



Robert Lee Martin

March 25, 1942 - February 8, 2022

Robert Lee Martin was born and raised in the Barton Chapel community, where he spent most of his life. He comes from a long line of Texas cattle ranchers, and along with caring for his own herd, he spent many years traveling to sale barns order buying for Clifton Cattle Company. As a lifetime member of the National Cutting Horse Association, he had a true passion for raising cutting horses along with ranch horses of all types. And, as a one-time pilot, Robert Lee enjoyed traveling with his wife, Virginia, and their many friends. He loved a good time, a good horse, a fast Mercedes car, and his TCU Horned Frogs.

Robert Lee and Virginia were married at the First United Methodist Church in Jacksboro on August 5, 1961. He was a member of the Jack County Sherriff's Posse, on the Jack County Fair Association Board, on the Board of Directors for Southern Security Life Insurance, and was a charter member of the Jack County Welfare Board. In his love of church and community, Robert Lee began the video ministries of the First United Methodist Church in Jacksboro, where he served as a long-time trustee along with filling various positions.

Robert Lee is preceded in death by his parents, Irvin Lee and Mary Arlene Franklin Martin, his brother Franklin Martin, his sister Joan Smith and husband Joe, and his grandson Carter Jean Thornton.

He is survived by his wife, Virginia, son Keith Martin and his wife, Tamara; daughter Karen Thornton and her husband, Mike; grandchildren Kayla Martin and Worth Thornton; his sister-in-law, Dorothy Martin; his niece, Tammye Isbell and husband Brian, and their sons Seth and Wynn; his nephew, Matt Smith; his niece, Leslie Kay Smith; and many other extended family members.

The family would also like to thank Callie Phippen for the love and care that she gave Robert Lee in his last months on this earth.

Pallbearers include Gary Nebgen, Cal Francis, Kevin Thomas, Billy Joe Easter, Brian Isbell, and Colby Newbrough. Honorary Pallbearers will be John Finn Causey, Jerry Wolfe, George Williams, Clinton Easter, Bill Brimberry, Scotty Teague, Jose Vela, Jimmy Killian, Louis Noto, Terry Lewis, Ridley Gibson, John Peirce, R.C. Langford, and Ronnie McNutt.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to the following:

Carter Thornton Memorial Scholarship Fund
206 Thornton Trail
Jacksboro, Texas 76458

First United Methodist Church of Jacksboro
406 N. Main Street
Jacksboro, Texas 76458

Cemetery Details

Barton Chapel Cemetery

600 Barton Chapel Cemetery Lane
Jacksboro, TX 76458

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 10. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Coker Funeral Home
152 State Hwy 148
Jacksboro, TX 76458
(940) 567-3778
info@cokerfuneral.com

Celebration of Life

FEB 11. 2:00 PM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
406 North Main Street
Jacksboro, TX 76458
(940) 567-6341

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Lee Martin*

October 09, 2023 at 04:16 AM



“ *Robert Lee Martin*

January 28, 2023 at 12:10 PM



“ *Loretta Martinez lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Loretta Martinez - April 13, 2022 at 11:28 PM



“ *Loriann Hale lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Loriann Hale - April 08, 2022 at 03:53 AM

LS

“ *Linda Duggan Stringfellow lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Linda Duggan Stringfellow - February 25, 2022 at 09:53 AM

BP

“ *Billy & Janice Pursley lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Billy & Janice Pursley - February 24, 2022 at 10:30 AM

TM

“ *Tim And Cathy McAnear lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Tim and Cathy McAnear - February 16, 2022 at 05:06 PM

LR

“ *Lisa Ross-Curd lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Lisa Ross-Curd - February 16, 2022 at 12:42 PM

PL

“ *Paul And Mia Lillard lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Paul and Mia Lillard - February 13, 2022 at 03:36 PM

KL

“ *Kate Lillard lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Kate Lillard - February 13, 2022 at 12:43 PM

MM

“ *Mary Massengale lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Mary Massengale - February 13, 2022 at 12:11 AM

NY

“ *Robert Lee was my friend, a gentle gentleman. It doesn't get better than that.*

Neta Yates - February 12, 2022 at 05:55 PM

NY

“ *Neta Yates lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Neta Yates - February 12, 2022 at 05:52 PM

MC

“ *Virginia, we're so sorry to hear about this. Praying for you all. Hugs and love, sweet lady. Monica & Forrest*

Monica Campbell - February 12, 2022 at 06:49 AM

RB

“ *Virginia, so sorry for your loss. Robert Lee was a good man & always fun. Sending hugs & prayers.*

*Rocky and Delnita Bray
Byers, Tx.*

Rocky & Delnita Bray - February 11, 2022 at 10:50 PM

DB

“ *Donna Bryant lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Donna Bryant - February 11, 2022 at 08:10 PM

MW

“ *Melanie Wigington lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Melanie Wigington - February 11, 2022 at 08:05 PM

JM

“ *JR And Melba Mower lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



JR and Melba Mower - February 11, 2022 at 03:17 PM

DJ

“ *Darla Jackson lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Darla Jackson - February 11, 2022 at 12:53 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Video Tribute*



Coker Funeral Home - February 11, 2022 at 09:28 AM

AW

Wonderful! Ed and I were unable to attend Robert Lee's service. Robert Lee was a true friend and a man to be admired. This video was a gift!

Alice Williams - February 12, 2022 at 02:11 PM

JW

“ *Judy Wood lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Judy Wood - February 11, 2022 at 09:02 AM

JW

“ *Judy Wolfe lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Judy Wolfe - February 11, 2022 at 05:33 AM

KP

“ *Kathy Pickett sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Kathy Pickett - February 11, 2022 at 01:02 AM

DM

“ *Donna McCarthy lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Donna McCarthy - February 11, 2022 at 12:53 AM

CW

“ *Dear Karen and family,
I was so sorry to hear about Robert Lee. I pray that your precious memories will bring you comfort and peace.*

Carol Willis - February 11, 2022 at 12:32 AM

KL

“ *Kathy Lowrance lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Kathy Lowrance - February 10, 2022 at 11:43 PM



“ *So very sorry to hear of Robert Lee's passing.
Will keep your family in our thoughts and prayers.
Mitchell and Misty Sherrod*



Misty Sherrod - February 10, 2022 at 11:32 PM

GD

“ Greg And Susan Damron lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Greg and Susan Damron - February 10, 2022 at 10:48 PM



“ JaneAnn Rhoten lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



JaneAnn Rhoten - February 10, 2022 at 10:08 PM

JK

“ James And Debbie King lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



James and Debbie King - February 10, 2022 at 09:53 PM

TH

“ Prayers for the family.

Tanya Tabor Hayes - February 10, 2022 at 07:26 PM

KH

“ So sorry for your loss. Robert Lee was definitely a good one.



Kristi Hughes - February 10, 2022 at 06:39 PM

GK

“ Gayla Kinder lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Gayla Kinder - February 10, 2022 at 06:31 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Martin.



February 10, 2022 at 05:43 PM

DB

“ Doyle & Cindy Browning lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Doyle & Cindy Browning - February 10, 2022 at 05:02 PM

TP

“ *Tracie Pippin lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Tracie Pippin - February 10, 2022 at 04:48 PM

HK

“ *Harva Kuykendall lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Harva Kuykendall - February 10, 2022 at 03:34 PM

JM

“ *Jack And Taylor Mathis lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Jack and Taylor Mathis - February 10, 2022 at 12:47 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Martin.*



February 10, 2022 at 12:47 PM

LE

“ *Linda Ogle Eide lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Linda Ogle Eide - February 10, 2022 at 11:51 AM

ML

“ *Michael & Kalyn Lewis lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Michael & Kalyn Lewis - February 10, 2022 at 11:22 AM

SS

“ *Sunny And Deborah Strain lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Sunny and Deborah Strain - February 10, 2022 at 11:05 AM

TW

“ *Terry And June Ward lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Terry and June Ward - February 10, 2022 at 10:56 AM

JW

“ James & Jannie West lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



James & Jannie West - February 10, 2022 at 10:28 AM

KF

“ Kevin Florance lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Kevin Florance - February 10, 2022 at 10:11 AM



“ Wanda Jones lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Wanda Jones - February 10, 2022 at 10:03 AM

JJ

“ Jason And Leann Johnson lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Jason and Leann Johnson - February 10, 2022 at 09:37 AM

LD

“ *Lounetta Damron lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Lounetta Damron - February 10, 2022 at 08:49 AM

RM

“ *Raymond and Peggy Matlock lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin.*



Raymond and Peggy Matlock - February 10, 2022 at 08:45 AM



“ *Tammy Rockey lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Tammy Rockey - February 10, 2022 at 07:59 AM



“ *Reisha Horn lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Reisha Horn - February 10, 2022 at 06:53 AM

GF

“ George Fulbright lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



George Fulbright - February 10, 2022 at 06:12 AM

CP

“ So very sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family.



Cathleen Poynor - February 10, 2022 at 05:46 AM

AC

“ Alan & Debbie Coleman lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Alan & Debbie Coleman - February 10, 2022 at 02:03 AM

 Mary Massengale

“ Mary Massengale lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Mary Massengale - February 10, 2022 at 12:46 AM

CS

“ *Cherry Sharp lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Cherry Sharp - February 10, 2022 at 12:45 AM

JD

“ *Juanita Damron lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Juanita Damron - February 10, 2022 at 12:21 AM

JB

“ *Jo Barker lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Jo Barker - February 09, 2022 at 11:54 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Martin.*



February 09, 2022 at 10:49 PM

CN

“ Carolyn Nichols lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Carolyn Nichols - February 09, 2022 at 10:36 PM

JC

“ JR And Lee Ann Cansler lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



JR and Lee Ann Cansler - February 09, 2022 at 09:59 PM

DM

“ Darlene Maxwell lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Darlene Maxwell - February 09, 2022 at 09:38 PM



“ A New Sunrise Spray was purchased for the family of Robert Lee Martin.



February 09, 2022 at 09:05 PM

PH

“ *Paula Harley lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Paula Harley - February 09, 2022 at 08:59 PM

JF

“ *Jeff Fenter lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Jeff Fenter - February 09, 2022 at 08:46 PM

DM

“ *David Cheryl & Matthew Matlock lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



David Cheryl & Matthew Matlock - February 09, 2022 at 08:40 PM

LC

“ *Lynn Casteel lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Lynn Casteel - February 09, 2022 at 08:27 PM

CC

“ Carolyn Corder lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Carolyn Corder - February 09, 2022 at 08:24 PM

JC

“ Jimmie&Lelia Cozart lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Jimmie&Lelia Cozart - February 09, 2022 at 08:00 PM

TC

“ Terry And Gwen St Clair lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Terry and Gwen St Clair - February 09, 2022 at 07:54 PM

CP

“ I only had the pleasure of knowing Robert Lee for the last 3 1/2 months boy do I wish I would've known him sooner! There wasn't a day that went by that this man didn't offer his love to me! He was a man of great incite and always talking about horses and cattle! He was a great Rancher and he shared his knowledge with me daily! I will miss him dearly! And I would like to thank his lovely wife Virginia for sharing her family with me and trusting me to take care of her beloved husband of 60 years! Truly blessed by this family! My sincere condolences go out to the family and friends and may the Lord wrap his arms around you so you may feel his comfort during this time!

Callie Pippin - February 09, 2022 at 07:50 PM

FA

“ Faith lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



faith - February 09, 2022 at 07:43 PM

BB

“ Beverly&Kay Barry lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Beverly&Kay Barry - February 09, 2022 at 07:25 PM

BR

“ *Blenda Renicks lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Blenda Renicks - February 09, 2022 at 07:23 PM

JM

“ *Judy & Bill McRoberts lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Judy & Bill McRoberts - February 09, 2022 at 06:50 PM

JC

“ *Jeanette Carey lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Jeanette Carey - February 09, 2022 at 06:49 PM

BN

“ *Beverly Nixon lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Beverly Nixon - February 09, 2022 at 06:46 PM

AL

“ April Leach lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



April Leach - February 09, 2022 at 06:45 PM

LW

“ Lesa Warren lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Lesa Warren - February 09, 2022 at 06:38 PM

MP

“ Mike & Billie Parr lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Mike & Billie Parr - February 09, 2022 at 06:25 PM

JC

“ Judy Craft lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Judy Craft - February 09, 2022 at 06:09 PM

KH

“ *Kristy Holman lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Kristy Holman - February 09, 2022 at 05:48 PM



“ *Charlene McCaghren lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Charlene McCaghren - February 09, 2022 at 05:41 PM

LC

“ *Larry And Margaret (Hendricks) Collins lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Larry and Margaret (Hendricks) Collins - February 09, 2022 at 05:30 PM

CD

“ *Carol Davis lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Carol Davis - February 09, 2022 at 05:22 PM

DG

“ Prayers for you and your family Virginia.



Debbie Gleason - February 09, 2022 at 04:57 PM

BJ

“ Bubba And Lynn Jonas lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Bubba and Lynn Jonas - February 09, 2022 at 04:49 PM

JW

“ May the Peace of the Lord be always with this family. They are very dear to our hearts.



Jim Whitsitt - February 09, 2022 at 04:45 PM

MJ

“ Marcia Jackson lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Marcia Jackson - February 09, 2022 at 04:42 PM

CF

“ *Cal And Bailey Francis lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Cal and Bailey Francis - February 09, 2022 at 04:08 PM

LD

“ *Lee Dunlap lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Lee Dunlap - February 09, 2022 at 04:07 PM

JM

“ *John & Debbie Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



John & Debbie Mitchell - February 09, 2022 at 04:05 PM

BF

“ *Brenda Fuller lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Brenda Fuller - February 09, 2022 at 04:03 PM

RH

“ We’re so sorry to hear of the passing of Robert Lee. Praying for God’s comfort during the days ahead for Virginia and all their family.
Mike & Regina Holland



Regina Holland - February 09, 2022 at 03:43 PM

CH

“ Carolyn McCoy Horry lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Carolyn McCoy Horry - February 09, 2022 at 03:39 PM

PD

“ Pauline Dunham lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Pauline Dunham - February 09, 2022 at 03:39 PM

BF

“ Bruce & Theresa Hesteande Family lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Bruce & Theresa Hesteande Family - February 09, 2022 at 03:39 PM

BV

“ Ben And Lori Venable lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Ben and Lori Venable - February 09, 2022 at 03:23 PM

AL

“ Alinda lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Alinda - February 09, 2022 at 03:16 PM

BU

“ Buddy & Pam Uptergrove lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Buddy & Pam Uptergrove - February 09, 2022 at 02:49 PM

RS

“ Rick & Carolyn Smith lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin



Rick & Carolyn Smith - February 09, 2022 at 02:27 PM

BW

“ *Brenda White lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Brenda White - February 09, 2022 at 02:25 PM

LM

“ *Leo & Carla Marley lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Leo & Carla Marley - February 09, 2022 at 02:16 PM

MC

“ *Martha Craft Clement lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Martha Craft Clement - February 09, 2022 at 02:14 PM

SJ

“ *Sharon Mcanear Johnson lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



sharon mcaneer johnson - February 09, 2022 at 02:10 PM

LW

“ *Robert Lee was a great person and will be missed. I am sorry for his family’s loss.* ”

Lilly May West - February 09, 2022 at 01:58 PM

NC

“ *Noel Clay lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin* ”



Noel Clay - February 09, 2022 at 01:41 PM

SM

“ *Scott & Michele Martin lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin* ”



Scott & Michele Martin - February 09, 2022 at 01:36 PM

GL

“ *Gevern&Ronda Lewis lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin* ”



Gevern&Ronda Lewis - February 09, 2022 at 01:26 PM

EC

“ *Ellen Crombie lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Ellen Crombie - February 09, 2022 at 01:22 PM

FL

“ *Flo (Stamper) Light lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Flo (Stamper) Light - February 09, 2022 at 01:18 PM

DL

“ *Dale & Carol Leach lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Dale & Carol Leach - February 09, 2022 at 12:49 PM

DK

“ *David And Carla Kinder lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



David and Carla Kinder - February 09, 2022 at 12:34 PM

AK

“ *Ann Yoder Kimbrough lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Ann Yoder Kimbrough - February 09, 2022 at 12:29 PM

PC

“ *PD & Paula Curtner lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



PD & Paula Curtner - February 09, 2022 at 12:19 PM

FL

“ *Fran And Paul Leatherwood lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Fran and Paul Leatherwood - February 09, 2022 at 12:03 PM

RC

“ *Rita And Larry Culwell lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Martin*



Rita and Larry Culwell - February 09, 2022 at 11:52 AM

RC

Virginia, so sorry for your loss. Will keep you and your family in our prayers.

Rita and Larry Culwell - February 09, 2022 at 11:54 AM