



Jimmy (Jim) Dean Disbro

April 14, 2024

McAllen – Jimmy (Jim) Dean Disbro, 79, loving husband, father, grandfather and uncle passed away peacefully on April 14, 2024.

Jim was born on December 10, 1944 in Alice, Texas to Melvin, Sr., and Edna Rose Disbro. They later moved to McAllen during his early school years. In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by a brother Sonny.

Jim is survived by his wife of 51 ½ years: Kathy Graham Disbro; daughters: Michelle McMillan (Chris) and Cassandra Wietgreffe (Eric). He is also survived by a brother, Ronnie Disbro (Sarah) and granddaughters: Hailey McMillan, Annabelle and Josephine Wietgreffe along with a host of loving nieces, nephews and extended family.

Jim was raised in the Lutheran faith, but his best church services were held in the deer blind, fishing, or on the back patio watching the birds whilst admiring the beauty and grandeur of God and all His creatures. He had many hobbies over the years but far outshined by projects his daughters were involved in from elementary through college, including parent organizations, livestock shows, and being a Texas A&I and Texas Aggie parent.

Jim served as a medic in the army. His work life was diversified especially in the 20 years he worked with 7-11 Valley Lar-Lin franchise and Circle K. His

role included managing stores to stocking them, fixing Slurpee machines, maintaining video games, protecting the stores from hurricanes and overseeing the construction of new stores all the way from Laredo to South Padre Island. Following that, he taught his favorite subject, science at Rowe High School in McAllen for 21 years, which his daughters followed in his footsteps.

The family extends their gratitude to all who have walked the path with them over the last several months. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to C.A.M.P. University in McAllen (www.campuniversity.org).

Celebration of Life will be held at 12:30 pm on Monday, May 6, 2024 at Kreidler Funeral Home in McAllen. Interment will follow at 2:00pm at the Rio Grande Valley State Veterans Cemetery, 2520 S. Inspiration Rd. in Mission.

Cemetery Details

Rio Grande Valley State Veterans Cemetery

2520 South Inspiration Road
Mission, TX 78572

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAY 6. 12:30 PM (CT)

Kreidler Funeral Home, Inc.
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<http://www.kreidlerfuneralhome.com/index.html>

Tribute Wall

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“ Working with Jim was one of the highlights of my time at Rowe. He would help teachers get up to speed on those strange things called computers, he was the sponsor for the Lions Club student group which I inherited from him, he was assigned many of the most challenging Special Ed. kids, and I recall how ticked off it made me feel when I heard any trace of criticism about Jimmy. Just today I came across his old phone number and thought, dang, of all the many 200 people I got to know fairly well in the Warrior Nation, this fellow would be among the top 3 or 4 I would like to see regularly again (I live part of the year in Connecticut now, my bod don't do this summer humidity no more).

Don Delaney - May 02, 2024 at 10:00 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Jimmy (Jim) Dean Disbro.



May 02, 2024 at 11:55 AM

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“ Our deepest condolences to you Kathy and the family. Rest in Peace Jim
Love & prayers,
Bear & Family



Fernando (Bear) Barrera - May 01, 2024 at 01:13 PM

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“ One more Mc High good guy has joined those who went before.
Rest in peace, Jimmy 🌸

Kay Kelly

Kay Kelly - April 26, 2024 at 02:24 PM

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“ Kathy and family, my deepest sympathies go out to you and your family. I know what your going through at this time but he is looking over you now from up above. David and Jim were friends on earth & even in death.

Do not stand at my grave and weep. I am not there. I do not sleep. I am a thousand winds that blow. I am the diamond glints on snow. I am the sunlight on ripened grain. I am the gentle autumn rain. When you awaken in the morning's hush I am the swift uplifting rush of quiet birds in circled flight. I am soft stars that shine at night. Do not stand at my grave and cry I am not there. I did not die. by Mary Elizabeth Frye

Lee Jirovec - April 26, 2024 at 09:44 AM

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Dearest Kathy and family, my sincere thoughts and prayers to you as I am so very sorry to hear of Jimmy's passing. Please know that I am thinking about you and saying many prayers for you at this time. God's blessings to all of you, Frances O'Connell.

Frances O'Connell - May 02, 2024 at 09:09 PM