



The sad news that former Continental Captain Richard Holt has flown West was just received from his son, Richard Holt, Jr.

The Golden Eagles sends condolences to Captain Holt`s family at this difficult time, and we wish them peace and comfort as they grieve their loss. May Captain Holt have favorable winds, smooth air and clear skies for his flight West. Rest in peace Captain, and Godspeed on your final journey.

Captain Holt`s obituary is posted below.



CAPTAIN RICHARD GEORGE HOLT, SR.

November 12, 1939 - January 28, 2024

Richard George Holt, Sr., 84, who resided in Pearland, Texas for the past 48 years, passed away January 28, 2024, in Houston, Texas. He was born November 12, 1939, in Houston, Texas to parents, Edward Holcomb Holt and Bobbie Warren Holt. Richard served his country in the United States Army. He was a member of Park Place Baptist Church which later became Faith Springs Baptist Church. He was a proud member of the Airlines Pilot Association. Richard began his career in 1965 with Trans Texas Airways, which later became Texas International Airlines, and later became Continental Airlines where he retired November 11, 1999, after 35 years of service.

He is preceded in death by his daughter, Debra Lee Holt, parents, Edward and Bobbie Holt.

He leaves behind his wife of 57 years, Nancy Holt; sons: Richard Holt, Jr., and Edward Holt, wife Candy; grandchildren: Holly Holt and her wife Theresa Pasket, and Richard “Ricky” Holt, III.

Visitation will be held from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Sunday, February 4, 2024, at Crowder Funeral Home in Pearland. Funeral services will begin Monday, February 5, 2024, at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Crowder Funeral Home in Pearland located at 2422 E. Broadway. Interment will follow in the Forest Park Lawndale Cemetery located at 6900 Lawndale St. Houston, Texas 77023

A reception will follow graveside services at Faith Springs Baptist Church located 2551 O’Day Road Pearland Texas 77581.



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