



## Lawrence Rosselot

October 23, 1958 - February 22, 2019

Lawrence Allen Rosselot, “Larry” passed away in his home in Lewisville, Texas on February 22, 2019. Larry is the son of Gene and Kay Rosselot of Topeka. Larry was born October 23, 1958 in Salina, Kansas. Although his father’s military career moved Larry and his 5 sisters to Guam and a few other places, for the most part, he grew up in Topeka. He attended Washburn Rural High School, played several sports, and graduated in 1976. Larry attended Kansas University. He played football, joined ROTC, and graduated with a degree in aerospace engineering.

After KU, Larry continued serving ten years in the United States Air Force. He followed in his father’s footsteps, becoming a pilot. He flew in the F-16, T-38, and other fighter jets at Williams (Arizona), Clark (Philippines), Homestead (Florida), and Randolph (Texas) AFBs. Before leaving the USAF, he was an instructor to instructor pilots. He was honorably discharged with the rank of Captain.

Larry was hired by American Airlines after his military service. He flew for AA for over 25 years and over those years, he flew several different airplanes, including the MD-80, 737, 767, and 777. He also earned the rank of Captain and became a Check Airman (instructor). Larry was also extremely active volunteer for the Allied Pilots Association (national union) throughout his AA career. He served as a national committee chairman for APA for many years.

Larry married Katherine Anderson (from the San Antonio area) in Topeka on June 10, 2000. They have a daughter, Renee Lauren Rosselot (17) and a son, Gene Edward Rosselot, II (15). They have a home in Lewisville, Texas (suburb of Dallas). Larry was active in coaching his son's little league teams and an active supporter of his daughter's club volleyball teams. He was very supportive of his children's participation in the Hebron High School Band.

Larry's five sisters are Terri (Jeff Crusinbery) Roberts, Topeka, Angie Rosselot, Orlando, FL, Lou (Mike) Allen, Topeka, Shirley (Steve) Conover, Olathe, and Diana (Dale) Thompson, Westminster, MD.

Visitation will be Friday, March 8, from 6-8 p.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd, Topeka, with rosary at 7:00 p.m.

Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:00 a.m. March 9, at Mater Dei Holy Name Church, 1114 SW 10th Avenue, Topeka.

Memorial contributions may be given to LifeHouse Child Advocacy Center, 303 S. Kansas Avenue #2, Topeka, Kansas 66603.

Online condolences and fond memories may be left at [www.kevinbrennanfamily.com](http://www.kevinbrennanfamily.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 8. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home  
2801 SW Urish Road  
Topeka, KS 66614  
(785) 272-7888  
info@kevinbrennanfamily.com

## Rosary

MAR 8. 7:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home  
2801 SW Urish Road  
Topeka, KS 66614  
(785) 272-7888  
info@kevinbrennanfamily.com

## Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

Mater Dei Holy Name Church  
1114 SW 10th Street  
Topeka, KS 66604

# Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Lawrence Rosselot



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - March 07, 2019 at 05:24 PM



“ Lawrence Rosselot

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.



April 15, 2019 at 08:31 PM



“ Peace be with you .....  
[ Sue Angelella ]

Sue Angelella - April 15, 2019 at 08:13 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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March 08, 2019 at 04:16 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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March 08, 2019 at 07:09 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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March 08, 2019 at 01:15 AM



“ *I had the honor of meeting and working with Larry through APA. Larry was always the "go to guy" to figure out a problem or help find a solution. His intelligence, grace, and quiet confidence will always be remembered.*

*Ed White*

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**Edwin White Jr** - March 08, 2019 at 12:17 AM

BD

“ *Bernice Rosselot Reckelhoff & Rose Rosselot Davis purchased the Memorial Honor Blanket for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



**Bernice Rosselot Reckelhoff & Rose Rosselot Davis** - March 07, 2019 at 08:20 PM

BP

“ *Barbara Sills & Cindy Page purchased the Large Heart - 'Death leaves a heartache' for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



**Barbara Sills & Cindy Page** - March 07, 2019 at 04:14 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



March 07, 2019 at 12:38 PM

SA

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



**Sam Angelella** - March 06, 2019 at 09:01 PM

SA

*So glad I got to see you before you took your final flight brother. Nickel on the grass.*

**Sam Angelella** - March 06, 2019 at 09:04 PM

YF

“ *Your American Airlines Training Department family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



**Your American Airlines Training Department family** - March 06, 2019 at 05:08 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



March 06, 2019 at 02:23 PM

UD

“ *UK Civil Engineering Department purchased the America the Beautiful for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



**UK Civil Engineering Department** - March 06, 2019 at 12:32 PM

TF

“ *The Alexander Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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**The Alexander Family** - March 06, 2019 at 07:38 AM

BC

“ *Barbara Sills & Cindy lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Rosselot*



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**Barbara Sills & Cindy** - March 05, 2019 at 06:50 PM

BR

“ *My sincere condolences to Larry's family. We lost him way too, soon. I got to know Larry very well in College at KU. He was an inspiration of accomplishment and integrity. From football to ROTC to Engineering he really did well at everything. He was also a very good friend. May God bless him and his family.*



*Bruce Howard*

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**Bruce** - March 05, 2019 at 01:14 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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March 05, 2019 at 01:13 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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March 05, 2019 at 12:45 PM



“ *My heart hurts for all of you during this very sad time. You were all a very special family to me during high school. I bought my first (and second) car from your dad, and Larry took me to my first concert (Beach Boys) at 16. I can't believe my mom and dad let me go. I think it had something to do with what a gentleman he was. As I look through some of the pictures, I can see what a beautiful family he had. I am so sorry he was taken so soon. Hang on to the wonderful memories you have. His love will always be with you.*

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**Bonnie (Crow) Sheahon** - March 04, 2019 at 12:22 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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March 04, 2019 at 11:31 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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March 04, 2019 at 09:02 AM



“ *Larry was smart, funny and being the only brother of five strong sisters he was strong and always held his own. Being a close friend of Angie and Lou gave me the privilege of knowing Larry. He achieved so much in life but his family was always the most important thing - as it is to all the Rosselots. Larry has left the bounds of earth and is now part of the universe. To say he'll be missed is an huge understatement. He lived life well.*

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**Vicki Whitaker** - March 03, 2019 at 07:39 PM



“ *Sam and Marci Angelella purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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**Sam and Marci Angelella** - March 03, 2019 at 05:15 PM

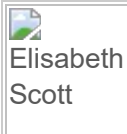


“ *Rosemary Souleyrette purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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**Rosemary Souleyrette** - March 03, 2019 at 05:01 PM



Elisabeth Scott

“ *My heart goes out to all of you. Please know my deepest sympathies. May you find some comfort in knowing you'll see Larry again. I only knew Larry briefly, but I was impressed with his generosity and his patience, frying all those turkeys. God bless Larry and God bless you all.*

Elisabeth Scott - March 03, 2019 at 11:55 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Angela Rosselot - March 03, 2019 at 01:21 AM

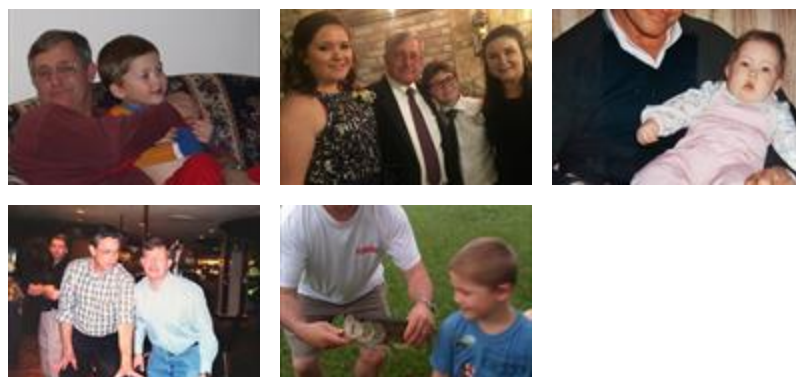


*That's the handsome boy I remember!!💜*

Bonnie Crow Sheahon - March 03, 2019 at 04:01 PM



“ *5 files added to the tribute wall*



Angela Rosselot - March 03, 2019 at 01:19 AM

BS

*What a beautiful family!*

**Bonnie Crow Sheahon** - March 03, 2019 at 04:04 PM

AR

“ *Angie Rosselot lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Rosselot*



**Angie Rosselot** - March 02, 2019 at 09:41 PM

AR

“ *1 file added to the album Larry*



**Angela Rosselot** - March 02, 2019 at 08:37 PM

MF

“ *Mary Cooke and family. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



**Mary Cooke and family.** - March 02, 2019 at 06:22 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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March 02, 2019 at 12:27 PM



“ *Larry was always a smart, kind and considerate person. I wish I had gotten to see him more recently. He was a great friend to me in junior high and high school. I always knew how well he would do in his life and he certainly did. He always made me smile. He was brilliant.*



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**Elizabeth Guilfoyle** - March 01, 2019 at 07:44 PM



*My mom just sent the obituary to me from the Topeka paper. I had been praying for a miracle. I have some find memories of 1976 and Larry. I talked to Lou and Shirley at our reunion in September and have been praying for him ever since. I'm so sure he was an amazing dad and husband. I'm so very sorry for all of you. I will try hard to get home for either the rosary or funeral. Much love to all of you.*

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**Bonnie Crow Sheahon** - March 03, 2019 at 03:59 PM



“ *Love & peace, Liz Karr Guilfoyle purchased the S imply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lawrence Rosselot.*



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**Love & peace, Liz Karr Guilfoyle** - March 01, 2019 at 07:39 PM

CS

“ I had the honor of speaking to Larry over the phone many years ago about becoming a pilot. As a friend of the family my heart is heavy but my faith not wavered. For I know he has truly touched the face of god. My love and heartfelt support extends to you all during this difficult time. Sending love and asking for gods comfort.



Christopher J Smith - March 01, 2019 at 07:33 PM

CB

“ Praying for comfort and peace for the family of Larry. We met Larry at our daughter's wedding (Cherisse and Matt Conover) and he was a very nice man and a pleasure to meet him.



Christina and Gregg Brown - March 01, 2019 at 07:15 PM

DT

“ Diana And Dale Thompson lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Rosselot



Diana and Dale Thompson - March 01, 2019 at 04:47 PM