



## Dr. Mark Leon Bennett

August 29, 1967 - June 8, 2021

Dr. Mark Leon Bennett, age 53, of Madisonville, Texas passed away on Tuesday, June 8, 2021 in College Station, Texas. Mark's life will be celebrated at 1PM on Tuesday, June 15, 2021 at The First United Methodist Church in Madisonville, TX. The visitation is scheduled beginning at noon in Wesley Hall at The First United Methodist Church. Rev. Jim Jackson will officiate.

Mark was born on August 29, 1967 in Houston, TX to Dr. Mac Leon "Butch" and Sandra Sue (Peters) Bennett. He graduated from Madisonville High School, Texas A & M University, and The University of Texas Dental Branch.

Mark served his country as a Captain in The United States Air Force. He began his dental practice where he worked with his dad for many years.

Mark was preceded in death by his grandparents Mac Leon and Rachel Bennett, Milton and Bonnie Peters, and his father-in-law, Aubrey Standley.

Mark is survived by his wife, Stacy Sean (Standley) Bennett; his sons, Marcus Bennett (Chloe), Jake Bennett (Chelsie), and Sam Bennett; his grandson, Jett Bennett; his parents; his sisters, Kim Shaw (Joel) and Tracy Viramontes (Paul); his mother-in-law, Molly Standley; his brother-in-law, Brandon Standley (Natalie); his nieces, Lindy Kelly (Chuck), Amy Shaw, Abby Barnett, and Anna Barnett; his great-niece, Olivia Kelly and great-nephew, Kace Kelly; and numerous other family members and friends.

Serving as honorary pallbearers are: Joel Shaw, Paul Viramontes, Brandon Standley, Bill Bennett, Dr. Matt McBee, Craig Stover, Steven Stover, Brad Bradbury, Robert Lewis, Alex Cannon, Keith Smith, Larry Richards, Tony

Clifton and Marvin Stanton.

The family would like to thank Alma Tellez, Ginnie Mae Smith, Patricia Salas, and Brazos Valley Hospice for their loving care of Mark.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Mark's memory may be sent to: The First United Methodist Church – FLOWER FUND (102 S McIver; Madisonville, TX 77864), Nantz National Alzheimer's Center (6560 Fannin, Houston, TX 77030); or The National Alzheimer's Association (225 N Michigan, Chicago, IL 60601).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUN **15**. 1:00 PM (CT)

First United Methodist Church  
Madisonville, TX

# Tribute Wall

HC

“ My memories of Mark come mostly from from playing golf at the infamous Wide Open held yearly and hosted by Butch and Phil Campbell. I remember the time I hit a shot close to 6 inches from the hole on a par 3. I told Mark, and all he had to say was, “Did you make the putt?” Just like his daddy. Mark was a top notch person from a top notch family. Though his time with us was short it was quality time. My prayers are with his family.  
Hank

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**Hank Conaway** - June 13, 2021 at 09:08 PM

SK

“ So sorry and disappointed I can't be there to help celebrate the life of one of the best. Mark was a special, kind, generous, caring, compassionate, and good man. He will be greatly missed by more than you will ever know. May God be with the family, and may Mark play at Augusta in heaven as many rounds as he wants with Jesus by his side.

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**Scott Kizzia** - June 11, 2021 at 11:34 PM

CW

“ *Dr. Mark Bennett was one of those local raised young men who stepped up to fulfill an important role of serving many in the home town community. The Bennett Families are thought of as being cornerstones in all areas of Texas and beyond. Mark deserved honorable credit for serving as a leader in the USA Air Force. Mark has given us an admirable family which is following in his footsteps to achieve God given talents.*



*Stacy and the boys are all credited for supporting Dr. Mark in his dentistry career, as well as his citizenship and community service. Out prayers are with Stacy and all the Bennett Families as we mourn the loss of this loved one.*

*Respectfully, Colvin and Sandra Walker*

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**Colvin Walker** - June 11, 2021 at 09:24 PM

CH

“ *I send my Love to each and everyone of Mark's family members. In working with Mark for over a decade I came to know him and he was one of the sweetest men I know. Mark was kind to everyone no matter the situation. He had a Love for his family like no other. He strived to be healthy and loved to ride his bike far. Mark was so intelligent about alot things not just Dentistry. The community has lost a wonderful person. Mark may be gone but he will never be forgotten by those who knew him. Prayers for the family!!! Love, Celeste Hotzen, RDH*

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**Celeste L Hotzen** - June 11, 2021 at 01:54 PM

LD

*So sorry about your loss. Tell all hello and you have my condolences*

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**Lenora Johnson Dixon** - June 12, 2021 at 10:20 AM

MK

*Fantastic man great friend cared About others*

**mike kelley** - June 12, 2021 at 12:19 PM

MW

*Mark and my son Ryan attended high school together. He was Ryan's dentist when we lived in Madisonville He was a good man. The family is in my prayers.*

**Margie Woodworth** - June 14, 2021 at 10:31 AM



*Mark was mine and Pat's dentist. We came to Madisonville from Houston when we retired in 2004. Our friend recommended Mark and we just fell in love with him. Our kids and Pat played golf so we had lots to talk about. He was such a sweet and kind person who made an impression on anyone he met! Mark will definitely be missed by all who were fortunate enough to know him.  
Pat & Gwen Eager*

**Morris Eager** - June 14, 2021 at 07:30 PM

MH

“ 2 files added to the album *Tribute Wall*



**Marla Holloway** - June 11, 2021 at 11:51 AM

CR

“ *It is with a sad heart I read of Mark’s death. He was my dentist for years, until I moved from Madisonville.*

*Please give my love and best wishes to Dr. and Mrs. Bennett, who are in my prayers.*

*God bless and love*

*Cynthia Kaye Reynolds*

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**cynthia reynolds** - June 11, 2021 at 08:54 AM

SJ

*My heart is broken. He was a great dentist and fine man.*

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**Sharon Johnson** - June 12, 2021 at 05:35 PM

DB

“ *My best memory of mark was when he was in high school and had his leg in a cast. He still won district in golf while playing in a cast and walking the course with crutches and his golf bag*  
*Great man*

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**Dewayne Boyett** - June 10, 2021 at 10:13 PM



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**Randy Lee** - June 10, 2021 at 09:29 PM