



James Mitchell Newsted

July 16, 1941 - December 4, 2018

James Mitchell Newsted, 77, of Claude formerly of Shamrock died Tuesday, December 4, 2018 in Claude.

Graveside Services with US Air Force Honors will be 2:00 PM Thursday, December 6, 2018 in Shamrock Cemetery in Shamrock with Jim Reyna, officiating. Burial will follow in Shamrock Cemetery in Shamrock.

Arrangements are by Robertson Funeral Directors of Shamrock.

James was born July 16, 1941 in Chehalis, Washington to Chester and Mae Carolina Newsted. He married Linda Kaye Petty on February 2, 1963 in Phoenix, Arizona. He was a US Air Force veteran. James had worked for McDonnell Douglas for 25 years and then for Ace Hardware for 8 years prior to his retirement. He was a member of the McLean Church of Christ and Shamrock Church of Christ.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Linda Newsted on December 16, 2017; and 2 brothers, Vernon Newsted and Timothy Newsted.

Survivors include his children, Melody Newsted of Claude, Scott Newsted and wife Caroline of Claude, and Kelly Benton and husband Larry of Newton Grove, North Carolina; one sister, Susan Huebert of Canton, South Dakota; his grandchildren, Crystal and Austin Miller, Kaitlin and Nolan Wiedeman, Damien Schlehofer, Tyler Newsted, Kayla Benton, Gabrielle Benton, and William Benton; 7 great grandchildren; 2 nieces of Shamrock; 4 great nephews; 1 great niece; and one dog who he loved dearly, Rascal.

In lieu of flowers, the family request memorials be sent to the VFW.

Cemetery

Shamrock Cemetery

Railroad Avenue

Shamrock, TX, 79079

Events

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Graveside Service

02:00PM

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Comments



“ My brother Jim was very good at tearing things apart and seeing how they were put together. He did this to his bike but our dad had to put it back together. He loved to play the guitar and would sing a lot of Pat Boone songs. he also loved to draw what the future cars would look like and were very close to the ones in the auto mechanic magazines. He also build the guys a tree house in our small woods and Dad did not like the use of lumber and thought it would ruin the trees with nails in them. He had an old scooter that he road to high school until the weather was bad. He worked in the hay and farm work at our Uncle Jim"s to earn \$ for gas for his scooter and anything else he needed.

He at one time studied the bible a lot while in High school and it always was very much interested in what God had to tell us. He new a lot about our ancestry and always love to have fun with us was a very smart student in school. I'm very proud to have had him as a brother and friend. He loved his country and family and looked forward when his grand children and great grand children came to visit. he loved watching racing on TV. we used to watch it in black and white when we were young at out grandmothers also hydroplane boat races. I am very proud of my brother and his love for me and my family as well as his cousins and other loved ones. I loved him a lot.

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