



## Augie G. Meier, Jr.

December 14, 1947 - December 5, 2022

It is with great sorrow that we announce the passing of Augie G. Meier, Jr., a wonderful and loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend. Augie has moved on to the greatest party of all with his daughter Belinda in heaven, after a long hard battle with his health. We were blessed with a lifetime of beautiful memories full of laughter and love. It's never enough time and though we are heartbroken by this loss; we know that he is at peace.

Augustine "Augie" Meier, Jr., 74, Topeka, Kansas, passed away, surrounded by family, Monday, December 5, 2022. Augie was born December 14, 1947, in Topeka, the son of Augie, Sr. and Lucille Engroff Meier. He grew up in Topeka and was well-known and loved within the community. He attended St. Joseph Grade School and graduated from Hayden High School. Augie served our country in the US Air Force.

Augie loved golfing, spending time at the lake on the boat, and most of all his family, friends, and 11 grandkids. Starting from humble beginnings, he was able to create the amazing out of nothing. Through hard work and determination, he became a successful realtor with a career spanning over 40 years.

On January 1, 2017, Augie and Joyce Rakestraw were married enjoying 25 years together.

Augie was kind, caring, with a quick wit and sense of humor that could make anyone laugh. Ever the social soul, he made friends easily and left an imprint on all who knew him. He will be missed dearly, but the impact he left on those who knew him will last forever.

He is preceded in death by his daughter, Belinda Meier, his brother, Billy Meier, and his parents.

Augie is survived by his wife, Joyce; children, Augie G. Meier III (Nicole), Bridget Meier, Jeremy Rakestraw (Christina), Jessica Rakestraw (Morgan) and Jared Rakestraw (Michele); grandchildren, Augie Meier IV, Lizzy Meier, Jonathan Rakestraw, Kristen Rakestraw, Justin Rakestraw, Kayla Fellars, Ellis Rakestraw, Ryker Rakestraw, Beckett Rakestraw, Brexli Rakestraw and Campbell Rakestraw; and his sister, Rose Baker (Bob).

Augie's family will greet friends from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Friday, December 9, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, followed by the rosary at 12:30 p.m. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 1 p.m., all at the Church. Burial, with military honors, will be in Mount Calvary Cemetery.

Memorial contributions are suggested to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital sent in care of Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

Condolences may be sent online to [www.kevinbrennanfamily.com](http://www.kevinbrennanfamily.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Calvary Cemetery

801 SW Westchester Rd  
Topeka, KS 66606

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 9. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church  
227 SW Van Buren Street  
Topeka, KS 66603

## Rosary

DEC 9. 12:30 PM (CT)

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227 SW Van Buren Street  
Topeka, KS 66603

## Mass of Christian Burial

DEC 9. 1:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church  
227 SW Van Buren Street  
Topeka, KS 66603



# Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Augie G. Meier, Jr.



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - December 08, 2022 at 12:37 PM



“ Augie G. Meier, Jr.

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ Joyce, we are so sorry for your loss. We enjoyed Augie every time we had the pleasure of seeing him. and have great memories of fun with Augie and you in BVI. Warm hugs to you. May Augie Rest In eternal Peace. Karla Clem and Mark Orozco

Karla Clem - December 21, 2022 at 10:51 PM



“ My condolences to the family. Charlie and I worked with Augie back in the 1980's when he helped to make our dream come true as we built our first home together. Several years later, we saw Augie in a restaurant, he recognized us, and bought us a round of drinks. That's the kind of person he was--friendly and fun-loving. May your memories of him bring you comfort.  
Melanie Hoch

Melanie Hoch - December 15, 2022 at 10:57 AM

SB

“ We have shared our carefree teenager years, went to responsible parents, and then met up again in the Real Estate Industry. Augie was full of life and always a joy to work with. Our hearts and prayers go out to you Joyce and all your families. He is at peace, but will be GREATLY missed by all who knew him.  
Sally & John Brooke

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**Sally Brooke** - December 09, 2022 at 12:33 PM

KG

“ Bridget, Augie and Family, So sorry for your loss. Thinking of you at this time. Hugs to you!! Karen Geier

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**Karen Geier** - December 09, 2022 at 12:19 PM

KR

“ I was so happy to see Joyce have a good relationship with this man. And I always enjoyed seeing all of the photos of Augie, Joyce and all of her children and grandkids having fun at the lake. So sorry for the loss to your family. Hugs to all of you..

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**Kathi Rakestraw** - December 09, 2022 at 10:12 AM

SK

“ A wonderful man and a great friend for many years. He will be missed by oh so many. Sandy Kirk

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**Sandy Kirk** - December 08, 2022 at 04:31 PM

GM

“ I have so many great memories with Augie and Joyce from the lake. Always loving, smiling, having fun, welcoming. We enjoyed many meals, dances, sometimes too many drinks, and great conversation. Augie was always checking in on my mom and dad, and my dad especially loved his cousin Augie. RIP sweet man. Love to Joyce and the family from our entire Meier-Hummel family.

Gina Meier-Hummel - December 08, 2022 at 02:07 PM

MH

“ Mary B Haverkamp purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Augie G. Meier, Jr..



Mary B Haverkamp - December 08, 2022 at 12:23 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Augie G. Meier, Jr..



December 08, 2022 at 12:13 PM

BB

“ From all of us at Lake Perry Yacht & Marina we express our deepest condolences to friends and family. Augie has been a customer of ours for as long as I can remember and was always a pleasure to work with. He will be missed dearly around the lake, one of the places I know he loved to spend time. Rest in Peace

Bryan Best - December 08, 2022 at 12:08 PM

SM

“ Will miss his wit and charm on H Dock at Perry Lake!!! RIP Augie...

Stan & Jean Martin - December 08, 2022 at 11:05 AM

GT

“ Augie was a great friend and person. We are so saddened to hear of his passing. May he RIP and Our Lord comfort all who are feeling his loss.



Gerry/Debbie Tinsley - December 08, 2022 at 08:10 AM

PA

“ Joyce, so sorry to hear about Angie. He was a great guy and will be missed by many. We will keep you in our prayers and send our love to you and your family.  
Patty and Harold Stones

PattyStones - December 07, 2022 at 07:20 PM

JC

“ Augie, Dana and myself all started in Real Estate together. We were all in the same class and developed a great friendship. Augie loved to entertain, was a great bbq chef and enjoyed people. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. Until we meet again. Janet A. Carter, Carter Realty

JANET A CARTER - December 07, 2022 at 06:09 PM

BD

“ Augie and I grew up together and went to school all our lives. His family will be kept in my prayers this week. Bert Degand

Bert Degand - December 07, 2022 at 01:52 PM

BM

“ *Wow, I was surprised. My thoughts and prayers are with you Joyce and the family. Augie will be missed. May he rest in peace*

Barbara M Montgomery - December 07, 2022 at 12:17 PM

CT

“ *Big Augie as he was known to me was very kind in including me in a lot of events as I grew up and I was always treated well. I wish the family peace and comfort. -Chris Tunison*

Christopher Tunison - December 07, 2022 at 10:40 AM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Augie G. Meier, Jr..*



December 07, 2022 at 07:35 AM