



## Jimmy Lee Fuller

January 17, 1936 - July 10, 2020

Jimmy Lee (Jim) Fuller, age 84, of Rockwall, TX, passed away at his home on Friday, July 10, 2020. He was born January 17, 1936, to Lee Roy Fuller and Audrey (Strickland) Fuller. Jim and his family were longtime residents of Rockwall for 45 years.

Jim was born in Dallas, TX, and grew up in Oak Cliff. He attended Sunset High School and graduated in 1954. He continued his education at the University of North Texas where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business and Finance. Jim served his country in the U.S. Navy as a Personnel Specialist stationed at Boca Chica Naval Air Station in Key West, Florida. Prior to his assignment to Key West, Jim attended U. S. Navy Officer Training at Newport, Rhode Island.

Jim was employed as a Regional Sales Manager at Kustom Electronics for over 42 years. He worked with both local and state police agencies to provide training for radar and in-car video equipment. During his professional career, Jim made many friends in the law enforcement community. He retired from Kustom Electronics in 2011 and focused his retirement on spending quality time with his family and friends.

Jim was a natural leader. He was extremely determined, responsible, organized, and full of life. He was an avid golfer and loved watching sports. He enjoyed playing cards and board games. Most importantly, Jim was passionate about supporting his family. He devoted most of his time to coaching and being involved in his children's activities. He coached many recreational sports teams for both his children. He was affectionately known as "Coach" to many local kids involved in the Rockwall YMCA and city sports leagues. After he retired and Jim's children grew up, he even continued coaching his grandchildren's sports teams.

Jim was considered the rock of his family. He is lovingly referred to as his family's #1 Super Fan. He was the person always sitting literally on the front row of their daily lives cheering, supporting, and guiding them. Jim never took a backseat as a husband, father, or grandfather.

Jim was instrumental in hiring the first full-time minister in 1976 at the Rockwall Church of Christ on Fannin Street in downtown Rockwall. The church was experiencing rapid growth and was needing to find property for a bigger and more modern building. In his role as Head of the Building Committee, Jim was active in securing property on Interstate 30 for the construction of a new home for the Rockwall Church of Christ. In addition, he served as a Deacon, Bible class teacher, and active member of the church for many years. One of his most popular classes was a series about the presence of angels in our daily lives.

Jim will be deeply missed as he was loved by many. He was extremely close to his extended family and many friends. It was no secret that his family was his pride and joy. He took his role as husband, father, and grandfather to a level beyond expectation. He was committed to helping his wife, children and grandchildren achieve their goals and being 100 percent engaged in their lives whether it be education, sports, or giving good solid advice.

Jim is survived by his loving wife of 58 years, Carol (Burleson) Fuller; daughter, Kathryn Fuller Potts; son, John Fuller; and 4 grandchildren: John Brennan (JB), Michael, Andrew, and Caroline Potts. Jim is preceded in death by his parents, Lee Roy & Audrey Fuller.

A private family gathering was held for an inurnment service at a graveside next to his parents at Laurel Land Memorial Park in Oak Cliff. A celebration of Jimmy's life will be held at 3:00 pm on Sunday, January 17, 2021, at Reflections at Rest Have Funeral Home-Rockwall Location.

If desired, friends and family may make memorial contributions to the Food Pantry for Rockwall Helping Hands, 401 West Rusk Street. Suite 200, Rockwall, TX 75087.

The service will also be live streamed; please go to [www.oneroomstreaming.com](http://www.oneroomstreaming.com) and click on "watch your service" icon and use Event ID: resthavenrockwall and password: ZTGMEX

# Events

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**JAN**   **Celebration of Life**

03:00PM

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Reflections at Rest Haven Funeral Home - Rockwall Location  
2500 State Highway 66 East, Rockwall, TX, US, 75087

# Comments

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“ Beautiful ceremony that honored the life of a great man. The grandchildren spoke from the heart and showed all of us how much he meant to each one of them. We wish we could have been at today's service in person. Thank you for making the live stream possible. Know that you are all in our prayers as you move forward, living out the legacy of Jimmy Fuller.

All our love to you, Susan Burleson and Laura Wilding

**Laura Wilding** - January 17 at 04:57 PM

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November 14, 2020 at 03:52 AM

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“ Fond memories of the kindest boy at Sunset High. Jim was a friend to all who needed support. What a wonderful life that kind boy built as a man. I am thankful to see the boy matured into a remarkable man.

My deepest sympathies to the Fuller family in their loss of Jimmy.

Barbara Mullins, Sunset High 1954.

**Barbara Mullins Cowling** - September 12, 2020 at 10:54 AM

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“Godspeed, Jim! It was an honor to know you and work with you at Kustom. Sending comforting prayers to your family.

**Craig Schmidt** - August 03, 2020 at 12:49 PM

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“Best co-worker I ever met. A dear friend!

**Dan McCoin** - August 02, 2020 at 12:10 PM

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“Helen Moran lit a candle in memory of Jimmy Lee Fuller



**Helen Moran** - July 17, 2020 at 09:24 PM

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“Mrs. Fuller and family,  
Our family was blessed to have our paths crossed by two wonderful people—a couple and team. We met you through our years at Dobb’s elementary and the wonderful presentation he gave on “Gold Day” each year. The kids and parents loved him and you. Both of you gave so much to each of us and we are forever grateful.

Our prayers, kind thoughts, and offerings of love and condolences surround each of you in this solemn time of transition. May those precious memories of times shared and knowledge of God’s plan console and comfort you until you meet again. You remain in our thoughts today and especially, in the days ahead. God bless you.

With our heartfelt sympathy,  
Gill, Louise, and Holly Henson  
Rockwall

**Gill-Louise-Holly Henson** - July 15, 2020 at 01:01 PM

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“ He was such a wonderful man and friend and Faithful Christian man!

**Theresa Sanderson** - July 14, 2020 at 06:05 PM