



## George Wayne Polster

December 12, 1942 - September 5, 2020

George Polster, 77, passed away September 5, 2020 in Dallas. George was born to Otto Theodore and Eula Lucille (McClure) Polster on December 12, 1942 in Marlin, Texas. George met Jacqueline Eakens at the Brush Arbor Church Revival, in 1958. Their meeting would begin 57 years of loving and being by each other's side.

George attended Graham High School in Graham, Texas. After graduation, he moved to Fort Worth and attended IBM school. Approximately 4 years after IBM school, in 1964, George joined Cummins Southern Plains, in San Antonio, Texas. He was drafted into the U.S. Army, in 1966, and served 9 months in the Vietnam War as an Army Medic and a total of 2 years as an American Soldier. George was awarded a Bronze Star and Purple Heart for his actions and service for our country in Vietnam.

Shortly after leaving the Army in 1968, George returned to Cummins Southern Plains, in Arlington, and served for 45 years, retiring in 2009 as the Director of Field Service Engineering.

George was a very generous person. Even with hardships of the Vietnam War, surprisingly, he would tell war stories and his experiences in Vietnam and it did not bother him to speak about his experiences. George connected with people and was a very civic minded person. He maintained relationships with city government officials to make sure the city was running properly and was on a first name basis with many.

George made sure all was prepared for his wife, Jackie. A phenomenal husband and loving father, he provided for his family and enjoyed spending time with them, especially the holidays. He was a man who could fix anything that was broke and was an exceptional auto, and diesel, mechanic.

George is preceded in death by his parents, son Wayne Alan Polster and sister, Clorenda Joyce Wadley.

George is survived by his wife, Jackie, son Bennett (wife Cherie), sister Loydell Paul and brother-in-laws Don Paul and Harry Wadley.

# Cemetery

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## Dallas Fort Worth National Cemetery

2000 Mountain Creek Parkway  
Dallas, TX,

# Events

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**SEP 14** Visitation 06:00PM - 08:00PM

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Blessing Colonial Chapel

401 Elm Street, Mansfield, TX, US, 76063

**SEP 15** Graveside Service 01:30PM

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Dallas Fort Worth National Cemetery

2000 Mountain Creek Pkwy, Dallas, TX, US,  
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# Comments

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“ Pat, Jeannie, & Jackie purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of George Wayne Polster.



Pat, Jeannie, & Jackie - September 10, 2020 at 05:37 PM

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“ Cummins Sales & Service purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of George Wayne Polster.



Cummins Sales & Service - September 10, 2020 at 10:57 AM

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“ I'll never forget my first day at Cummins when I got a call from George and he started right in talking about REPTO this and REPTO that. I finally found a pause and was able to ask George, "Pardon my ignorance, this is my first day, what the heck is a REPTO?". Being the generous guy he was, George said, "Rear Engine PTO". I responded, "Gotcha, I just didn't know the acronym. Please continue." And he sure did, we talked for over an hour. That was my first experience with the seemingly endless acronym's at Cummins (we actually have a website devoted to it. LOL) and my first experience with an extremely talented service engineer who would become a mentor of mine. I hope the prayers of those of us who share in your loss helps your family find solace through this challenging time.  
-- Tim Greis

Tim Greis - September 10, 2020 at 09:39 AM

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“ I remember George from High School, he was such a sweet, soft-spoken young man. In reading his obit, I wasn't surprised at how his life turned out, he was a good guy and I'm sure he'll be missed by many. Prayers for his family, friends and loved ones.

**Patsy Downing** - September 09, 2020 at 08:21 PM

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“ Loydell, I remember George and you very well. You and I played volleyball together if you will remember. George was always such a nice person, and his obituary tells a wonderful story of his life that doesn't surprise me. May all of your family feel comfort from friends of the past. Georgia

**Georgia Pratt Cunningham** - September 09, 2020 at 05:12 PM

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“ Janice & Joy Pyles Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of George Wayne Polster.



**Janice & Joy Pyles Family** - September 09, 2020 at 12:55 PM

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“ Prayers for family in your loss ! David & Bernice Trammell

**David & Bernice Trammell** - September 09, 2020 at 12:35 PM



“ George was a very good friend! My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.

**Willie Wilson** - September 11, 2020 at 03:34 PM