



Wally Hogland

February 5, 1953 - March 1, 2019

Wally Gene Hogland, age 66 of Rowlett, TX, passed away February 28, 2019. He was born February 5, 1953, in Ft. Smith, Arkansas, to Ward Dillon Hogland and Maxine Huey. Wally worked with Lifeline Chaplaincy in local area hospitals and he was also a minister at Celebrate Recovery, a Christ-centered, 12 step recovery program for anyone struggling with hurt, pain or addiction. He was an army veteran, an author and an athlete that enjoyed track, field and football. A man of many talents, Wally started his own band: JW and The Flash. In college he played tennis and became certified as a USPTA teaching professional, where he went on to volunteer as the tennis coach for First Baptist Academy. He was a member of the Kappa Alpha fraternity. Wally will be missed dearly by his family and friends.

Wally is survived by his loving wife: Mary Beth Hogland; his parents: Ward and Maxine Hogland; son: Brandon Aron Hogland; brothers: Larry Hogland, Thomas Hogland and Gary Hogland; and good friends: Steve Ragland, Skip Harrison and Larry White.

Funeral services will be held 1:00pm, Monday, March 4, 2019, at Reflections at Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Location with Shane Carrington officiating. Interment will follow in Rest Haven Memorial Park. A gathering of family and friends will be held at The Gathering at Rest Haven Funeral Home-Rockwall Location on Monday, March 4, 2019 from 10:00am to 1:00pm.

Cemetery

Rest Haven Memorial Park

2500 State Highway 66
East
Rockwall, TX, 75087

Events

MAR 4 Gathering 10:00AM - 01:00PM

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

MAR 4 Funeral Service 01:00PM

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

Comments



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Wally and I have been friends for over 49 years. I believe we taught each other a lot about life from our varied perspectives. He was an exceptionally talented man. He could run like a deer, sing like an angel, and always make me laugh. Although we may have spent a lot of time reminiscing about old movie quotes, conversations with Wally weren't superficial. He always listened to what you had to say and had a thoughtful, encouraging response. You will be missed my friend.

Steve Ragland

Steve Ragland - March 03, 2019 at 09:58 PM



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We have known Wally for years when he and his family first moved to Greenville. Wally was a good friend and a good man. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. In Christian love, Debbie Luttrell and family

Debbie Luttrell - March 03, 2019 at 01:48 PM



“ Jerry Walden lit a candle in memory of Wally Hogland



Jerry Walden - March 03, 2019 at 12:45 PM



“ I am Wally's oldest brother and have so many fond and funny memories of Wally. I was 7 years older than Wally so as a young boy, I had my bluff on Wally pretty strong. He was fun to tease and aggravate because he could not take much of it and would always tell Mom on me. One day we were all around the supper table eating supper when Mom set a fresh baked cherry pie on the table. As soon as mother turned her back I grabbed that cherry pie and pulled it over right next to my plate and looked at Wally and smiled real big and raised my eyebrows a couple of times. Immediately Wally screamed in a loud voice, "MOM, LARRY IS GOING TO EAT UP ALL THE CHERRY PIE!" I replied, "No, no, Wally, I was just going to slice us all a piece." Then I raised my eyebrows a couple of more times and smiled real big. Then Wally screamed, "MOM, LARRY IS TEASING ME!" Mother asked him how I was teasing him. Wally replied, "He is raising his eyebrows." Mother walked over to Wally and and told him he needed to toughen up a little and quit tattling all the time. Then she turned to me and said to leave that pie alone! I am going to miss you Wally...I love you!

Larry Hogland - March 02, 2019 at 06:19 PM



“ Wally was such a good guy. I worked with him in purchasing at DP&L in the early 80's. My prayers go out to this family for comfort. He will truly be missed. Pam Miller

Pam Miller - March 02, 2019 at 12:19 PM



“ Mary Beth and Family-
Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.

Brad & Tiffany Evans

Brad Evans - March 02, 2019 at 11:52 AM



“ Wally was not only a great friend, but also a man of incredible faith and perseverance in the face of difficult health issues over the years. His attitude in dealing with those issues has my deepest admiration and is something I will always remember. Jan and I will keep Mary Beth and Brandon in our prayers and ask for God's blessings and comfort for them.

Larry and Jan White

Larry and Jan White - March 02, 2019 at 10:55 AM



“ I remember Wally as a little boy in Fort Smith Arkansas. He was a cute kid with a great personality. My condolences to his family. I know he will be missed.
Jim Neugent.

Jim Neugent - March 01, 2019 at 06:36 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. May God hold you close and give you that which only His comforting hand can give.

God bless you,

The Moore Family



Steven Moore - March 01, 2019 at 04:00 PM