



## Edgar Seagle Hunt Jr.

July 12, 1941 - July 1, 2020

Edgar Seagle Hunt, Jr., passed away peacefully at home surrounded by his loved ones after a valiant battle with prostate cancer on July 1, 2020. Born in Chattanooga, TN, he was preceded in death by his father, Edgar Seagle Hunt, Sr., his mother JoAn Norrell Hunt and his sister Patricia Ann Hunt Hicks, all of Chattanooga, Tn. Edgar Seagle Hunt Jr, was a longtime resident of Collierville, TN and Watercolor, Florida.

A graduate of Chattanooga High School, The University of Chattanooga and The Woodrow Wilson College of Law, Ed was a member of the Executive Committee at PDU/CAT. He was an innovator in the trophy industry for over 50 years where he received national recognition and won numerous industry awards for his business acumen.

A man of diverse interests, Ed was also known for his love of classic automobiles and was an avid car collector. He was a member of the Rolls Royce Owners Club, the Bentley Drivers Club, the Morgan Owners Club, the British Car Club and the Memphis Classic Chevys. He was also an accomplished musician as an award-winning tenor drummer and was the Drum Major of the Wolf River Pipes and Drums and had amassed an outstanding collection of vintage Gibson guitars and mandolins.

As a Charter member of Alta (Atlanta Lawn Tennis Association) he played competitive tennis for many years and was an active member of Hope Church in Collierville, TN.

Ed was the loving, patient, supportive and wise patriarch of the Hunt Family. It was the love for his family that meant the most to him until the very end. It was his 58th Wedding Anniversary on July 3rd, and he was looking forward to celebrating it with the love of his life, Nancy Mullins Hunt, his high school sweetheart. She caught his eye and they never looked back. He is survived by his loving wife and their three sons, Edgar Seagle Hunt III of Collierville, TN, Dennis Lance Hunt of Atlanta, Georgia and Richard Mullins Hunt and his wife Leslie McGettrick Hunt of Eads, TN.

Ed was always a devoted grandfather and is also survived by his three grandchildren,

Edgar Seagle Hunt IV of Nashville, Morgan Bailey Hunt and Richard Mullins Hunt, Jr. both from Eads, TN and attending the University of Alabama. His grandchildren meant the world to him. He was a nurturing, wise, loving and immensely proud grandfather. His pride in each of their accomplishments was always evident in the stories he shared and by his being an ever-present and available figure in their lives.

The family requests that memorial donations be made in Ed's name to The Briarcrest Fund for Athletics at [www.briarcrest.com/give](http://www.briarcrest.com/give) or mailed to Briarcrest Christian School, 72 S. Houston Levee Road, Eads, TN 38028.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at Memorial Park Funeral Home at 1:30 PM on Saturday July 18, 2020 with family receiving guest at 1 pm. A repast will be held following the service at the family home at 2113 Standing Rock Avenue, Collierville, TN

To view the Celebration of Life Service. Please click the link below.

<http://webcast.funeralvue.com/events/viewer/33355>

# Events

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**JUL** **Visitation** 01:00PM - 01:30PM

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Memorial Park Funeral Home & Cemetery  
5668 Poplar Ave, Memphis, TN, US, 38119

**JUL** **Celebration of Life** 01:30PM

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# Comments

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“ An external video has been added.



**Memorial Park Funeral Home and Cemetery** - July 16 at 04:44 PM

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“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Edgar Seagle Hunt Jr..



July 16 at 03:34 PM

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“ Angi and Tony McIntyre purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Edgar Seagle Hunt Jr..



**Angi and Tony McIntyre** - July 16 at 12:23 PM

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“ With love, Bill & Cynthia Vitto purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Edgar Seagle Hunt Jr..



**With love, Bill & Cynthia Vitto** - July 14 at 02:04 PM

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“ Ed Hunt was the most sincere and warmest person that I have ever worked with in the awards industry. His honesty, charm and wit will surely be missed. My love and condolences to his family and co-workers.

Andrew Karmitz  
AD Trophy

andrew Karmitz - July 06 at 02:31 PM

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“ Ed was one of the first vendors that extended his hand in helping me get started in the trophy business. Developed a great friendship around the mid 80's and always enjoyed seeing him at trade shows and stopping by the Atlanta warehouse before he moved to TN. My thoughts and prayers are for hiis family

Rest in peace my friend.  
Ralph Nix, Ralph's Trophy Shop, Seneca, SC

Ralph Nix - July 06 at 11:23 AM

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“ I have know Mr. Hunt Since I was in High School many many years ago. My Dad, Glen Jackson and him go way back as pioneers of the trophy business. Many Trophy guys have gone on now but their memory will last forever. I send out my thoughts and prayers to his family in this time. Just remember these great men will be in Haven no doubt trying to sell trophy parts. LOL Take care

Glenda McFarland - July 06 at 10:09 AM

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“ I was sad to hear of the passing of Ed Hunt. He was an awesome person as well as an Icon in the Awards and Recognition industry. I've always enjoyed being around Ed, especially working with him when he was the president of the ARA. My prayers go out for Nancy and his family.

Craig Miller - July 06 at 09:43 AM

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“ My business partner and I met Ed at a trade show almost 10 years ago, and we were instantly drawn to him because of his love for his family and his faith in God. We didn't spend a lot of time talking about business, but we sure did hear a lot about his faith and his family. He was so proud of his family and grandkids, and he would even

email me over the years some of their accomplishments and pictures of them. Ed's passing reminds me that faith and family are really the only two things that matter in life, and Ed left that legacy for sure. Our condolences to all of you as you celebrate the life of an amazing man! Going to the awards show and not getting to see Ed will never be the same for the 2 ladies from Kansas.

Amy Humphreys  
Hesston, KS

Amy Humphreys - July 06 at 09:27 AM

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“ I've known Ed for 26 years. Working with him, he gave me the confidence and freedom to be successful. Whenever I was in town Ed and Nancy took time out of their busy schedule to entertain me. Ed was passionate about sports, cars and his grandkids. He talked a lot about football and told me his high school football coach nicknamed him “pineapple”. Heaven is getting another Bama fan. RIP Ed. Cliff smith

Cliff Smith - July 04 at 10:48 AM

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“ Joe and Anita McLaughlin purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Edgar Hunt.



Joe and Anita McLaughlin - July 04 at 10:40 AM

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“ Dear Nancy and Family,

I'm so very sorry to hear of your loss and can only imagine how your heart is aching right now. I could tell, just by looking at family pictures of Ed and Company how much I would have enjoyed Ed's company. I hope, over time, some of the ache will be replaced by the abundant and wonderful memories you will keep forever.

Love,  
Annette Bailey  
David City, NE

Annette Bailey - July 04 at 12:35 AM

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“ Nancy and family, Ed was one of my best friends for 25 years that i worked with and for him. We had lots of laughs and fun and i have missed him the last since i have been re tired. My thoughts are with you. Joe McLaughlin

joe mclaughlin - July 03 at 02:49 PM

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“ Hunt Family, I am so sorry for your loss. I knew Ed when I worked at Dodge Trophies. He was a good kind man. He always told me I had a job at his business any time I wanted it.  
My thoughts are with your family.

paula burleson - July 03 at 01:36 PM

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“ Dear Hunt Family,

I will never forget how much Mr. Hunt loved music. I'll also remember Ed as a great story teller and how he enjoyed telling them. I heard stories from different phases of his life and during most of them he would pause to laugh along the way. Those laughs, the ones where he'd squint and chuckle, made me smile as I waited for the untold to be revealed. Over the last 20 years, 14 of those working directly with Ed, I learned many things from him. One was if he asked you a question, he already knew the answer to it. Today, my mind has flashed back through so many of the projects, interactions, trade shows, meals and fun times had with Ed. Mrs. Nancy, over the years you and Ed have blessed our family in a great many ways and we are truly grateful for this. Ed made a great impact on my life and I know working with and knowing him has helped me to be more successful. Stacey, Garner, Graham and I send our deepest sympathies to the family during this time of loss. Ed will be missed.

- JD Meredith and Family

JD Meredith - July 02 at 11:54 PM

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“ Lisa McKinley lit a candle in memory of Edgar Seagle Hunt Jr.



Lisa McKinley - July 02 at 10:48 PM



“ Mr. Hunt was onery and said whatever was on his mind, but he was also fair, kind and a hard worker. I loved that I knew where I stood with him. If I did a good job, I was rewarded and if not, he let me know. I was so fond of him and he will be missed.

**Lisa McKinley** - July 02 at 10:40 PM

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“ Please accept my condolences for the passing of Ed. Ed was President of ARA when I joined the Board of Directors. He made me feel very welcomed as he was a very cordial person at all times. He treated everyone with great respect. He was a great man, leader, and friend. He always had a smile on his face. He will be missed.  
Richard Schaefer  
Awards & More LLC  
Recognition Roundtable

**Richard Schaefer** - July 02 at 06:24 PM

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“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Edgar Hunt.



July 02 at 05:58 PM

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“ Ed was such a class act & a true gentleman. He was a wonderful president for the Awards & Personalization Association, as well as an industry expert. He will be missed by so many!  
Fran & Tom Carville

**Fran & Tom Carville** - July 02 at 05:24 PM

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“ My deepest condolences for the family. Ed was a SUPER person. He was always so very helpful and would do anything to make his customers happy. If I would call to "complain" or ask questions he would always give me a hard time, "What Now Laura!" By the time our conversation ended we would both be laughing and the reason for my call ALWAYS handled without pause. Hopefully you are at peace now Ed. We will miss you!

LauraJean Farrar, Rainbow Engraving, Inc.

Laura Farrar - July 02 at 05:23 PM

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“ Ed was an industry legend, without carrying himself as one. He was an innovator and leader. I have fond memories of conversations with Ed. His advice was always spot on and he really cared. My condolences to Nancy.

JIM ONEILL - July 02 at 05:22 PM

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“ Our sincere condolences go out to Nancy and the Hunt family. I always considered it a great pleasure to speak to Ed and Nancy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Wayne and Jan Stoppelbein, Trophy and Gift Center, Inc. Augusta, Ga

Wayne Stoppelbein - July 02 at 04:49 PM

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“ Our sweet Ed continues onto a new journey. Great man, amazing salesman .... I'll share a quick memory of Mr. Hunt. While visiting Casa Faroy Trophies in Miami. I needed several things from PDU/Cat I kept mentioning the pieces by name not by number, that precise day I had lost my glasses and kept giving Ed the wrong number from the book, but he knew exactly what we needed. Sure enough before the day was over he came back to the shop with the cutest pair of glasses. This must have been about maybe 5 years ago, I treasure those glasses like you can't imagine. I keep them in my purse everyday, and sure enough I need them every so often and I always think of our "Sweet Ed"

May God Keep him in his Glory alongside many greats of our Industry that have Passed including my Dear Mom Margarita Faroy which I'm sure they are enjoying some Cuban coffee right about now.

My deepest condolences to Mr. Ed Hunts' Family  
From the Casa Faroy Trophies Staff and Family

ivette mendez - July 02 at 04:11 PM

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“ I’ve known Ed for approximately 35 years. He was always a true gentleman. My last conversation with him a couple of months ago was like always, up beat and always proud of his family. He will be missed by many.  
Prayers for family.  
Joe Stults

Joe Stults - July 02 at 04:07 PM

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“ Ed always was one of my favorite people to talk to at the awards show. We will miss him at the PDU booth. He was always so warm, friendly, and kind. We will miss Ed  
Love always  
Lori  
Relevé Dance Competitions

Lori Heaton - July 02 at 03:53 PM