



Walter Hudson Weaver

March 29, 1946 - February 17, 2023

Walter Hudson Weaver of Lancaster, Texas passed away on Friday, February 17, 2023 after a short battle with cancer. Even though the cancer took over his body, it never took over his spirit, strength, or love. Walter loved life, his family and being outdoors. He was a loving and devoted husband of almost 54 years, father, grandfather, and friend. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, birding and football, but more so loved all the relationships those things brought him. Through his rough exterior Walter's heart was pure and loyal.

Walter was the second son of Mary Alice and George Townes Weaver born March 29, 1946, in Pine Bluff, Arkansas. He was a proud Pine Bluff Zebra. He attended SMU's Cox School of Business and was once the oldest man playing football in the Southwest Conference. After serving in the US Marine Corps, Walter received two Masters degrees from Reformed Theological Seminary. For the next 40 years, he taught and coached in Tennessee, Mississippi, and Texas. He coached the Wilmer Hutchins High School Football Team in 1990 when they won the Texas 4A state Championship and was an All-Star Coach in 1992. Walter served on the Lancaster City Council representing District 1. Whether it was coaching, hunting, or in town politics Walter Weaver left a lasting effect on everyone he knew, including five Walters that carry his name.

He is survived by his wife Suzi; his daughters, Gretchen Weaver (Morgan

Rowe-Morris), Hudson Weaver, and Natalie Stenehjem (Ian); his granddaughters, Avery Yvonne and Riley; and his “adopted” son, Kevin Weaver (Shawn); his five grandchildren, Whitney, Kendall, Kip, Robert, and Walter; and 15 great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to Reformed Theological Seminary (<https://secure.anedot.com/reformed-theological-seminary/give>Campus: Jackson / Area: Student Scholarship Support) or to Texas Parks and Wildlife Foundation (https://secure2.convio.net/pwft/site/Donation2?df_id=1560&1560.donation=form1)

The Services are at 2 pm, March 4 at First Presbyterian Church in Lancaster followed by a reception at the Rawlins Farm. The attire is casual, overalls and camouflage are accepted.

Cemetery Details

Edgewood Cemetery

Nokomis Road @ Belt Line Road
Lancaster, TX

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAR 4. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Presbyterian Church
301 E. 1st St.
Lancaster, TX

Tribute Wall

DB

“ I was in the USMC with Walter. Always led the team in prayer. But, when that was over and he out his helmet on, look out. Great guy

Don Brock - September 23, 2025 at 11:46 AM

JM

“ Weaver was a dear friend to me when I was in high school at Manchester Academy. We hunted and fished together as much as possible. He had a big pen of rabbit dogs. He was a supporter of me in sports and gave me encouragement as a high schooler. He faced adversity and scrutiny square in the face with his strong belief in his Saviour Jesus Christ. Just a man of integrity that I was blessed to know. T. M.

James Timothy Mood - July 12, 2024 at 08:25 AM

BT

“ I met Walter at ECS in Memphis and he was of the most influential person I have ever met! He loved people and wanted only the best of each one he taught! I fished with him many days and each day was a Bible lesson. I lost touch of him but never forgot his bigger than life personality! I pray God watch over the girls and Suzuki. Your were lucky to have Walter in your lives!

Bill Taylor - May 04, 2024 at 01:55 AM

MW

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. My prayers are with the family.

Margie Waldrop - March 04, 2023 at 10:24 PM

RG

“ *Walter was a brother in Christ who lived his faith. His leading the SMU football Bible study for several years was a great influence on my life which I am thankful for. A gentle spirit he was.*
Randy Goss, Austin, TX

Randy J. Goss - March 04, 2023 at 09:31 AM

BP

“ *So sorry. Walter was a special man. Our condolences* ❤️ 🙏🙏🙏🙏

Bettyand Ronnie (RP) Phillips - March 02, 2023 at 03:50 PM

EC

“ *Yellow would be the sunshine that Walter loved to be in on his tractor or working outdoors. He had a heart of gold and loved Suzi and his girls with all of that heart.*



Ellen Clark - March 01, 2023 at 08:57 AM

SE

“ *Selinda lit a candle in memory of Walter Weaver*



Selinda - February 28, 2023 at 11:49 AM

EH

“ *Elaine Harris lit a candle in memory of Walter Weaver*



Elaine P. Harris - February 28, 2023 at 10:05 AM