



Chester Harris Lauck

December 30, 1939 - December 1, 2015

Chester Harris Lauck, Jr., 75, of Hot Springs, passed away December 1, 2015.

Born December 30, 1939, to Chester Harris Lauck and Harriet Wood Lauck in Los Angeles, California, he was of Methodist faith.

He is preceded in death by his parents, and sisters Nancy Lauck Mertens and Shirley Lauck Babcock (Dwight). He is survived by his wife, Karen Greenley Lauck, daughters Nancy Lauck and Amanda Lauck Glickman (Jeff) of Pensacola, Florida; sons Scott Greenley Lauck and Chester Harris Lauck, III (Angie) of Little Rock, and grandson Chester Harris Lauck, IV of Little Rock; brother-in-law Dwight Babcock of Rancho Santa Fe, California, nephew Mike Mertens (Susan) of Sainte-Rose-Du-Lac, Manitoba, Canada; nieces Susan Babcock of Carlsbad, California and Janie Babcock Sexton (Bobby) of San Diego, California and great nieces and nephews from California and Canada.

Lauck attended the University of Arkansas, where he was a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity. After college, he launched a career in marketing and advertising in Houston, and served as Director of Advertising for the Petro-Chemical Division of Gulf Oil in New York City. In the late 1960s, he joined his father's advertising and public relations firm as junior partner. Following that stint, he worked for Cooper Communities in real estate sales for thirty-five

years and later for Remax in Hot Springs Village.

Chet, as he was called, was revered for his intellect, his creativity and his sophisticated sense of humor.

A classic car enthusiast, he worked with mechanics on a pit crew in high school. His interests ranged from photography and music to shooting skeet and sporting clays at Blue Rock Sportsmans Club in North Little Rock. His buddies there brought a gleam to his eye.

He was Master of local Masonic Lodge 62, and he was active in the leadership of the Ouachita Area Council of Boy Scouts of America, where both his sons became Eagle Scouts.

He took pride in his children's accomplishments and celebrated them individually and collectively. His grandson brought special joy to his life, and he, too, was a great source of pride.

He will be remembered as a loving patriarch and friend.

Honorary pallbearers are Dr. John Bond, David Bunch, John Burford, Courtney Crouch, Jr., Dr. Martin Koehn, Dave Reagan and Dr. Eugene Shelby.

A visitation will be held 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM Friday December 4th at Hot Springs Funeral Home.

The Memorial Services will be at 11:00 AM Saturday December 5th at Hot Springs Funeral Home with Reverend George Tanner officiating.

Memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

Tribute Wall

TJ

“ *Tracy Jasper lit a candle in memory of Chester Harris Lauck*



Tracy Jasper - January 10, 2016 at 08:33 PM

DF

“ *Dearest Karen & All the family~ I'm so very sorry to read about Chet. He will be greatly missed by all of you & by anyone whomever met Chet for a few moments. When I think of y'all, I'm comforted by scenes from our neighborhood ~ Chet's thoughtful life, his brilliant sense of humor definitely comes to mind, raising our children together as friends & memories of our Annual Christmas Caroling night. So long ago & yet feels like last year. May you feel the comfort of all who loved Chet. Our thoughts and prayers are lifted in your names. Rest In Peace, Chet.*

Dana & Mike Finan - December 16, 2015 at 10:28 PM

JD

“ *Karen,*

Sorry to hear of your loss, thinking of you.

Jerry & Florence Davis

Jerry Davis - December 05, 2015 at 05:25 PM

SH

“ Chet will certainly be missed by all who knew him. Sending our condolences your way.

Sherry - December 05, 2015 at 08:18 AM

CH

“ Clara Nicolosi - RE/MAX Of HSV lit a candle in memory of Chester Harris Lauck



Clara Nicolosi - RE/MAX of HSV - December 04, 2015 at 11:06 PM

GG

“ Scott, sorry for your loss, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time - Gregg and Katie Gordon

Gregg and Katie Gordon - December 04, 2015 at 09:30 PM

SL

Thank you, Gregg and Katie. He was a great guy.

Scott Lauck - December 07, 2015 at 10:19 PM

CH

“ Charlotte Hitchens lit a candle in memory of Chester Harris Lauck



Charlotte Hitchens - December 04, 2015 at 07:40 PM

RG

“ Was a great dad to my best friend. His humor and love of music are my best memories!

Richard Goodrum - December 04, 2015 at 05:54 PM

JB

“ John and Lynda Burford purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Chester Harris Lauck.



John and Lynda Burford - December 04, 2015 at 03:29 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Chester Harris Lauck.



December 04, 2015 at 11:15 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Chester Harris Lauck.



December 04, 2015 at 07:14 AM

JC

“ It's a shock to learn of Chet's passing as we continue to live in and enjoy the house that "Chet Built". He also made it possible for us to be friends with you, Karen - "my Younger Sister!" Life will change but we're confident the many friends you have will help hold you afloat.

With love,
John and Georgie Citron

John Citron - December 03, 2015 at 07:43 PM

JS

“ I am very sad to hear of the loss of Mr. Lauck. May peace and love surround your family at this time.

Jennifer Spann - December 03, 2015 at 11:59 AM

DP

“ My wife Laura and I offer prayers of condolence for the Lauck family. We feel honored to have known Mr. Lauck, and, over the years, to have met his mother, sister, wife, and children. We wish peace and comfort for his family and friends.

Donnie Pitchford - December 03, 2015 at 10:03 AM

NM

“ Hi Karen:
Donna & I were saddened by the news we read in the paper this morning.
Our prayers for comfort in this time, our with you and trust you have many happy memories about your time with Chet.
Our love,
Norm Morton

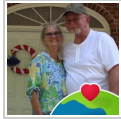
Norman L Morton - December 03, 2015 at 09:31 AM

 Keith
Davis

“ *Thoughts and prayers to the entire family
from Keith Davis and family from Indiana.*



Keith Davis - December 03, 2015 at 09:21 AM



I am so sorry that it took me all these years to realize that Chet had passed away. I knew Chet for many years through our friend in common Charlie Bridges. I have countless memories of his sense of humor and all the laughter that we shared. I truly liked Chet. My name is Warren George Lieblong Jr.

George Lieblong - April 29, 2023 at 07:45 AM