



## Wayne Edmond Burge

December 20, 1943 - April 10, 2020

Wayne Edmond Burge, of Kaufman, passed away in Dallas on March 10, 2020. Wayne was born December 20, 1943 in Dallas, TX to Earl and Ruth Lenore (Hazlett) Burge, both of whom preceded him in death.

Wayne worked as a Senior Field Service Engineer for several companies including: Itek, A.B. Dick, Presstek, all companies that were leaders and innovators of digital offset printing. After working for over 50 years with these companies, Wayne opened his own consulting business to continue to help others strive for excellence.

When he first moved to the Kaufman County area, he lived in the Oak Ridge community where he was elected Sheriff from 1968 to 1972 after which he served two terms as a Kaufman County Constable. Wayne also was a 20-year resident of the Red Oak community. On March 26, 1994, he married Donna Pate, and together, they shared 26 years of a happy and contented life. Because Wayne was an only child, when he married Donna, his family grew considerably. He absolutely adored being called Uncle Wayne by his new family, and everyone around him was in some way touched by his incredibly tender heart and kind spirit. He was very much loved by all. He and Donna were also active and faithful members of Terrell First Baptist Church, where they made many friends over the years.

Wayne is survived by his wife, Donna Pate Burge; daughter, Mary Katherine Burge; stepdaughter, Michelle Hix; cousins: Janelle Tuner and Pat Land, as well as many other nieces, nephews, extended family, and a host of friends.

A Celebration of Wayne's life and legacy will be held at a later date.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Wayne Edmond Burge*

October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM



“ *I am sorry to hear of Wayne's passing. He was a fiend at SOC HS many years ago. May he be welcomed into heaven by God and his loved ones comforted during this time. Markie George. SOC 61*

**Mark George** - April 08, 2022 at 05:09 AM



“ *Mom, Wayne was such a blessing to us all, he always treated me like a daughter with Michelle and would always lend a helping hand if I needed it. He held my hand during hard times when the family had lost someone and would hug and laugh with me during great visits! He was my Dad #2! Love and prayers always*

**Wendy Kemp** - April 13, 2020 at 10:05 PM



“ *George And Lisa Leach lit a candle in memory of Wayne Edmond Burge*



**George and Lisa Leach** - April 12, 2020 at 07:54 PM

SJ

“ *Donna and Family,  
We were sorry to hear of Waynes' passing. He was always so nice  
and comfortable to be around. Take care and know that Wayne is in  
a better place".*

*Love,  
Lonnie and Stacy Junell*

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**Stacy Junell** - April 12, 2020 at 04:03 PM

HJ

“ *Donna and Michelle-  
We all loved Wayne.. He was such a Godly  
humble man.. I know he sitting at the right  
hand of God whole and watching over all of  
us.. I'm*

*Sure Mother was happy to see him. She always loved y'all, as we  
all do!*

*May he Rest In Peace.*

*Love y'all*

*Helen Junell*



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**Helen Junell** - April 11, 2020 at 07:43 PM

KB

*He was a loving father to me his daughter*

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**Kate Burge** - April 11, 2020 at 08:12 PM

JH

*Donna, Michelle and Kate  
My heart is broken for you. Wayne was an awesome Godly man, He now is with his heavenly father, watching over you ladies, knowing someday he will get to see you again. Thank you for all the years of friendship and love.*

*We love you and will miss our dear friend.*

*Love you Donna, Michelle and Kate.*

*May he Rest in Gods Love and Peace*

*Judy and Bill Hawkins*

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**Judy L Hawkins** - April 12, 2020 at 09:51 AM

KB

“*Kate Burge lit a candle in memory of Wayne Edmond Burge*



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**Kate Burge** - April 11, 2020 at 06:31 PM

KB

“*He was a great father*

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**Kate Burge** - April 11, 2020 at 06:25 PM

LW

“*Lindon Willis lit a candle in memory of Wayne Edmond Burge*



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**Lindon Willis** - April 11, 2020 at 03:23 PM

LW

*we are so sorry Donna Wayne was a great man love to all*

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**Lindon Willis** - April 11, 2020 at 03:24 PM