



Curtis James Russell II

April 16, 1955 - April 22, 2019

Mr. Curtis James Russell II, age 64, a 22-year resident of Rockwall, Texas, passed peacefully from this life on April 22, 2019. Curtis was born on April 16, 1955, in Dallas, Texas, to Curtis James Russell and Carol Ruth (Marshall) Russell-Jett.

He graduated from W.W. Samuell High School and attended Texas Tech University. He was renowned for valuing family, making them his top priority, and was adored by his wife and children for it. Curtis loved playing golf but decided it took too much time away from his family and, instead, chose to invest that time in his children. He brought his faith into his daily life, and displayed love and loyalty in everything he put his hand to. His love for his wife and hers for him, was obvious to all those around them and only grew stronger during their 22 years of marriage. In his last decade, "Love your neighbor as yourself" became his heart's intention.

Curtis Russell II is survived by his wife: Jennifer Russell; daughters: Taylor McDonald, Hannah Russell, Sarah Russell and Elianna Russell; son: Zebulun Russell; grandson: Riott McDonald; sister: Sheri Allen; brother: Todd Russell; and his mother: Carol Ruth Russell-Jett. He was preceded in death by his father: Curtis James Russell; and step-father: Norman Ray Jett.

Funeral services will be held 1:00pm Friday, April 26, 2019, at Reflections at Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall location with Bro. Paul Henry officiating. Interment will follow at Smyrna Union Cemetery in Emory, Texas. A gathering of family and friends will be held at The Gathering at Rest Haven Funeral Home on Thursday, April 25, 2019, from 6:00pm to 8:00pm.

As an alternative to flowers the family requests donations be made to Venmo at Russellmemorial-fund account.

Cemetery

Smyrna Union Cemetery

1303 County Road
Emory, TX, 75440

Events

APR **Gathering** 06:00PM - 08:00PM

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The Gathering at Rest Haven Funeral Home - Rockwall
Location

2500 State Highway 66 East, Rockwall, TX, US, 75087

APR **Funeral Service** 01:00PM

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Reflections at Rest Haven Funeral Home - Rockwall
Location

2500 State Highway 66 East, Rockwall, TX, US, 75087

Comments



“ It’s still hard to believe...and is so very sad... Friends since Junior High School, I watched how Curt lived, loved and played BIG! His outgoing personality, his competitive athleticism, his wonderful loud laugh, and commitment to his family, friends, and God...were all HUGE! What a loss and void for all who knew and loved him. My heart goes out to his family!

Laurie Guido - May 19, 2019 at 06:02 PM



“ So very sad to hear of Curt’s passing. He touched my life with his kindness. He will be greatly missed. May he Rest In Peace.

Teresa (McBride) Tyson - April 29, 2019 at 07:55 AM



“ I'm so sorry to hear about Curt's passing. My prayers are with his family for comfort. Our paths crossed throughout the years beginning at Urban Park Elementary School. He was always a kind person. He will be missed.

Donna Ward Fletcher - April 26, 2019 at 03:01 PM



“ My deepest sympathies for the loss of an amazing husband and father and friend. Lifting you up in love and prayer.

Darlene Reed - April 24, 2019 at 10:24 PM



“ Good Lord how many memories I have growing up at Urban Park Methodist Church with Curt.
Have known him my whole life.
I thought his parents were the most beautiful couple.
All the youth trips we went on together.
I send my prayers to all his family members and to Carol to lose a child is the ultimate sacrifice.
Love to you all.

Sunday Lievsay Olsson - April 24, 2019 at 06:34 PM



“ Curt was a very good person. Loved his family, God and his friends. We were blessed to call him a friend during school years and later in adult life. Thoughts, prayers and hugs to the family. Curt will be very missed.

Denise Hulse Roseman - April 24, 2019 at 06:28 PM