



Edward E. "Eddie" Getner Jr.

October 22, 1960 - April 10, 2025

Edward "Eddie" Getner Jr., a proud U.S. Navy veteran, and retired VA employee, passed away peacefully after a courageous battle with cancer on Thursday, April 10th, 2025 at the age of 64. Eddie's strength, and warm laughter and spirit will forever be cherished by all who knew him.

Born on October 22, 1960 in Harlingen, Texas, Eddie was the beloved son of Edward E. Getner Sr. and Consuelo "Chelo" Getner. He served his country honorably in the U.S. Navy and continued his life of service through his work at the VA in Harlingen, where he dedicated many years to assisting fellow veterans.

Eddie was preceded in death by his father, Edward E. Getner Sr.; his sister, Belinda Belcher; his brother-in-law, Raul Garza; and his cherished nephew, Justin Vaughn. He leaves behind his devoted wife, Fermina "Mina" Sandoval-Getner; his loving mother, Consuelo "Chelo" Getner; his siblings, Norma Cantu (Joe), Cynthia Garza, and Sandra Rodriguez (Joe); his brother-in-law, Robert Belcher;

Among those who held a special place in his heart were his nieces and nephews: Joseph Cantu, Sandra Yvonne Martinez (Polo), Eddie Ray Belcher (Christina), Brianna Flores (Angel), and Melissa Rae Gorges (Meledy). His love extended to his great-nieces and nephews, whom he adored.

Eddie was an avid fisherman who found joy in being out on the water, surrounded by good company. His lifelong love for dogs and his deep appreciation for music brought him happiness throughout his life. Eddie's warmth, humor, and loving nature made him a treasured uncle, husband, son, and friend.

He will be deeply missed, but his family takes comfort in knowing that he is rejoicing in peace with his angels in heaven.

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

APR **16**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Queen of Peace Catholic Church
1509 New Combes Hwy
Harlingen, TX 78550
(956) 423-0098

Tribute Wall

AF

“ It was an honor to have worked with you. You always had a smile for our staff and veterans. Rest In Peace my fellow veteran.

Abel Flores - April 15, 2025 at 10:51 PM

GG

My brother Eddie was a lifelong friend that we will never forget we had stories that nobody could believe. I remember when Eddie just got out of the navy and came by to invite me to the island. We spent a couple days doing thing only we can say but I remember our parents had the sheriffs department looking for us. The time we were fishing at the Brownsville ship channel and a game war asked us what we were doing, and our response was just Philosophing 😊 I will miss you, my buddy my brother may the Lord help the Getner family through this very difficult time our prayers are with you 🙏

Gilbert Garcia - April 15, 2025 at 11:57 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Edward E. "Eddie" Getner Jr..

April 15, 2025 at 09:34 PM

JL

“ Eddie you will be missed brother ! You and Renee became friends and pals helping to get the clinic up and running. You two can now catch up on all of the chisme over the past few years. My deepest condolences to the family. 🙏

Jon Lindstrom - April 15, 2025 at 09:25 PM

QP

“ My condolences to Mina and the rest of the family. I knew him as Uncle Eddie. He was a friend. Say Hi, to my comadre Belinda Belcher. May Our Heavenly Father give you all comfort and strength in this difficult time. Rest in Peace Uncle Eddie.

Queta and Manuel Pequeno - April 14, 2025 at 07:05 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Edward E. "Eddie" Getner Jr..



April 14, 2025 at 04:12 PM



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EV

“ Eddie you will be greatly missed. I will always remember you and how you could light up a room with your smile!! Always in our hearts!

Evy - April 14, 2025 at 02:09 PM

TC

“ I worked with Eddie at VA for the past ten years. Eddie always had a smile on his face, a kind word to say, and knowledge to share. It was a pleasure to work with him and to know him. He will be greatly missed. My condolences go out to his family, friend and co-workers. May God grant you peace knowing he is not suffering and with the Lord.

Teresa D. Clarkston

Teresa Clarkston - April 14, 2025 at 01:21 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Edward E. "Eddie" Getner Jr..



April 14, 2025 at 01:18 PM

DR

“ Eddie you are reunited with Dad and your sister Belinda, I remember your kind heart and beautiful spirit, you will be truly missed primo, R.I.P.

DANIEL RODRIGUEZ - April 14, 2025 at 12:43 PM

QP

My condolences to the Mina and the rest of the family. I knew him as Uncle Eddie but he was a dear friend. Say hi to my conmadre Belinda Belcher. May Our Heavenly Father give comfort and strength to the family. Rest in Peace !! Uncle Eddy

Queta and Manuel Pequeno - April 14, 2025 at 06:57 PM