



Roy Washington Wirt Jr.

February 12, 1934 - April 24, 2021

It is with deep sadness we announce the passing of Roy Washington Wirt Jr. Roy passed away on Saturday April 24, 2021. He was 87 years old and had resided in Mansfield Texas for 45 years. Roy was born in Salem, Virginia, and was the third child of seven children to Roy and Annie Wirt. Roy grew up and graduated from high school in Salem. After high school he attended Hargrave Military Academy. Roy proudly served his country in the United States Army from 1956-1958.

Roy was a natural salesman and leader who never met a stranger. He attracted friends from across the country with his magnetic personality and charm. He enjoyed a successful and robust career with Eastern Airlines and retired after 35 years of service. He then went on to co-own CenterPoint Travel Agency until he fully retired in 1996. Roy's passions were golf, traveling and spending time with family and his friends.

A devoted husband of 45 years, he is survived by his loving wife Linda Wirt, and children Barry Wirt, David Wirt, Kevin Wirt, Debbie Steele, Deanna Acosta, eleven grandchildren and seven great grand children.

Roy will be greatly missed by all, but will live on through the lives of those he entertained with his one-of-a-kind personality and by all who knew him as friend, husband, brother, father, grandfather, great-grandfather ... and talented golf buddy.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the American Cancer Society are appreciated.

Please visit <http://www.cancer.org> and click on the link Give in Honor and Memorial.

Cemetery

Dallas Fort Worth National Cemetery

2000 Mountain Creek Parkway
Dallas, TX, 75211

Events

MAY 24 **Graveside Service** 02:15PM

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75211

Comments



“ Missing you so much and remembering all the memories growing up! You were the best and never ever let me down. I love you and so grateful for all the love you gave you will always be in my heart. You taught me everything and to enjoy it along the way too! Love you to the moon and back... Deanna

Deanna Acosta - May 21 at 11:32 AM



“ Chris Sohn purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Roy Washington Wirt Jr..



Chris Sohn - May 14 at 12:42 PM



“ Sending so much love to Roy's family and Linda. I was saddened today to hear of his passing and so many times in the past 4-6 weeks he has popped into my mind. Now I know why, it was that sign from above giving me a nudge to pick up the phone and call. I didn't listen or act on it, and so wish I would have now. Roy, you were always like a second Dad to me who gave me the opportunity to work at KilRoy Travel when I was young and trying to find my way in the travel business. You believed in ME and I so thank you, as it gave me the opportunity to grow, learn, and most important I felt like a part of your family. Here is the last pic from when I popped in to visit you on my last trip to Texas ~ so glad that I listened to my gut then. Thank you Roy for being a part of my life! We will miss you and I'll see you on the other side some day! xoxo ~ Suzan Alsenz



Suzan Alsenz-Walker - May 06 at 10:54 PM



“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Abby Wilson - May 06 at 05:26 PM



“ Sending prayers and big hugs your way! I so glad I had the pleasure of knowing Roy. He was an absolute fine gentleman. He will be missed

Tayte Hebert - May 05 at 12:22 PM



“ Dear Linda and Family,
Sending my love and prayers to you all. As kids, I remember we never knew what Roy would say to us as we'd come to visit Deanna and hang-out as kids would do. I think he always intended to provide us with some wisdom. Looking back, I hope he knew it always made a positive impact. Thanks for the Roy-ism's!
Denise O'Donnell-Cowden

Denise Cowden - May 04 at 11:40 AM



“ Dear Linda and family,
Deepest sympathy to all of you. Roy and Linda were (are) the best of friends. We enjoyed many great times together. Roy also shared many get togethers with our five kids too and they treasure the memories. They admired him and his advice. Roy will be so missed.
With much love, Jack and Sandy xoxoxoxo

JackSandy Stolley - May 01 at 02:13 PM



“ Thank for being a great dad!! Gonna miss our talks...they were priceless as you were!! Love you always Roy boy!!



Debbie Steele - May 01 at 01:54 PM



“ Love you Gpa Roy



Caroline Mabry - May 01 at 12:53 PM



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Courtney Gay - May 01 at 12:52 PM



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Courtney Gay - May 01 at 12:15 PM



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Deanna Acosta - May 01 at 02:23 AM



“ Love you and will miss you! What a great moment to share!

Deanna Acosta - May 01 at 02:25 AM



“ Great friend and neighbor. We will miss you Roy Boy especially the afternoon scotches.
Kilgore

Larry L. Kilgore - May 01 at 10:02 AM



“ 5 files added to the album Memories Album



David R Wirt - April 30 at 03:26 PM



“ Roy was a great guy. Condolences to his family and friends.



Betty Gonzales - April 30 at 08:50 AM