



Dr. Wendell Baker DVM

February 14, 1946 - August 19, 2021

Dr. Wendell Baker of Prairie View, Texas

Cemetery Details

OAKWOOD CEMETERY

Austin Branch Road
HEMPSTEAD, TX 77445

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 27. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Singleton & Sons Funeral Home
627 New Orleans
Hempstead, TX 77445
(979) 826-2425
info@singletonandsonsfh.com
<https://www.singletonandsonsfh.com>

Funeral Service

AUG 28. 10:30 AM (CT)

Hempstead Knights of Columbus Hall
22892 Mack Washington Lane
Hempstead, TX 77445

Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. Wendell Baker DVM*

January 28, 2023 at 11:58 AM



“ *I was referred to Dr. Baker by my Son in law 12 years ago. I never went to another Dr. For my babies. I loved his office and Dr Mccoy and staff. Dr. Baker was a generous and kind person. So sorry for his loss. My prayers are with his family and his Staff. Love you all*



Elizabeth Hayslip - October 06, 2021 at 05:40 PM



“ *Pam Gooden lit a candle in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM*



Pam Gooden - September 06, 2021 at 09:02 PM

DD

“ Wendel, my cousin, was one of my father's (Uncle JB) favorite nephews. He used to share a lot of the stories with us as children, about Wendel riding, roping, and managing the ponderosa together as a youth. They both were competitive in spirit. Uncle JB was a believer in 4H and shared his passion with Wendel and other younger cousins. Wendel excelled in 4-H activities and as a result, he amassed a number of trophies and ribbons for his skills. Your mother and my mother were close and shared many fond memories and most of all there was an endless supply of laughter and love in the air. After attending college at Huston-Tillotson, my father and his sister's drove to Connecticut to bring her back to Texas. They were married three times along the way, by several officials. She loved everything about Texas with the exception of the heat. I know the laughter and love will punctuate the air of his heavenly destination. So many of our family members are welcoming him with open arms...the laughter and joy continues to resonate...may many arms welcome you...Drs. Marcia and Nathaniel Shelton

Dr. Marcia Nathaniel Shelton, DVM - August 28, 2021 at 10:16 AM

IF

“ The times that I visited his clinic and saw him at other places he was very kind. He shared exactly what my puppy needed and would often have me talk with one of his other persons who worked out there. He will be greatly missed by many people. RIP Dr. Baker.



Ida Campbell & Family - August 28, 2021 at 09:43 AM

HH

“ WORDS CANNOT EXPRESS MY GRADITUDE TO THE LORD FOR MY FRIEND BIG BROTHER DR.HIS WISDOM AND KNOWLEDGE ENRICHED MY LIFE AND CHALLENGED ME TO EMBRACE MORE PATIENCE AND TEMPERANCE THAN I COULD CONCEIVE.SUCH A TREASURE OF MAN FILLED WITH COMPASSION AND GRACE.HE MAKES ME CONSTANTANLY THINK ABOUT THE CONSEQUENCES OF MY ACTIONS.THANKS DR. FOR HEALING MY ANIMALS AND TREATING MY BROKENNESS.RIP DR.LOVE FOREVER..HJ HARVEY

HJ HARVEY - August 27, 2021 at 07:44 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.*



August 27, 2021 at 03:57 PM

TC

“ *The Prairie View City Chamber of Commerc purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.*



The Prairie View City Chamber of Commerc - August 26, 2021 at 06:37 PM

KD

“ *Doc Baker was one of the best veterinarians I have ever had the privilege to know. He was a less is more, old school vet that was kind and honest as the day is long. Dr. Baker was the first person who taught me how to throw a syringe in a pigs neck like I was shooting darts. It was a skill you could only have after working with animals for as many years as he had. He always took the time to teach me things every time I came to his office. I like to brag on my mad skills with animals but honestly a lot of that came from Doc. He will be truly missed. They just don't make them like Doc anymore*

Katrina Dalessandro - August 26, 2021 at 06:31 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.*



August 26, 2021 at 05:19 PM

LD

“ *Sending prayers up for the family. Doc. was a great man.*

linda Durham - August 26, 2021 at 05:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.*



August 26, 2021 at 03:33 PM

DD

“ Danté & Shelly DeGrate purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.



Danté & Shelly DeGrate - August 26, 2021 at 03:19 PM

SR

“ Sandra Rutledge-Mosley lit a candle in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM



Sandra Rutledge-Mosley - August 26, 2021 at 11:33 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.



August 26, 2021 at 09:22 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.



August 25, 2021 at 01:12 PM

PA

“ *Prairie View Trail Riders Association purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.*



Prairie View Trail Riders Association - August 25, 2021 at 12:50 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.*



August 25, 2021 at 12:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.*



August 25, 2021 at 11:46 AM

CK

“ *Doc was tough when he was young! He was training a roping horse at Rufus Green's place and the horse wouldn't back up when the rope was pulled! Doc hit the horse with his fist in his chest and the horse went down on all fours! I looked at my brother Glen and told him I'll never fight Wendell Baker!*

Clarence Kirkwood - August 25, 2021 at 10:45 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.*



August 24, 2021 at 09:30 PM



“ *Thomas Payne purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.*



Thomas Payne - August 24, 2021 at 01:47 PM



“ *Eva Kirby lit a candle in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM*



Eva Kirby - August 24, 2021 at 12:46 PM



“ *Dang it Doc! I hate you had leave us, but I know our Lord must've needed you. I read all the comments and they had one thing in common. HE WAS A GOOD MAN! We will miss you. Rest In Peace Doc.*

Peggy Mayer - August 24, 2021 at 11:15 AM

B(

“ *Ben Ostigin (floorman) lit a candle in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM*



Ben Ostigin (floorman) - August 23, 2021 at 11:03 PM

KT

“ *Kathryn Thompson lit a candle in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM*



Kathryn Thompson - August 23, 2021 at 08:24 PM

SF

“ *Will miss Dr.Baker What a very caring person. He took care of alot of my Fur Babies and. Horses. He will be missed by alot of people. Never forgotten.*



*All my condelences to family.
Susan Farid*

Susan Farid - August 23, 2021 at 07:10 PM

ML

“ *Marie Lewis lit a candle in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM*



Marie Lewis - August 23, 2021 at 05:42 PM

ML

Praying for the family.

Marie Lewis - August 23, 2021 at 05:43 PM

LT

He was a man and a great equine doctor that you can always count on to get your problem solved I've known him for over 30 years and I've always seen nothing but kindness from Dr Baker he will truly be missed but a great man he was

Larry Tyler - August 23, 2021 at 06:54 PM

ES

“ *A gentle kind compassionate man and vet who will be missed! He took care of my horses, goat, collies and cat all the years I lived in Waller County. He will be a hard act to follow!*



Elaine Spaulding - August 23, 2021 at 03:15 PM

KM

“ *The day I interviewed Wendell for our family book Will Holland's Family. I found a wealth of encouragement along with kindness. That was the man Wendell Baker. I am proud to have my children and grandchildren read and hopefully pattern themselves after the way he accomplished things when he was growing up.*

Kathyrine Holland McKinney

Kathyrine McKinney - August 23, 2021 at 12:14 PM

RC

How do I get a look at the book? ron.collins20@yahoo.com

Ron Collins - August 27, 2021 at 06:24 AM

JS

“ Jean Simpson lit a candle in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM



jean simpson - August 23, 2021 at 04:10 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.



August 22, 2021 at 08:14 PM

JS

“ Doc! It was a honor to have you as our friend and veterinarian for over 40 years! Doc, we'll miss talking with you and I'll miss your hugs. You gave great hugs! Prayers to your family and other amazing friends you made! You'll be deeply missed!

Jimmy and Bobbi Smith - August 22, 2021 at 07:31 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM.



August 22, 2021 at 06:45 PM



“ *Kimberly Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM*



Kimberly Jackson - August 22, 2021 at 05:54 PM

EC

“ *Condolences to the family. We grew up together as our grandfathers were friends and married to two sisters. Since we ran with our grandfathers, we were together often as preteens. Our grandfathers would have us wrestle until my mother told them “If you two old men want to see a wrestling match, then you do it”. That ended the wrestling, and it was alright by me because I did not win much as I was the same age but much smaller. A mild mannered good man!*

 *Ernest Boyd Collins*

Ernest Collins - August 22, 2021 at 03:26 PM

PB

“ *Hope you know how much others care and are thinking of you. May these beautiful memories help ease your sorrow with the Kind of comfort that leads the way to everlasting peace.*
In Deepest Sympathy
Patricia Brown-Reed

Patricia Brown - August 22, 2021 at 02:51 PM

DS

“ *Doc Baker and my husband Bob Smith roped many times in our arena. It was always a joy for him to be at our house. He served us compassionately on Bobs rodeo horses and cattle on the Fay Ranch, our own and other ranches Bob took care of. A wonderful servant to our community. Doc used his talent and shared it with all of us. His kindness is not forgotten. May the Lord be with all of his family.*

Debra Smith - August 22, 2021 at 10:12 AM

SL

Dr. Baker, we just called you, Wendell. So sorry for the loss of a life well lived. I'm praying now for those left to carry on your memory. Rest in victory. Jerdie, siblings, and extended family be strong in the Lord. Schannah

Schannah Martin (in law) - August 22, 2021 at 02:43 PM



“ *Doc & my cousin Annette have been a special part of my family. The memories we have of Doc we will always cherish. He always would say my husband Avery reminds him of his son. We Love You & will miss you. Get your rest 🙏*

Jill Robertson - August 22, 2021 at 09:06 AM

LW

This man could look at a horse and tell you what was wrong with it. The knowledge he had was worth millions. He loved to visit with people. He would listen to your stories and then tell his. You would leave and the next time you came the stories would begin again. He came from California but he loved Texas. He team roped some with Larry. He would heel and Larry would head. They won a little. But, like Larry, he preferred steer tripping. That way everything was the ropers fault no one else. He also loved his shooting club he belonged to. Used to call him Dead Eye Doc. Everyone who knew him will miss him. His legacy lives on thru his family. He loved them and enjoyed them being with him. His personality, his humor, and his knowledge will not be forgotten. He was one of a kind and never met a stranger. Never a loss for words and loved everyone. God gave us a gift when Doc came to Texas. Thank you Doc for all your help and huge personality. Larry and Mildred Ann Wood.

Larry and Mildred Ann Wood - August 24, 2021 at 03:53 PM

LW

This man could look at your horse and tell you what was wrong with it. His knowledge of animals was unbelievable. He helped so many with all animals. He would heel for Larry and they hit a few good licks. But like Larry he preferred single steer roping. He also loved his gun club he belonged to. He would tell stories and then listen to yours then pick up where y'all left off the next time you came in. He came from California and we are thankful he chose here to live. He enjoyed his family being at the vet clinic and his willingness to teach others. And always interested in learning new techniques. Might not use them but would check them out. His personality was full of knowledge and always enjoyed a laugh. He will be missed by his family but anyone who met him loved him. He was a Good Man. And we are thankful he was our friend. Condolences to his family.

Larry and Mildred Ann Wood - August 24, 2021 at 04:04 PM

SC

“ Sarah Crawford lit a candle in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM



sarah crawford - August 21, 2021 at 06:34 PM

NW

“ *Nell Wilder sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM*



Nell Wilder - August 21, 2021 at 04:35 PM

NW

“ *Nell Wilder lit a candle in memory of Dr. Wendell Baker DVM*



Nell Wilder - August 21, 2021 at 04:35 PM