he was such a good person to work with. He had character and ethics, something in short supply these days. I will always remember him as one of the good guys.

Donna Parish - November 28, 2012 at 01:57 PM