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Alamo: Ronald "Ronnie" Lee Kochert, 84, passed away at his home on Saturday, November 28, 2020.

Ronnie was born on April 22, 1936, to Elmer Kochert Sr. and Anna Mertens Kochert. Ronnie grew up in Alamo with nine siblings. His parents were local farmers, and Ronnie learned the value of hard work at a young age.

He attended Catholic school in Alamo during elementary and graduating from Donna High School. Ronnie attended Pan American University and went to work for the Texas Highway Department as an engineering technician.

He met Charlotte Hedges, and they celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary this past August. Ronnie and his wife raised four daughters. Ronnie enjoyed his job and surveyed countless roads in the Rio Grande Valley including Expressway 83 from Brownsville to Rio Grande City.

He retired after nearly thirty years of service. He also served in the Naval Reserves for eight years. He was very patriotic and loved our great country. Ronnie enjoyed hunting and was a sportsman at heart.

In his free time, he enjoyed maintaining the families property that he grew up on. With his knowledge of building and carpentry, Ronnie built his family a beautiful three-bedroom home. Though it took several years, he never grew weary or complained but thoroughly enjoyed the challenge.

During his downtime, he loved to watch sports and old westerns. After thirty years of service, Ronnie retired from the Texas Highway Department. He and Charlotte enjoyed traveling and spending time with their 4 daughters and their families.



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One of his favorite things to do was to cheer on his grandchildren at their various sporting events all over Texas. Ronnie was always patient, understanding, kind-hearted, and had unwavering faith. He was a devout Catholic and led by example.

Ronnie is preceded in death by his parents, Elmer Sr. and Anna Mertens Kochert, siblings, Crystal Scoonover, Gerald Kochert, Marion Eastwood, Carroll Kochert, Robert Kochert, Betty Kochert, and Jimmy Kochart.

He is survived by his loving wife, Charlotte, daughters, Beth Kochert of Hondo, Lynnette Skalitsky (Larry) of Weslaco, Karen Smith (Alan) of Weslaco, and Stephanie Jenkins (Les) of Katy, grandchildren, Derek Bell (Ashley), Tim Skalitsky (Lily), Stacey Skalitsky, Brianna Woodliff (John), Nathan Smith, Harrison Jenkins (Aimee), and Garrett Jenkins, and great-grandchildren, Daxton and Harper Bell, and Dylan, Jacob, and Evan Skalitsky.

Services will be private.



Tribute Wall

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Kathy And Randy Rinehart sent a Blue & White Sympathy Basket to the Kochert family.



December 1 at 9:13 AM



Friends & Family posted:

Kathy and Randy Rinehart purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Standing Basket for the family of Ronald Kochert.

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Wayne & Fara Woodliff & Family sent a Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket to the Kochert family.



December 1 at 8:23 AM



Friends & Family posted:

Wayne & Fara Woodliff & Family purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Ronald Kochert.

December 1 at 8:23 AM



Anonymous sent a Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White to the Kochert family.



December 1 at 8:19 AM



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Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Ronald Kochert.

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December 1 at 4:28 AM



Friends & Family posted:

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Anonymous sent a Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray to the Kochert family.



December 1 at 4:27 AM



Friends & Family posted:

Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Ronald Kochert.

December 1 at 4:27 AM



Anonymous sent a White Standing Spray to the Kochert family.



November 30 at 7:03 PM



Friends & Family posted:

White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Ronald Kochert.

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Nancy Cohrs posted:

Our deepest condolences sent. Praying our Lord's perfect peace during this time and in days ahead. Much love...The Cohrs Families....Richard,Daryle and Jonathan. 🙏

November 30 at 4:05 PM



Anonymous sent a Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Yellow and White to the Kochert family.



November 30 at 12:54 PM



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Steven Almond sent a Bountiful European Dish Garden to the Kochert family.



November 30 at 12:43 PM



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Nina Mclendon posted:

Ronnie became a member of my family when he married my sister Charlotte. He quickly became our brother rather than an in law. I asked my children to share their thoughts about Ronnie and their memories were the same as mine. He was the most kind and gentle man with an unbelievable sense of humor. He listened to our stories and told great ones. He always had a smile on his face. We will miss OUR RONNIE greatly. Our love and prayers go out to Charlotte, Beth, Lynette, Karen and Stephanie.

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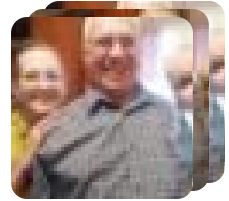
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Janet Crawford shared 3 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

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November 29 at 4:43 PM



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November 29 at 5:58 PM



Margaret Kochert posted:

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Ronald by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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