



Robert Calvin Hurst

April 12, 1932 - March 20, 2021

Robert Calvin Hurst passed away on March 20, 2021, at the VITAS Hospice Center in Shenandoah, TX at the age of 88 years, 11 months, 8 days. He was born on April 12, 1932, in Comanche County, Lawton, OK, the son of Lester Carr and Eula Estella (McLain) Hurst. Robert was preceded in death by his parents, 3 brothers and 5 sisters.

He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Rita Ann (Howell) Hurst of Magnolia, TX, 4 Sons: Robert C. Nelson (wife Sharron) of Lakewood, CO, Howard (wife Sherry) of Fruita, CO, Mark (wife Jean), and Scott of Magnolia, TX; 2 Daughters: Traci, of Spring, TX and Robyn, of West Palm Beach, FL; 7 Grandchildren: Heather Coan, Stacy Ross (husband Jeremy), Candace Hurst, Miranda Hurst, Brittany Purswell (husband Dewayne), Jacob Hurst, and Rikette Guillory (husband Tyler); and 8 Great-Grandchildren: Cadence Coan, Braedon Ross, Ryan and Lily Muir, Tristen Purswell, Dawson and Sterling Guillory, and Lincoln Williamson; and many nieces and nephews.

Robert proudly served his country during the Korean War as a Sergeant in the United States Marine Corps. Following the war, he worked for the railroad as a Telegraph Operator, then began a 17 year career with AT&T in several positions, ending as a Computer Programmer. Bob studied Accounting and moved his family to Texas in 1972 to help his brothers with their roofing companies. He then opened his own business: Central Roofing Company, in Houston, TX, and ran it successfully for approximately 17 years. After closing his business, he retired to travel with his wife.

He built a “small village” in Old Town Spring, TX called “Thyme Square” where he and his wife owned and operated an antiques business for many years. They rented out other buildings for use as hair salons, food catering, schoolhouse rooms, and even a civil war museum, among others. Robert went by many names. We also knew him as Bob, Dad, Uncle, Grandpa, Paw-Paw and Friend. He had many hobbies throughout his life including dancing, listening to country music, gardening, riding horses, swimming, hunting, camping, traveling with his family, watching sporting events, but he especially liked reading western books and watching old western movies later in his life.

Visitation will held at Addison Funeral Home, 18630 Kuykendahl Road, Spring, TX 77379, on Thursday March 25, 2021, from 5pm-8pm.

A Memorial Service will be held at the Thyme Square Party Room, 200 Noble Street, Spring, TX on Sunday April 11, 2021, from 2pm-5pm.

Inurnment will be at Houston National Cemetery, 10410 Veterans Memorial Drive, Houston, TX 77038, on Monday, April 12, 2021, time TBD.

Honorary Pallbearers will be: Robert C. Nelson, Howard Hurst, Mark Hurst, Scott Hurst, Jacob Hurst, and Barry Leinhart.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **25**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Addison Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Calvin Hurst*

July 20, 2022 at 05:14 PM



“ *Chuck and Susan Kluna purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Robert Calvin Hurst.*



Chuck and Susan Kluna - March 25, 2021 at 09:34 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert Calvin Hurst.*



March 24, 2021 at 11:06 PM