

RICHARD EARL "DICK" RUNYON JR.



CORPUS CHRISTI – Richard Earl "Dick" Runyon Jr., 61, formerly of Amarillo, died Tuesday, Nov. 13, 2001.



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Memorial services will be at 1 p.m. Friday in Church of the Good Shepherd. Arrangements are by Maxwell-Dunn Funeral Home.

Mr. Runyon was born in Borger but spent most of his life in Ama-

rillo. He loved life and lived it with gusto. He was a Marine who served his country well, completing three tours of duty in Vietnam. He was self-employed as a contractor with Coastal Striping until his illness forced him to retire.

He was past president of the Coastal Bend Council on Drug and Alcohol Abuse and was active in many charitable and civic projects within the community. He leaves behind a legacy of stories, sayings and a spirit that was uniquely Dick's own. At his death, his home was filled with those whom he loved and who loved him.

Survivors include his wife, Rosine; two daughters, Leigh Anne Schulte and husband Calvin, and Jennifer Runyon-Houk, all of Nazareth; a sister, Sue Becquet and husband Robert of Corpus Christi; a brother, Jimmy Runyon of Waimanalo, Hawaii; four grandchildren, Jade, Jori, Victoria and Seth; and several nieces and nephews, including Tommy Shindler, who was particularly close and helpful to Dick.

The family suggests memorials be to Christus Spohn Hospice of Corpus Christi or a favorite charity.