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Kenneth Edgar and Peggy Sue Hoffman

Date of Birth: | Date of Death: | Service Date: 10am, Tuesday, March 14, 2017



After 36 years of marriage, Ken Hoffman, 82, and Peggy (Wilson) Hoffman, 73, passed away together unexpectedly on Tuesday, March 7, 2017. The Hoffman's were beloved parents, grandparents, friends, lifelong educators, and pillars in the Lockhart community.

They were survived by their 5 children, Melissa Messerly of Lockhart; Kim Chapman, husband Chris, of Lockhart; Dee Voigt, wife Mandy, of Lockhart; Billy Hoffman of Weimar; Vicki Brorman, husband David, of Vega; and 9 grandchildren, Kayla and Tara Chapman; Kelly and William "Aubrey" Voigt; Savannah Goodman and Dylan Messerly; and Paige, Dane and Slade Brorman. Ken was also survived by his sister, Barbara Chapman; Peggy was also survived by her sister, Patty Williams, husband Ralph; and cousin, Kay Hiscoe. Both were survived by numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Ken was preceded in death by his parents, Albert and Alice (Wallhoefer) Hoffman, and first wife Kay (Hofmann) Hoffman. Peggy was preceded in death by her parents, Bill and Estelle (Seeliger) Wilson.

Ken was born in Luling, grew up in Maxwell, and attended high school in Lockhart. He went to Texas Lutheran College where he played baseball, then continued playing in the minor leagues in Pensacola, Florida for the Cincinnati Farm Team for two seasons. Ken then found his calling with teaching and coaching in Mason, Texas. After returning to Lockhart, he held various positions with Lockhart Independent School

District including history teacher and Assistant Superintendent. He received his Master's degree from Southwest Texas University. After retiring in 1996, Ken stayed involved in the LISD sports community by volunteering at track meets and attending football, basketball, and baseball games. He was a history buff, loved airplanes, and enjoyed fishing, hunting and golf.

Peggy was born in Lockhart and graduated from Lockhart High School. She then received her undergraduate and graduate degrees from Southwest Texas University. Peggy spent some time pursuing her hobby when she opened her own flower shop in Lockhart, TX. She was later called back to teaching, where she continued with various positions at LISD, which included principal of Plum Creek Elementary, until she retired in 2002. Peggy was tenacious and needed to stay involved in the community, so she jumped in where needed by serving as Assistant Principal at Lockhart High School, working as a school field trip coordinator at LCRA McKinney Roughs, and volunteering at school events such as R.I.F., a program that ensures every child receives a free book.

Between them, they had a combined 85 years of service to the school district. Although retired, both were very active in the Lockhart community. The Hoffman's were judges for the district's science fair every year, actively supported the Lockhart FFA organization, were regulars in the stands at LISD sporting events, and assisted at the community education department by helping with GED campus testing. Ken and Peggy were deeply rooted in their faith and their love for God, and were active members of Lockhart Methodist Church.

Family will receive friends Monday, March 13, 2017 from 5-7 pm at McCurdy Funeral Home, located at 105 E. Pecan St in Lockhart. Funeral services will be at 10 am on Tuesday, March 14, 2017 at First United Methodist Church, located at 313 W. San Antonio Street in Lockhart. Interment to follow at Lockhart City Cemetery.

In lieu of sending flowers, the family requests donations be sent to The Education Foundation for Lockhart ISD at 105 S. Colorado, Lockhart, TX 78644 or www.foundation4lisd.com.

6 Condolences

• Judy Chamberlain Anderson

March 9th, 2017 on 4:09 pm

I was so sad to hear this horrible news. I graduated with Peggy from high school in 1962. I subbed at the high school and she was there to help me when needed. I don't remember exactly what year I met Peggy but I know it was the 6th grade for sure maybe sooner. We just never know what might happy when we go some place or get in the car or what form of transportation. I met Ken but didn't know him like Peggy. RIP

• LtCol William Brooks Corley, Jr. USMC(Ret)

March 9th, 2017 on 9:43 pm

Tragic news of Peggy's passing. Knew her through High School. Always there when she was needed. Great loss to the Class of 1962. May God be with You.

• Leann Noble

March 11th, 2017 on 5:33 pm

I had the privelege of knowing Mrs. Hoffman by working with her through Durham School Services. I can't ever remember a time when she wasn't kind, smiling and professional. What a lovely lady. She was principal at Plum Creek when my grand children were there. They remember her fondly. She is loved by the thousands of lives she touched through her profession. My condolences to her family. She will be remembered fondly.

• Stephen LeClaire and Kay LeClaire

March 12th, 2017 on 1:05 am

We knew Kenneth through our maternal relationship with the Chester Hofmann family of Mason. He frequently visited Mason and especially my aunt, Virgil Hofmann, mother of his first wife, Kay Hofmann. He was always good-natured, soft-spoken and interested in everyone of his family. He was a dedicated community member and gave his complete time to the school and church. He was a man to respect in all ways. May our Lord Jesus Christ continue to bless his family with wonderful memories of his life.

• Kyle and Terri Wright

March 13th, 2017 on 2:54 pm

These people were dear to our hearts. I have known them for many years. Our God gave them the greatest gift I can think of. When God pairs us up with our soul mate and we get to walk through His pearly gates together, I can think of no other honor that is greater than that. We think of sorrows for our friends passing, because we are selfish. In reality, they are blessed beyond our wildest dreams. God bless the families of Ken and Peggy Hoffman because they are where they have been spending their lives to be.

• Cindy Harrison

March 15th, 2017 on 6:01 am

Dear Kim and Melissa,

I am so sorry about your dad and Peggy. You have been in my thoughts and prayers since I learned about this sad news. I know it's been years since we've seen each other, but I love you both and pray God will heal your broken hearts and give you peace and comfort.

Love, Cindy

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