



Curtis A. Davidson

September 10, 1941 - July 23, 2020

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Curtis A. Davidson, of Napa, passed away Thursday, July 23, at the age of 78. Curtis died peacefully with his son Frank by his side.

Curtis was born September 10, 1941 the son of the late William Curtis and Mary Ruth Maxwell Davidson in Quanah, Texas. Curtis moved to Napa with his family in 1951 where he attended local schools and graduated from Napa High School. Following in the footsteps of his father and close uncles, Curtis began a career as a painter. He worked in the valley for more than fifty years as a painting contractor operating first as Valley Color Craft and finally Curtis Davidson Painting. A loving family man, Curtis supported his sons and grandchildren in their sporting endeavors serving as a Pop Warner coach, scout leader, and volunteer, while in his spare time he enjoyed listening to bluegrass music and trout fishing near Putah Creek and Lake Berryessa. A proud, adoring Grandpa, he once related his blessings by remarking “ I drink my coffee from a saucer, ‘cause my cup has overflowed!”

Curtis was preceded in death by his beloved parents, his brothers Sonny and David, and his wife Martha Davidson. He is survived by his sister Peggy Howard of Fairfield; three sons: Ron Davidson, Frank Davidson (Melody), and David Davidson; all of Napa; grandchildren: Danielle (Michael), Rebecca, Jordan (Staci), Benjamin (Jordan), Daniel, Matthew and Rachel; and eight great grandchildren: Haylee, Joshua, Lyla, Sadie, McKenna, Lillian, Jaycob, and Matthew. Also surviving are Curtis’ first wife and mother of his sons, Darlene Davidson—with whom he remained friends throughout the years, and daughter-in-law Gwen Davidson.

The family wishes to express their gratitude for the loving care Curtis received from the doctors and nurses at the Queen of the Valley Medical Center—especially from his grandson Jordan; and to those from both Collabria Care and Suncrest Hospice

organizations. The family asks that memorials be made to your local hospice.

Due to current restrictions, an “open air” celebration of life will be held 11:00 am Saturday, August 1, on the grounds of New Life Napa, 2625 First Street in Napa. Those attending are encouraged to wear masks and offer each other appropriate distance as they gather to celebrate the Davidson Family’s dear “Dad, Papa, and Buddy”.

Treadway & Wigger Funeral Chapel is serving the Davidson Family.

Cemetery

Napa Valley Memorial Park

2383 Napa Vallejo Highway

Napa, CA, 94558

Events

AUG **Celebration of Life** 11:00AM

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New Life Napa

2625 First Street, Napa, CA, US, 94558

Comments



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Curtis A. Davidson.



July 31 at 01:35 AM



“ Although I haven't seen my California cousins in years, we think of them often. I remember most about Curtis ("Buddy" to us Texas cousins), is his wonderful smile. My thoughts and prayers are with you all family... Love...

Virginia N Edwards - July 30 at 11:39 AM



“ Virginia N Edwards lit a candle in memory of Curtis A. Davidson



Virginia N Edwards - July 30 at 11:33 AM



“ Edwards families Aunt Inez, John, Virginia, Elaine purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Curtis A. Davidson.



Virginia N Edwards - July 30 at 11:30 AM



“ My deepest sympathy to the Davidson family. I was part of the family years and years ago., and always remember what a sweet family. Thank you for that.
Silvia Davidson McMillian

silvia McMillian - July 28 at 02:58 PM



“ Thank you Sylvia
peggy howard - July 30 at 02:53 PM



“ Dearest Davidson family,
Please accept my heartfelt condolences at the passing of your beloved father and grandfather.
You are all in my thoughts and prayers.
Love, Susan Leport

Susan Leport - July 27 at 11:39 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Curtis A. Davidson.



July 26 at 09:33 AM



“ My Father-in-law was so special! He was gentle and kind and never showed me anything but love and gentleness! I couldn't have asked for a better "Dad"! We had the privilege to have him live with us the last 3 years of his life, as his dementia progressed. He loved his family especially his grandchildren & great grandchildren. We will miss you! I love you Dad!



Melody Davidson - July 26 at 12:22 AM



“ My father in law was so much more than anyone can imagine to me and my children. He was without a doubt a unique and special individual and I owe so much to him. Oh how he loved. Oh how he gave. Oh how he fought for those he cared about, afraid of nothing and no one. He was my rock and my shield. He was guidance for my children and probably the source for their cavities... Smile. We will always love you, Dad. To say we will miss you cannot fully express the agony left in your absence.

Gwen Davidson - July 31 at 06:17 PM



“ I worked for Curt for many years. I am sure I caused some of that gray hair. He taught me alot. I will miss the stories he talked about from the old union days. That crazy man could out paint anybody. Gonna miss you my friend you were one of a kind.

Bob Garske - July 26 at 12:18 AM



“ Papa you will be greatly missed! I love you so much! Thank you for all the wonderful memories!



Danielle - July 25 at 01:20 AM