



## Robert "RC" Hassell

December 1, 1931 - February 10, 2018

Family graveside service for Robert "RC" Hassell, 86, of Tyler, will be 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 13, 2018 at Cedar Hill Cemetery with a gathering for family and friends from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., at Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home, Rusk, Texas.

Mr. Hassell passed away February 10, 2018. He was born December 1, 1931 in Bulah, Texas to the late Leonard and Tommie Hassell. He graduated from Rusk High School and served in the United States Air Force. He retired from the Texas State Highway Department after 32 years. He was a volunteer fireman for the Rusk Fire Department. He enjoyed playing golf, hunting, fishing, and loved spending time with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

He is predeceased by his parents, his wife, Cordelia Hassell, 3 brothers and 2 sisters. He is survived by his sons, Rickey and Mariann Hassell of Tyler, Roger and Pam Hassell of Tyler, grandchildren, Sarah and Matthew Clarkson of Forney, Rebecca and Taylor Robinson of Canton, Andrew and Alyssa Hassell of Little Elm, Vann Hassell of Lawrence, Kansas, Gill Hassell of Tyler, 5 great-grandchildren, sister, Bobbie McGregor of Jacksonville, sister-in-law, Andra Hassell of Reklaw, and brother-in-law, Larry and Anita Johnston of Jacksonville.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Rusk Volunteer Fire Department, 219 S Main St., Rusk, TX 75785.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

FEB 13. 1:00 PM (CT)

Cedar Hill Cemetery  
Cedar Hill Cemetery  
Rusk, TX 75785

## Visitation

FEB 13. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wallace-Thompson Funeral Home  
221 5th Street  
Rusk, TX 75785  
(903) 683-2222  
[info@wallacethompson.com](mailto:info@wallacethompson.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ Robert "RC" Hassell

October 04, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ Jan Hardy lit a candle in memory of Robert "RC" Hassell



Jan Hardy - March 13, 2018 at 11:23 AM



“ So very proud of Rickey and Roger and how they tended to and cared for their Dad. To me, this says so much about R.C. as well as the sons. It was always a lot of fun to play golf with them and see the competition. R.C. was a man of integrity.  
Eddie and Lois Smith

Eddie/Lois Smith - February 12, 2018 at 10:34 PM



“ Mike Wheeler and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Robert "RC" Hassell.



Mike Wheeler and family - February 12, 2018 at 11:12 AM

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“ I enjoyed playing golf and sharing lunch with RC many times over the past few years. Love that gentleman - Lord Bless - He will be greatly missed. Know our Savior Jesus Christ has now taken him home where he will be blessed forever.

*Tom Howell*

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**Tom Howell** - February 12, 2018 at 09:55 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Robert "RC" Hassell.



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February 11, 2018 at 05:49 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray* was purchased for the family of Robert "RC" Hassell.



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February 11, 2018 at 05:38 PM

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“ On one of the many times that I got to golf with Papaw and my dad, I remember this one time we had all teed off and ended up in the trees to the right of the fairway, naturally. So we find our balls among the trees and Papaw was up first to try and knock his ball out. My dad was still looking for his ball and I was in the golf cart that was located ahead of Papaw and off to his right away from where he was trying to hit his ball back into play. Papaw hit his ball perfectly low and hard to avoid the trees, except for the last one he needed to clear. The ball hit the trunk of that tree and flew straight at me, avoiding the golf cart, and nailing me right in the leg. I can't remember if anyone asked if I was okay, but I do remember the laughs!

*Andrew Hassell*

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**Andrew Hassell** - February 11, 2018 at 01:24 PM

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*So glad each of have such fun memories! Our Lord's grace and tender mercies will comfort you as you recall so great times with him. Love you all!*

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**Larry and Anita** - February 13, 2018 at 12:15 PM