



Sam Fain Fiser

January 17, 1948 - January 31, 2020

Sam Fain Fiser, age 72, of Springdale, passed away on Friday, January 31, 2020. He was born on January 17, 1948, in Little Rock, Arkansas, to Charles Fain and Thelma (Dunn) Fiser.

He is survived by his wife of forty-eight years, Debbie Fiser of the home; son, Scott Fiser of Springdale; daughter, Jennifer Fiser of Washington D.C.; and two brothers, Charles Danny Fiser and wife Wilma of Rogers, and Charles Fain Fiser, Jr. and wife Karen of Bryant.

Sam graduated from the University of Arkansas in 1971. He served as a Captain in the National Guard from 1971 to 1980 and as commander of the B Battery Siloam Springs, 142nd Field Artillery. He went to work for Russell Brown & Co. in Little Rock in 1971. He became a partner in 1981 and remained a partner when the firm merged with Arthur Young & Co. in 1982. In 1985, he opened S.F. Fiser & Co. with offices in Springdale and Batesville. Throughout his life, Sam was involved in many organizations. Sam served two five-year terms on the Arkansas Savings and Loan Association Board. He served on the boards of directors of the Springdale Rotary, Art Center of the Ozarks, ARVEST Bank Springdale, and the Springdale Chamber of Commerce, where he was Chairman for one term. He was a trustee at Lyon College. He was currently serving as an Arkansas Sheriffs' Youth Ranch Trustee, as a director of the Schmieding Foundation, and as a director of the Independence County Shooting Sports Foundation. He was honored with the University of Arkansas Alumni Award in 2004 and the Lifetime Achievement Award in Accounting in 2011.

A memorial service will be held at 1:00pm on Friday, February 7, 2020, at First United Methodist Church at 206 W Johnson Ave, Springdale, AR 72764.

A private family burial at Primrose Methodist Church Cemetery in Little Rock, Arkansas, will occur at a later date.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Arkansas Sheriffs' Youth Ranch at P.O. Box 3964, Batesville, AR 72503.

Cemetery

Primrose Methodist Church Cemetery

3006 Dixon Road
Little Rock, AR, 72206

Events

FEB **Memorial Service** 01:00PM
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First United Methodist Church
206 W Johnson Ave, Springdale, AR, US,
72764

Comments



“ An external video has been added.



Nelson Berna Funeral Home - February 05 at 09:58 AM



“ Debbie, I'm so sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family.
Karilyn Moeller

Karilyn Moeller - February 07 at 08:29 AM



“ I met Sammy on the first day of our freshman year and my first day at Fuller Jr/Sr High School in Little Rock. We were friends throughout high school and a week before we were to graduate in 1966 we had a chance to talk about the past 4 years and he asked me if there were any regrets that I might have had. We had different interests in school...his in sports and mine in band and music. I shared that I regretted that due to my academic goals throughout the years I couldn't participate in track and field (knowing I would have been competitive) as I only had enough time for the band activities. I will always remember his response. He said there were a lot of the senior guys playing in the sports activities, but there was only one senior guy who was the talented Drum Major of the Fuller High band, and that gave me a special place in the Class of 1966 history. I had to smile about that and appreciated him even more for saying so. As we grew older he became Sam, I became Jim, Billy became Bill, Jackie became Jack, etc. etc. However, Sam will always be remembered as Sammy, one of the good guys. Jim Wells

JIM WELLS - February 06 at 10:18 PM



“ Sam, Debbie, Jennifer & Scotty lived in same neighborhood as we did when we first moved to Springdale & Scott and our son Andrew were buddies. Sam & I both coached our sons in 6th grade basketball (undefeated I might add....thanks to Sam's coaching and Scotty's 3 point shooting). We also vacationed in Hot Springs AR together & my wife Lyn ended up working with Sam & Debbie in their business. Our whole family was stunned to hear the news of Sam's passing, and our hearts, prayers and thoughts are with Debbie, Jennifer & Scott during this time of sorrow. We live in Nashville now, and I'd lost touch with Sam over the years, but Lyn & Debbie

have remained in touch. Lyn was able to make the trip to pay our respects at the service tomorrow. Sam was such a brilliant individual, but he also had a dry sense of humor that I always enjoyed during our times together. He was a great guy & will be missed.

Mitch Hixon - February 06 at 06:27 PM



“ Jake and Teresa Bushey purchased the European Sympathy Dish Garden for the family of Sam Fain Fiser.



Jake and Teresa Bushey - February 06 at 05:08 PM



“ Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Sam Fain Fiser.



February 06 at 01:23 PM



“ Our sincerest condolences on the loss of Sam. We will always remember him with fondness.
He will be missed.
Kit & Karen Core

Kit Core - February 06 at 11:09 AM



“ Jennifer I am very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family.

Helen Mathew - February 06 at 07:06 AM



“ It was very sad to receive the news of Sam's passing. I first met Sam in the late 60's as a resident of Holcombe Hall at the U of A. It was great to share college dorm time with him and then to follow his very successful business career in NW Arkansas. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.

Alan Roller - February 05 at 11:25 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time.

Tom Reed - February 05 at 09:32 AM



“ As a coworker of Jennifer, I was so sorry to hear about your father's passing. I know this is a very sad and difficult time for you and your family. You have my very deepest sympathy.

Joe Lewis - February 05 at 12:51 PM



“ Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Sam Fain Fiser.



February 05 at 08:53 AM