



Larry Vaughn



July 26, 1950 – May 20, 2026



We Remember Them

by Sylvan Kamens and Rabbi Jack Riemer

At the rising sun and at its going down; We remember them.

At the blowing of the wind and in the chill of winter; We remember them.

At the opening of the buds and in the rebirth of spring; We remember them.

At the blueness of the skies and in the warmth of summer; We remember them.

At the rustling of the leaves and in the beauty of the autumn; We remember them.

At the beginning of the year and when it ends; We remember them.

As long as we live, they too will live, for they are now a part of us as We remember them.

When we are weary and in need of strength; We remember them.

When we are lost and sick at heart; We remember them.

When we have decisions that are difficult to make; We remember them.

When we have joy we crave to share; We remember them.

When we have achievements that are based on theirs; We remember them.

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Larry Don Vaughn took his first breath in Eastland, Texas on June 26, 1950. He took his last breath in Austin, Texas on May 20, 2026.

His parents were LaVesta Wharton Vaughn and Clarence Lynn Vaughn. His only sibling was his older sister Bettye. After her death a few years ago, Larry edited and published her autobiography.

Larry had several careers, in Seismology and Special Education, Philately and in Identity Theft Victim Assistance at the IRS. His father taught him genealogical research, which he continued for his whole life.

Larry played banjo and guitar, and loved to sing and play music with others. He loved people, puzzles and parties!

He will be missed by Bettye's children, Melanie (Sunny) and David, their children, and THEIR children! He also leaves behind and will be missed by his stepchildren Eric and Susan, and his wife of 32 years, Joanna, her children and grandchildren--as well as many other relatives and friends.