



**James W. East**

December 19, 1944 - July 12, 2021

Celebrating the Life of  
**James W. East**  
Friday, July 16, 2021 6:30 p.m.  
Broussard's Chapel  
Winnie, Texas  
Pastor Kevin Griffin



*"I'll Fly Away"*  
by Alan Jackson

Opening Prayer and Obituary

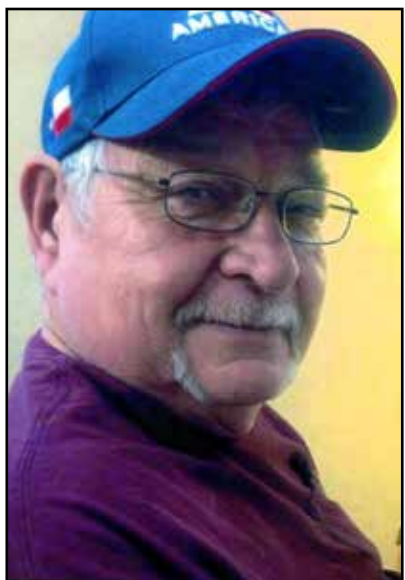
Personal Reflections

*"What a Day That Will Be"*  
by Betheldugger

Message

*"Amazing Grace"*  
by Gaither Studios

Closing Prayer



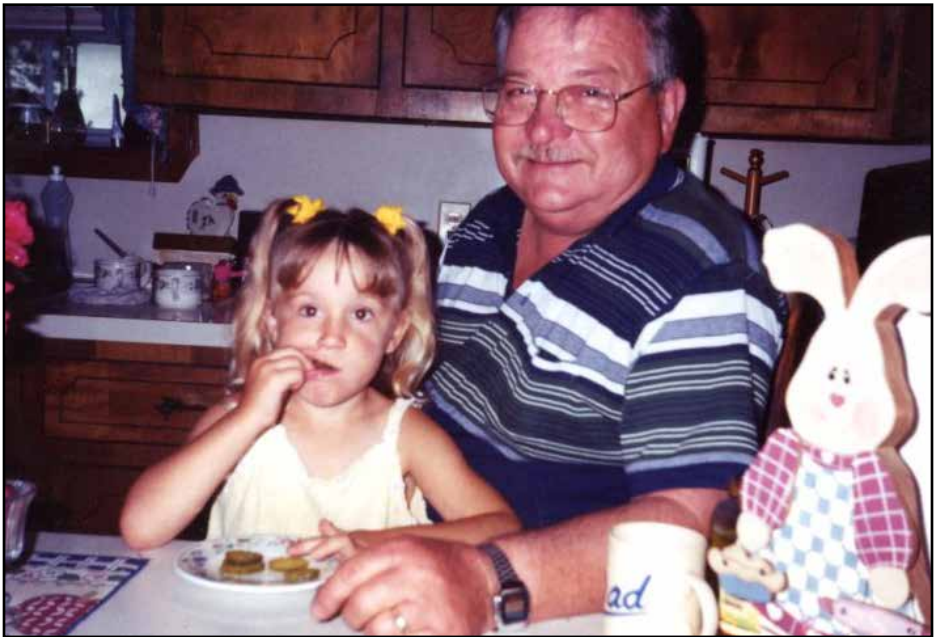
*James W. East*, 76, of Hamshire, died Monday, July 12, 2021. He was born on December 19, 1944, in West Columbia, Texas, to Margarete Auls East and Ellis Alexander East. He grew up in Fannett, Texas and served in the United States Navy reserves his last two years of high school and then actively for two years on the USS Orion AS-18.

James retired from Dupont, Beaumont, after thirty-one years of service in the maintenance department. He played the guitar and sang. He spent many years as the church worship leader. His love and loyalty for the Lord, his family and for people was the most important thing in his life. He was a very generous man and a true giver. He loved traveling, especially to the mountains where he would hike the trails. He was a genuine coffee lover who enjoyed a funny joke and a good hot pepper. He seemed knew someone everywhere he went, even out of state. Even if he didn't, he never met a stranger and knew someone before he left. James will be remembered as a loving husband, father, Pawpaw, spiritual father and friend.

Survivors include his wife of forty-eight years, Linda East of Hamshire; sons, Jimmy East and wife, Tynell, of Winnie; Clint East and wife, Deb, of Hamshire; and Cody East and wife, Susan, of Anahuac; daughter, Angela McBride and husband, David, of Winnie; fifteen grandchildren; one great-grandson; and brother, Mark East and his wife, Pam, of Hamshire.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and brothers, David and Thomas East.

























**Family Committal**  
Broussard's Crematorium  
Beaumont, Texas

**Memorial Contributions**  
Cornerstone Church - Anahuac  
P.O. Box 387  
Winnie, Texas 77665

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