

# Harry Steven Hinde

May 7, 1943 Minneapolis, MN

May 24, 2023 Spring, TX



Beloved husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, friend, musician, and Renaissance Man. Steve was a generous, loving soul with a jokester's twinkle in his eye and a quick pun.

Steve was preceded in death by his parents Harry John "Jack" Hinde and Rose Eileen Gipson Hinde, as well as his sister Jane. Jack Hinde was a 1st generation immigrant, who moved to America as a teenager from Ecclesall Bierlow, Yorkshire, a neighborhood SW of Sheffield, England. Steve was the big brother to younger siblings Jane Elizabeth Hinde and Phillip Charles Hinde. Steve graduated from West High School in Rockford, IL, where he played clarinet in the band and lettered in both basketball and track and field. Although he narrowly

missed completing a college degree, Steve continued learning throughout his life, teaching himself to code, learning college calculus and theoretical physics, and becoming an excellent cook.

Steve married three times, first to the late Teddi Godlewski Tuttle Buttry and then to the late Nan Ellen Fredrickson Clark. He and his third wife, the late Susan Bushnell Hinde, married in October 1971. They were married 45 years before her death in 2017. Steve and Sue began married life in DeKalb, IL, where Steve worked for Ideal Industries. In the 1980's, after a winter of blizzards, they moved to Houston where Steve computerized the inventory system of Gray Tool Company. He also worked for Weatherford International for over 20 years before retiring. Steve was unpretentious, enjoyed grilling and cooking, loved fishing, watching kung-fu movies, reading, listening to music, and watching Sci-Fi shows. He was fiercely independent and just a little stubborn, two things that served him well as a widower maneuvering the pandemic. Dad was perfectly imperfect, and his sweetness and kindness grew larger as he aged.

Steve is survived by his seven children: Todd Steven Tuttle (Kimberlee); Timm Scott Tuttle (Eri); Bradley Nathan Clark (Tracy); Stephanie Ellen Clark Voet (Chris); Daniel Earle Hinde (Rosanna); Melissa Lyn Hinde Cole (Andy); and Andrew John Hinde (Nicole). Steve's 15 grandchildren knew him as "Granddad": Max, Trinity, and Cass Tuttle; Erika and Megumi Tuttle; Josie and Lexi Clark; Milo Voet; David and Annie Hinde; Madilyn, Jack, and Drew Cole; and Connor and Rhys Hinde.



A graveside service was held June 9, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. at Klein Memorial Park, 32539 State Highway 249, Pinehurst, Texas 77362.

**Reference:** [Obituary | Harry Steven Hinde of Spring, Texas | Klein Funeral Homes and Memorial Parks \(kleinfh.com\)](https://kleinfh.com/obituary/harry-steven-hinde-of-spring-texas)