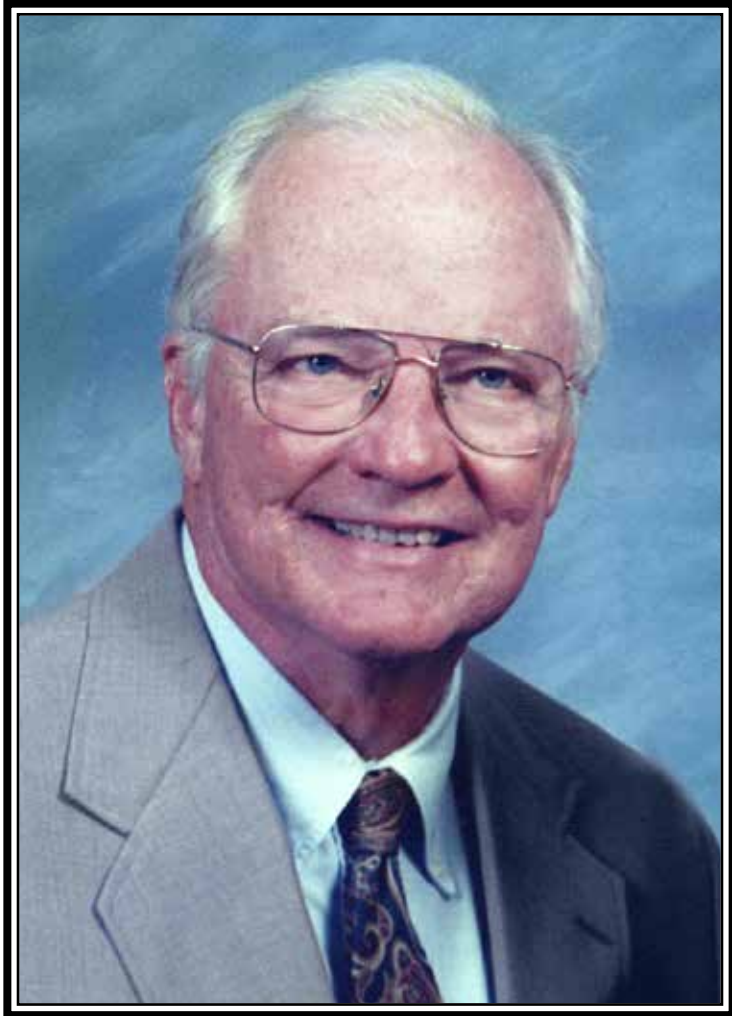


We believe that all the ties of friendship  
and affection which knit us as one  
throughout our lives  
do not unravel  
with death.

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# Henry T. “Hank” Harris

May 3, 1938 + June 4, 2021

## GATHERING RITE

### **GREETING AND BLESSING OF THE BODY**

As a reminder of Hank's Baptism, his casket has been sprinkled with Baptismal water. Then, a pall, recalling the white garment of his Baptism, is placed on the casket.

*"If we have died with Christ, we are also to live with Christ in glory."*

Processional

*"The Summons"*

We Celebrate #829

Opening Prayer

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Isaiah 25:6a, 7-9

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 23

Response: *"The Lord is my Shepherd; there is nothing I shall want."*

Second Reading

Romans 14:7-9, 10b-12

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel Reading

John 6:37-40

Homily

Prayer of the Faithful

Response: *"Lord, hear our prayer"*

# LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts	<i>"Here I Am, Lord"</i> We Celebrate #828
Eucharistic Acclamations	Holy, Holy, Holy Mystery of Faith Great Amen
Communion Rite	The Lord's Prayer Sign of Peace Lamb of God
Communion	<i>"Be Not Afraid"</i> We Celebrate #875
Meditation	<i>"Ave Maria"</i>
Prayer After Communion	

## FINAL COMMENDATION

Invitation of Prayer

Song of Farewell:

**PRESIDER:** Saints of God, come to his aid. Hasten to meet him angels of the Lord.

**ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HIS SOUL AND PRESENT HIM TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.**

**PRESIDER:** May Christ, who called you, take you to Himself, and may the angels lead you to the bosom of Abraham.

**ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HIS SOUL AND PRESENT HIM TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.**

**PRESIDER:** Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.

**ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HIS SOUL AND PRESENT HIM TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.**

Prayer of Commendation

PROCESSION TO PLACE OF COMMITTAL

Recessional

*"Songs of the Angels"*



**Henry T. “Hank” Harris**, of Beaumont, passed away peacefully in his sleep on Friday, June 4, 2021, at Harbor Hospice. He was born on May 3, 1938, in Mercedes, Texas, and grew up in San Antonio where he met his wife of 54 years, Kathy Sullivan Harris. Hank had a successful career and was a wonderful father, grandfather, and friend. Throughout his life, Hank was an avid outdoorsman. In his younger days, he enjoyed hunting, skeet shooting, and fishing. He played golf as frequently as he could and made many memories with his golfing buddies. Hank also enjoyed gardening

and took great pride in his yard. As an active, founding member of St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church, Hank participated in many ministries and was always willing to serve.

Survivors include his children, Molly Raiford and her spouse, Karen McAlister and Laurie Kolp and her husband, Peter, all of Beaumont; grandchildren, David Raiford II, Matthew Raiford and his wife, Jennifer, Sarah Raiford and her partner, Francisco Avila, Katie Kolp, Andrew Kolp, and Nicholas Kolp; great-grandchildren, Henry Raiford and Elizabeth Raiford; best friend and companion, Rose Durke; and Max, his beloved dog.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Kathy Harris; mother, Eva Streckfus Harris; and sister, Estelle Kellmann.





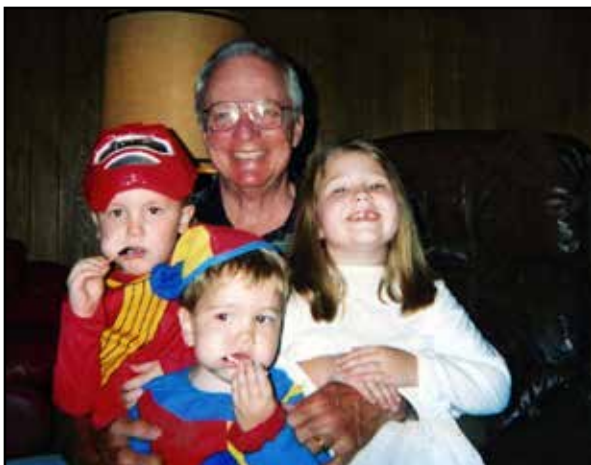


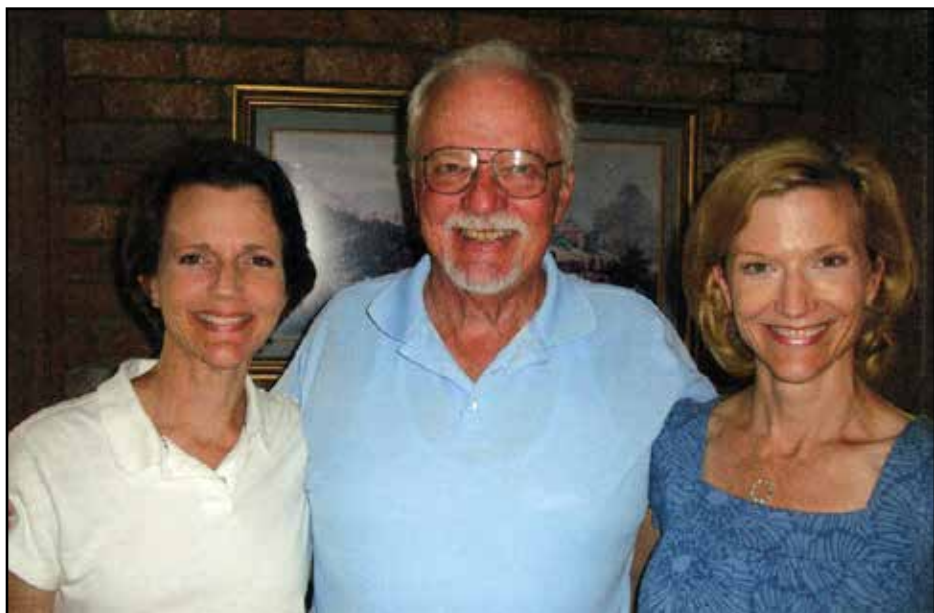












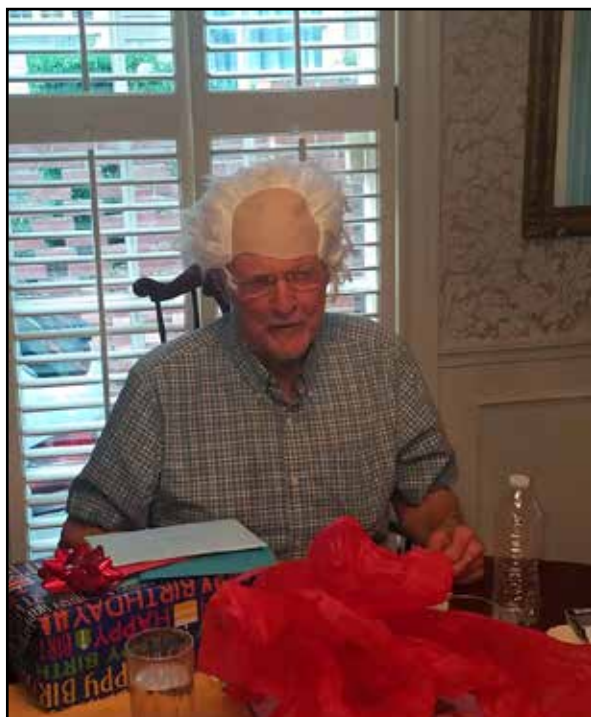


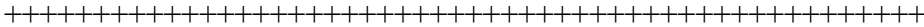




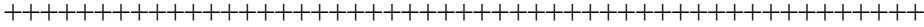








Celebrant and Homilist:	Very Reverend Steven L. Leger
Con-Celebrant:	Reverend Polycarp Otieno – fmh
Placing of Pall:	Laurie Kolp, Molly Raiford
Lectors:	Rose Durke, Peter Kolp, Katie Kolp
Gift Bearers:	Andrew Kolp, Nicholas Kolp, Sarah Raiford
Eucharistic Ministers:	Celebrants of the Mass
Music Ministers:	Tara Depew, Denise Truncale
Pallbearers:	Peter Kolp, Nicholas Kolp Andrew Kolp, Francisco Avila David Raiford II, Matthew Raiford Marion Lawrence



Saint Jude Thaddeus Catholic Community  
Beaumont, Texas – June 7, 2021

**Interment**

Forest Lawn Memorial Park  
Beaumont, Texas

**Memorial Contributions**

Catholic Charities of Southeast Texas  
2780 Eastex Freeway  
Beaumont, Texas 77703

**“Never let anything so fill you with sorrow  
that you forget the joy of the resurrection.”**

Mother Teresa



Please sign Mr. Harris’ guest book and share your memories at  
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