



James Darrell Baser

October 11, 1947 - March 7, 2022

James Darrell Baser, 74, of Aubrey, TX, passed away Monday, March 7, 2022 in Denton, TX. James was born October 11, 1947 in Sacramento, CA to James Theodore and Vera May Dorothy (Mitchell) Baser. He married Carolyn Ann Gray in Grice Community on June 24, 1967.

He worked 40 years for Haliburton before retiring in 2016 as an Engineering Technician. James loved fishing and working with wood. In his younger years he loved coaching PeeWee Football.

James is survived by his wife of 54 years, Carolyn of Aubrey, TX; son, Joshua Baser of Aubrey, TX; daughter, Denice Lane of Aubrey, TX; grandson, Brendan Lane of Denton, TX; granddaughters, Cassidy Blair of Denton, TX and Annalia Baser of Dallas, TX; and sister, Carolyn Kernal of Oklahoma.

He was preceded in death by his parents, James and Vera; son, James Christopher Baser; and granddaughter, Makayla Villatoro.

Visitation will be held 3:00PM-4:00PM, Saturday, March 12, 2022 at Slay Memorial Chapel in Aubrey, TX. Online condolences may be shared at www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Terri Slay and Slay Memorial Funeral

Center.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 12. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Slay Memorial Chapel of Aubrey
400 South Highway 377
Aubrey, TX 76227
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<http://www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com>

Tribute Wall

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“ I was unable to speak at Darrell’s memorial because I was too emotional. My memories of him are so closely linked with memories of my Dad that it brings a lot up for me. They were the best of friends. I can picture them coaching on the sidelines, working those ballcaps during a particularly close game. I remember when they took Josh and me on a hunting trip and taught us how to play poker. I can hear them talking and cutting up in the driveway outside my bedroom window. Darrell was the kind of friend my Dad could always count on, whether it was to move a piece of furniture or car trouble. The memory I’ve been thinking about most is one that shows the type of loyal friendship they had. On the night my Dad died, we had to make the long, terrible drive home from the hospital in the dark. I’m pretty sure Carolyn walked over when my mom and I arrived home (my memories of that night are patchy), and I found out later that Darrell went over to my grandparents’ house. He checked on them, sat with them, grieved with them, and made sure they were settled for the night. It meant so much to me to know he was there. He was kind and thoughtful and shared our heartbreak. It shows the person and friend that he was to my Dad, and to my family. And I’m so grateful. All my love to Carolyn, Denice, Josh, and the Baser family.

Destiny Belknap Varghese - March 14, 2022 at 02:35 PM

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“Darrell was a very special man indeed. He was definitely more like family instead of a friend. We were so blessed to have him and his family as neighbors in Balch Springs for so many years. Darrell and Carolyn got us involved in Pee Wee football and drill. We shared so many exciting years together during that time. You could always count on Darrell if you ever needed anything. It was so hard to see him and his family move away to Aubrey. It is now even harder knowing that he has moved on again. Only this time, we all know that he is now in his final heavenly home. I can almost bet that him and Rick are reminiscing about their past coaching days over a good cup of coffee. I will have Carolyn and the family in my prayers for God's precious comfort in the days ahead.

Isaiah 57:1-2

The righteous man perishes, and no one lays it to heart; devout men are taken away, while no one understands. For the righteous man is taken away from calamity; he enters into peace; they rest in their beds who walk in their uprightness.

My heartfelt sympathy and love.



Donna Belknap - March 10, 2022 at 08:26 PM