



## Frank "Lane" Horger

December 31, 2024

Frank "Lane" Horger passed away in the early morning hours of December 31, 2024, with his son by his side. Lane was born on September 17, 1952, in McAllen, Texas, to Frank and Frances Horger. After graduating from Texas Tech in 1974, Lane joined the Lubbock, Texas, Police Department, where he served honorably until he was hired by the U.S. Border Patrol in 1977, class 113. The U.S. Border Patrol took Lane and his now young family from Marfa, Texas, to Lubbock, Texas, to Corpus Christi, Texas in 1988. In 1998, Lane became a special agent with U.S. Immigration and Naturalization Service in Austin, Texas. In 2001, he was promoted to supervisor over U.S. Border Patrol's Anti-Smuggling Unit in Del Rio, Texas, where he remained until his retirement as the Resident Agent in Charge for U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, Office of Investigations in 2009.

Lane is preceded in death by his parents and sister, Linda Clark. He is survived by his brother, David "Linn" Horger (Anita) of Wharton, Texas, his sons James Horger (Mechele) and Jason Horger (Sabrina), his daughter Jennifer Huerta (Victor), eight grandchildren, and five great grandchildren, as well as a niece and three nephews. Lane fiercely loved his Lord, his country, and his family.

Lane's life was dedicated in some form or another to service to others. First as a Boy Scout and an active member of the service fraternity, Chi Rho, then as a career law enforcement professional, and finally in his local community and church in Del Rio. Lane was always there to lend a hand and leave things

better than he found them. He will be missed immensely by those of us lucky enough to have known him.

The family would like to recognize Chris and Helen Molitor, Terri King, and Aimee Neal for lovingly caring for their father during the past several months of his life.

God speed; we have it from here.

A viewing will be held on Friday, January 3rd, from 5-7p at Kreidler Funeral Home in McAllen, TX.

A graveside service will be held on Saturday, January 4th, at 10am at Roselawn Cemetery, located at 1201 S. Main St. in McAllen, TX.

Lane asked that donations be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital in lieu of flowers.

# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Cemetery

1201 S Main  
McAllen, TX 78501

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kreidler Funeral Home, Inc.  
314 N 10th St.  
McAllen, TX 78501  
(956) 686-0234  
kreidler@sbcglobal.net  
<http://www.kreidlerfuneralhome.com/index.html>

## Graveside Service

JAN 4. 10:00 AM (CT)

Roselawn Cemetery  
1201 S Main  
McAllen, TX 78501

# Tribute Wall

JM

“ My condolences to the family of Lane Horger. I had the pleasure of working under him when he was my supervisor for Border Patrol Antii-Smuggling unit and the Department of Homeland Security. He was real supportive of the work I was responsible for. We had some good times working cases and best of of all enjoyed good conversations during our breakfast get togethers before starting our work days. I lost track of Lane when he retired and just found out recently of his passing. May the Lord bless him and his family. Adios Amigo. Which means goodbye my friend.

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**Jose Mendoza** - January 12, 2025 at 04:35 PM

LM

“ Very sorry to hear of Lane's passing. He and his family were close friends of my family during our childhood days. Lin, you may recall our many BBQ's together. Your dad and mom were very close to my parents, Ralph and Jean Milliken. Frank and Ralph were childhood buddies, and their high school exploits, including the football teams, made for some good stories during our get togethers. You were the youngest, Linda , Lane and my brother Mike and I had some good times. My last conversation with Lane updated me on his sons and daughter and the grandkids. He was so proud of you, Lin, and all his family. Lane was a good guy, a patriot and always honest. I am certain, as a true Christian, He is resting peacefully in Heaven. My very bests and sincere condolences to all the Horger families. Take care Lin.

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**Larry Milliken** - January 05, 2025 at 08:36 AM

RK

“ Lane was my "Little Brother" in XP. We had some good times together. Joette and I will miss you Lane. Until we meet again rest easy.

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**Roy Kimbal** - January 04, 2025 at 10:56 AM

MA

“ Lane and I became friends in Kindergarten. He was my friend for my entire life. I named my son Randall Lane because of my respect and love for Lane. He was a truly standup guy and a great Texan. My deepest sympathies to his family upon his death. There will never be another like him. Meet you in Valhalla my brother.

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**Major (RET)Robert Ball US Army** - January 03, 2025 at 09:58 AM

DT

My thoughts and prayers go out to Lane's family. I worked with Lane at Lubbock PD until he left to become a Border agent. I also had the privilege to meet and know his dad, Frank, who was a Texas Ranger in Lubbock. All I can say is that we need more dedicated American men like Lane and his dad. My deepest gratitude and appreciation for both men; and, condolences to all who knew Lane and loved him as a friend or family member.

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**Dave Tillery** - January 04, 2025 at 06:15 PM

PN

“ Having only known Lane for a few years, I know he will be missed by many, friends and family, children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, rest in peace Sir.

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**Phil Neal** - January 03, 2025 at 08:21 AM

MH

“ Lane was a great agent and not only did he live by the motto of Honor First, he remained a steadfast supporter of his green BP family throughout his retirement. I looked forward to his messages about upcoming gatherings as well as his stories, and I will miss all of those. God speed my friend. My condolences to James and the entire Horger family as well as Lane’s other friends and family.

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**Matthew Hudak** - January 02, 2025 at 12:51 PM

RF

So sorry for the loss of Lane. He was a good man, faithful Christian and a friend. May he rest in peace, be at peace.

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**Richard Pratt family** - January 02, 2025 at 10:16 PM

TD

“ Lane and his family have been our childhood friends for many years. He and his sister, Linda shared many times with me and my brother, Kelly. Condolences to your family from the Timlin family!

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**Trisha Timlin Drago** - January 02, 2025 at 12:14 PM