



Robert Corley

January 21, 1952 - January 26, 2013

Robert Corley, resident of Corsicana, passed away at Navarro Regional Hospital on Saturday, January 26, 2013 at the age of 61. He was born on Monday, January 21, 1952 in Greenville, Texas to W. L. Corley and Jean Gregory Corley. He married Doris Adams on July 19, 1980 in Denton, Texas. Robert retired from Education after 37 years as a teacher and counselor in Palastine, Terrell, Corsicana, and Hubbard. He was the director of the Association of Texas Professional Educators. He was a member of the Central Texas Tolbert Chili Group serving as Tally Master, and was an avid golfer.

He is preceded in death by his parent W. L. Corley and Jean Corley Owen. Survivors include his wife of 32 plus years Doris Adams Corley. Daughters Cheryl Corley Phillips and husband Richard of Purdon and Melinda Corley Rothenbach and her husband Diego of Austin. Sister Susan Brown and her husband Eddie of Sherman and a brother Michael Corley and his wife Marcheita of Greenville and a number of neices, nephews, and other family members.

Visitation will be with the family Wednesday evening from 6 - 8pm at Griffin - Roughton Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, January 31, 2013 at 10am in the Chapel at Griffin - Roughton Funeral Home with Pastor Rick Lamb officiating. Graveside service will be at 2:30pm at Brigham Cemetery in Campbell, Texas. Serving as pallbearers will be John Langford,

Lance Holmes, Dewey Lawhon, Darius Hatchett, Paul Ross and Tom Wilson.

Cemetery Details

Brigham Cemetery

HWY 50
Campbell, TX 75422

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 30. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home, Corsicana
1530 N. 45th Street
Corsicana, TX 75110
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Corley*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Dear Doris, Melinda, and Cheryl, I am so shocked and saddened to learn about Bob's passing. My heart goes out to each of you during this time of grief and loss. He so greatly loved each of you. I will always remember the hilarious times we had doing shows at the Warehouse. He was such a good sport about doing shows with way too many kids in them; however, he truly cherished getting to do shows with his talented daughters. I count you in on that, Cheryl, because even as a toddler (before you could read!) you would say his lines for him during rehearsals! And then I got to spend many years at CHS working with Bob. I am truly blessed that Bob was a part of my life. Much love and prayers to you.*

With heartfelt sympathy,
Frances Dodds and family

Frances Dodds - May 04, 2013 at 01:19 PM



“ *Laury Cartlidge lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley*



Laury Cartlidge - February 13, 2013 at 10:23 AM

SA

“ *Sheila Anderson lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley*



Sheila Anderson - February 01, 2013 at 11:53 PM

RM

“ *I will treasure the memories of the golf games Robert and I had. They consisted of humorous moments, constant ribbing, nagging at each other, and bad shots that fueled the joking and laughter. Robert was a friend whose memory will be with me until my life ends. He was a great man who was filled with warmth and love for his fellow man. He will be sorely missed. My sincere condolences to his family he loved so much.*

Dr. Roberto Moreno

Roberto "Bob" Moreno - January 31, 2013 at 01:26 PM

JC

“ *Prayers to the family at this time of sorrow. Jackie Cernoch*

Jackie Vance Cernoch - January 31, 2013 at 11:43 AM

TI

“ *Robert will always be remembered for his smile, laughter and great attitude. He loved life and was a true friend. We wilol all miss him greatly!*

Ted R Hume III - January 31, 2013 at 09:29 AM

GH

“ Grace McSpadden Harper lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley



Grace McSpadden Harper - January 31, 2013 at 08:57 AM

SF

“ The world lost a truly great man. Robert was a brother, mentor, and friend to me. I for one am a better person because of his influence. His memory will live on in the many lives he touched through his kindness, generosity, and humor he freely shared. I loved the man and will surely miss him.

Scott Floyd - January 30, 2013 at 11:55 PM

JS

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Janice Smith - January 30, 2013 at 10:20 PM

CS

“ *Doris, We want you to know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. I had the privilege of going to high school in Terrell with Robert and our son Duane had the privilege of you being his kindergarten teacher. It was truly an honor that you sent us an invitation to your & Robert's wedding. It was a beautiful wedding. Keep those memories with you! May God comfort you and your family during this difficult time.*

In sympathy,

Karo, Wilson, Duane & Joshua Stewart

Carolyn Stewart - January 30, 2013 at 05:38 PM

DL

“ *David And Kay Lefler lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley*



David and Kay Lefler - January 30, 2013 at 03:27 PM

JS

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Janice Smith - January 30, 2013 at 02:38 PM

JS

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Janice Smith - January 30, 2013 at 02:34 PM

JS

“ *Doris, Melinda and Cheryl - I can't begin to tell you how sorry I am that Robert left this world much too soon. We've had so many special times throughout the years. My heart aches for you all as you begin your journey without Robert. I know he has left footprints on many of our hearts. I will be praying for you all... Love Always.*

Janice Smith - January 30, 2013 at 09:09 AM

DB

“ *I had the honor of working with Robert at Terrell High School for several years. What I remember most was his smile.....a contagious smile that defined who he was. Blessings on all the family at this difficult time.*

Don Burnes - January 29, 2013 at 10:13 PM

TC

“ *Mr. Corley was my guidance counselor at Corsicana High School during the late '80s. He genuinely cared about his students during their four years of high school in preparing them for college and beyond. He was instrumental in guiding me to my choice alma mater of Austin College in Sherman, Texas, and for I am eternally grateful. You will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with the Corley family.*

Theresa Proctor Cameron - January 29, 2013 at 04:40 PM

KC

“ *Kathleen Chance lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley*



Kathleen Chance - January 29, 2013 at 02:27 PM

KC

“ *I have many fond memories of Robert during our time with ATPE. His sense of humor and ready laugh made him fun to be around. My heart goes out to his family, he will be missed by all who knew him.*
Kathleen Chance

Kathleen Chance - January 29, 2013 at 02:26 PM

KM

“ *Kimi Muldner lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley*



Kimi Muldner - January 29, 2013 at 08:39 AM

DH

“ *Doris: I cannot think of anything to say. I loved Robert. I am so grateful that God brought both of you into our lives. Linda often says how much fun she likes being around Robert because he is so funny and keeps people around him laughing. She is right Not only that, Robert was such a friend to me but also to many others. Few people had his knack for making anyone around him comfortable and at ease. I cherish the many hours we spent together. I know you , the girls, and the rest of your family are all in shock. Please know that many of us are feeling that shock along with you. If there is anything we can do for you in the days and weeks ahead, please do not hesitate to call on us. My friendship with Robert is a blessing on my life, and I know that is true for the many people whose lives he touched. You are in our prayers.*

Darius Hatchett - January 28, 2013 at 09:27 PM

CH

“ *Carol Hancock lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley*



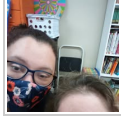
Carol Hancock - January 28, 2013 at 03:48 PM

BP

Robert enjoyed life and enjoyed being at chili cookoffs with friends, either to cook and/or to help run scorekeeping, especially down in Terlingua. His enjoyment of life (and knowing and singing along to every Jimmy Buffet song), is what has inspired me to live the life that I do. You will be greatly missed, Robert.

Bob Plager

Bob Plager - January 28, 2013 at 05:34 PM



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Elise Corley - January 21, 2014 at 05:14 PM

PD

“ *Susan and Family, we were so sorry to hear about Robert. Please know you are all in our thoughts and prayers.*

Jim and Pam DeFord

Pam Williams DeFord - January 28, 2013 at 02:39 PM

CJ

“ *Celia And Jon lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley*



Celia and Jon - January 28, 2013 at 01:22 PM

CJ

You will be very missed my friend...

Celia and Jon - January 28, 2013 at 01:23 PM

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Bob Plager

Bob Plager - January 28, 2013 at 10:19 AM

KK

“ *My thoughts & prayers are with you now. May God bless and comfort you at this sorrowful time. With deepest sympathy. Kay Martin Krebs- classmate THS.*

Kay Krebs - January 28, 2013 at 08:18 AM

RW

“ *Ron Walcik lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley*



Ron Walcik - January 28, 2013 at 05:51 AM

TB

“ *Tina Briones lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley*



Tina Briones - January 27, 2013 at 09:40 PM

ER

“ *Robert was one of the THS geeks, as was I. I am glad he contributed his gentleness to educating students. He has often been in my thoughts. I know he's waiting on the other side to guide us when we join him.*

Elaine Harper Renfro

Elaine Harper Renfro - January 27, 2013 at 05:27 PM

SS

“ Doris, Robert was such a great friend to so many people. He was always good for a big smile and hearty laugh. He will be missed by so many. Becky and I will keep you and your family in our prayers over the coming days. - Sam and Becky Spurlock

Sam and Becky Spurlock - January 27, 2013 at 04:17 PM

JT

“ Jim Trietsch lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley



Jim Trietsch - January 27, 2013 at 03:36 PM

CL

“ Everyone will miss you. You were my brother's best friend and will continue to be so. You made him laugh like no one else could. The two of you together lit up a room with laughter and fun. Thank you for giving Dewey so many years of your life. We all will miss you, but I know you will always find ways to touch out hearts.



Cynthia Lawhon

Cynthia Lawhon - January 27, 2013 at 03:22 PM

CL

“ Cynthia Lawhon lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley



Cynthia Lawhon - January 27, 2013 at 03:16 PM

JH

“ Janice Hornsby lit a candle in memory of Robert Corley



Janice Hornsby - January 27, 2013 at 02:54 PM

JH

Doris and Family, We are truly stunned and heartbroken by this! Robert was such a GREAT man. He taught me so much about being a leader in ATPE! My prayers are with you all as you journey on this new path...

Janice Hornsby - January 27, 2013 at 02:57 PM

SS

“ Doris, our thoughts and prayers are with you and the girls. May God hold you close and give you comfort.
Sue and Stan Speed and all of Dorothy Adams's family

Sue Speed - January 27, 2013 at 11:27 AM

CA

“ *Our thoughts and prayers go to Robert's family. He was a good friend who will be greatly missed by all who had the privilege of knowing him. Scout out the cook offs for us and we'll all cook together again one day, Mr. Corley. I'll have a Leinies for you tonight.*

Carl Angers - January 27, 2013 at 09:54 AM

LM

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Laury McCullough - January 27, 2013 at 07:43 AM