

OBITUARY

Jimmy Leon Mooring died November 22, 2023 of complications from Parkinson's at Mercy Hospice House in Durango, Colorado. He was born February 13, 1941 at home in Hawkins, Texas to James Staten Mooring and Mary Viola Alexander Mooring. Jimmy graduated from Monahans High School, in Monahans, Texas and attended Odessa College. He was drafted in 1964 and served as a medic in the U.S. Army at Fort Hood, Texas until 1969. He worked in the natural gas industry in the Odessa area until he moved to Four Corners in 1989 to build Gas Plants for Meridian Oil. He retired from Burlington Resources and moved to Durango in 1999. He was a ski instructor for many years at Purgatory Resort and Santa Fe Ski Resort.

He is survived by wife Jeanie Van Ausdall, his sister Patsy Hunt of Cresson, Texas, Eight Nieces & Nephews: Ricky Mooring, Misty Kimbrough and husband Don of Rockport, Texas, Randy Mooring & wife Renee of Midland, Texas, Ronny Mooring & wife Theresa of Menard, Texas, Vicky & Humberto Alvarez of Lordsburg, New Mexico, Rhonda Davis of Grandfalls, Texas, Stacey Davis & wife Elaine of Midland, Texas, Mike Davis & wife Kippy of Grandfalls, Texas and , sister-in-law Kathy Bogue, step-son Jeff Van Ausdall & wife Tara, daughter-in-law Christy Gamez, six grandchildren and one great-grandson, numerous great-nephews nieces, and too many to count great-great-nephews and nieces.

Jimmy was preceded in death by his parents, older brother Clifton "Bo" Mooring & wife Ray Nell, sister Mary Lou Mooring, sister-in-law Carol Wollfahrt, brother-in-law Robert Stroud and wife, step-son Keith Van Ausdall.



IN MEMORY OF

Jimmy Leon Mooring

February 13, 1941 ~ November 22, 2023



Footprints...

One night I had a dream.

*I was walking along the beach with the Lord,
and across the skies flashed scenes of my life.*

In each scene I noticed two sets of footprints in the sand.

One was mine, and the one was the Lord's.

When the last scene of my life appeared before me,

I looked back at the footprints in the sand, and to my surprise,

I noticed that many times along the path of my life

there was only one set of footprints.

And I noticed that it was at the lowest and saddest times in my life.

I asked the Lord about it.

"Lord, you said that once I decided to follow you,

you would walk with me all the way.

But I noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life

there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why you

left my side when I needed you most."

The Lord replied, "My precious child,

I love you and would never leave you.

During your times of trial and suffering,

where you see only one set of footprints,

I was carrying you."



☆☆☆☆ IN MEMORY OF ☆☆☆☆

Jimmy Leon Mooring

DATE OF BIRTH

February 15, 1941

ENTERED INTO REST

November 22, 2025

GRAVESIDE SERVICE

11:00 AM, Saturday, May 25, 2024

Turner's Cemetery

Crow, Texas

OFFICIATING

Misty Kimbrough

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