



## Bruce C. Combs

May 27, 1941 - March 28, 2011

Funeral Services for Mr. Bruce C. Combs, 69 of Logan Community of Panola County, Texas will be 2:00 p.m., Friday, April 1, 2011 at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Joe Freeman officiating. Burial will follow in the Adams Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Family visitation will be 6-8:00 p.m. Thursday March 30, 2011 at the funeral home. Mr. Combs died March 28, 2011 in Center, Texas.

Mr. Bruce Charles Combs was born May 27, 1941 in the Panama Canal Zone. He was the youngest of two children born to the marriage of Prentiss Leslie "Jerry" and Angela Marie Pimento Combs. He was raised and schooled in Venezuela later graduating from Carlisle Military School in South Carolina. He served his country through the U.S. Army. Bruce worked as an electrician for Texas Utilities for 34 years and was a certified Thermographer. Bruce married Mary Eloise Baker March 2, 1986 and they celebrated 25 years together. He was a member of the Logan Assembly of God and loved drag racing and building race cars. He is preceded in death by his father and sister, Carole Mascosco.

He is survived by his mother, Angela Combs of Carthage, loving wife, Ella Combs of Logan, children, Anthony Bruce "Tony" Combs and wife Sally of Longview, Shon Carroll of Kilgore, Shannon Maher and husband Patrick of Tuxedo, N.Y., step children, Stacey Morris and husband Wayne of Carthage, Misty Dawn Hutto and husband Chad of Gary, grandchildren, Ashley Perry, T.J. Combs, Christopher Combs, Alyssa Cole, Allison Gideon, Patrick Carroll,

Tristan Maher and Carson Maher; step grandchildren, Paige Morris, Lane, Trace and Hayden Hutto; great grandchildren, Leland, Serenit, Gabriel, and Kylee Jo numerous nieces, nephews and a host of friends.

Serving as pallbearers will be James Sanders, Scottie Elliott, Darrell Barnett, Robert Ortigo, Danny Bugh, David Baker and Tom Eames.

# Previous Events

## Service

APR 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel  
307 W Wellington St.  
Carthage, Tx

# Tribute Wall



“ Hawthorn Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Bruce C. Combs



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Hawthorn Funeral Home - March 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear about your loss.  
We will be praying for you and your family.##imported-  
begin##Diane Baker Bairnsfather (charles' daughter)##imported-  
end##

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April 06, 2011 at 10:53 PM



“ Tony, you and your whole family are in my family's thoughts and prayers. May the Lord comfort you in the loss of your father and loved one.##imported-begin##Sherrie Taylor-Deutsch##imported-end##

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April 03, 2011 at 06:42 PM



“ Ms. Eloise, Stacy & Mlsty

*I am deeply saddened to here about Mr. Bruce. I will never forget the trailrides and the times I spent hanging around with him. He was a great man and a great person to talk to. I will never foget those days. Each one of you are in my prayers and may God Bless You.##imported-begin##Stephen Brando##imported-end##*

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April 02, 2011 at 12:02 PM



“ We are so saddened for your loss. Please know you and yours are in our prayers.##imported-begin##Freida Boyd Parker##imported-end##

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April 02, 2011 at 09:39 AM



“ My sincere heartfelt sympathies to you and your family. I worked with Bruce for many years at Texas Utilities Generating Company and had the pleasure of knowing Bruce. He will greatly missed.

*Blessings to you and your family,  
Bryan Tarjick##imported-begin##Bryan Tarjick##imported-end##*

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April 02, 2011 at 08:55 AM



“ Our Sincerest Condolences and Sympathies to the Family and Friends of Bruce.##imported-begin##Walter & Jan Perry##imported-end##

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April 01, 2011 at 03:22 PM



“ *Every once in a while we are fortunate to share our lives with someone very special. Please know that your loss is deeply felt by everyone who came to know and love Bruce.  
May God be with you in your sorrow.*

*Peace and love,  
Stella Clark###imported-begin##stella mingea clark###imported-end##*

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April 01, 2011 at 11:27 AM



“ *Ella,  
We are praying for you & your family during this time. Thinking of you always.*

*Linda & Tommy Williams  
Melinda Williams  
Joyce & John Patty  
Tommy & Jessica Williams###imported-begin##Joyce Williams  
Patty###imported-end##*

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April 01, 2011 at 10:36 AM



“ *Dear Tony and Family,  
We are so sorry for you loss. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Kileen, Kenny, Chelsea, Maddison, and Sean###imported-begin##Kileen Gaddis###imported-end##*

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March 31, 2011 at 11:55 AM



“ Tony, Shon, and Shannon, we are so sorry about your loss and know this is a very hard time for you. We are praying for you all and ask that God wraps his arms around you and gives you strength to get through this week. Please know many continue to pray for you all. God bless.##imported-begin##John and Kim Carroll Raby##imported-end##

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March 31, 2011 at 07:32 AM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. We have known the family many years and learned to love them all. I am praying for you Tony.##imported-begin##Ken and Molly Hall##imported-end##

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March 30, 2011 at 11:14 PM



“ Dear Shon, Shannon & Tony...  
My deepest sympathies for your loss. You and your families are in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Audrey Whitten##imported-end##

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March 30, 2011 at 05:55 PM



“ Tony & family

We are so sorry to hear about the loss of your Dad. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Evan & Linda Spicer##imported-end##

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March 30, 2011 at 04:54 PM



“ Dear, Tony, Shannon and Shon,

*Sorry for your loss, Praying Gods grace, healing and strength for your families.##imported-begin##TOny Stone##imported-end##*

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March 30, 2011 at 04:42 PM



“ Tony, Shannon & Shon,

*I was deeply saddened to hear of the loss of your dad. Words, at a time like this, seem so empty. Know that you are all loved and so many of your friends and family are praying for you. May God Bless and hold each one of you close, now and in the time to come.*

*Love always,*

*Galena##imported-begin##Galena Gee Waites##imported-end##*

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March 30, 2011 at 08:35 AM



“ Agreat workmate at tu electRICT he will be missed.##imported-begin##Robert Elliott##imported-end##

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March 30, 2011 at 07:23 AM