



Mr. Garvin Baker

May 9, 1924 - December 18, 2015

Funeral services for Mr. Garvin Baker, 91, of Carthage, Texas will be 11:00 a.m. Monday, December, 21, 2015 at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. David Daigle officiating. Burial will follow in the Adams Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Visitation will be 2-4:00 p.m. Sunday, December 20 at the funeral home. Mr. Baker died December 18, 2015 in Carthage, Texas.

Mr. Rueben Garvin Baker was born May 9, 1924 in Panola, Texas. He was one of ten children born to the marriage of Ezekiel "Zeke" and Rosie Baker. He was raised and schooled in Galloway. He married Elsie Pauline Farmer and they celebrated 69 years together before she preceded him in death. Garvin worked as a welder for Marathon Letourneau retiring after many years of service. He was a member of the Deadwood United Pentecostal Church, loved squirrel hunting, fishing, the outdoors and spending time with his family. He is also preceded in death by his parents, brothers, Raymond "Scooter", Ewford, James, and Leaman Baker, sisters, Odessa "Teeny" Baker, Theo Barnett and Irene Rinkle, children, Billy Baker and Debbie Baker Gage. Mr. Baker is survived by his children, Weldon Baker and wife Rebecca of Tatum, Dale Baker and wife Sarah of Deadwood, sisters, Helen Barnett of Carthage, Elaine Ortigo and husband Huey of Logan, son-in-law, Joe Gage of Deadwood, daughter-in-law, Deborah Baker of Carthage, grandchildren, Jamey Baker and Wife Sharon, Phillip Baker and wife Holly, Scotty Baker and wife Becky, Chance Baker, Joseph Baker, Josh Baker and wife Jennifer,

Wayne Baker and wife Brandi, Sherry Baker, Brandy Dawson and husband Mark, Patrick Gage and Wife Paula, Shawna Colbert, Shalon Davis and husband Shane; numerous great grandchildren, nieces, nephews and a host of friends.

Serving as pallbearers will be Phillip Baker, Scotty Baker, Josh Baker, Patrick Gage, Wayne Baker, Mark Dawson, Jay Horan, Joseph Baker, Jamey Baker and Chance Baker. The family requests donations to the Deadwood United Pentecostal Church.

Cemetery Details

Adams Cemetery

1108 CR 456
Carthage, TX 75633

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **20**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home
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Service

DEC **21**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



“ Hawthorn Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Garvin Baker



Hawthorn Funeral Home - December 20, 2015 at 12:38 PM

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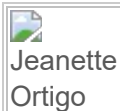
Uncle Garvin you will forever and always be missed.

Lynn Baker Hobbs - December 21, 2015 at 12:42 AM

MD

“ *I am up here in Tatum and did not know he had passed. Our sincere condolences to the family. Uncle Garvin and Aunt Elsie were truly two of a kind and are both missed. Mark and Lin Dickerson*

Mark and Lin Dickerson - December 23, 2015 at 06:12 PM



“ *Uncle Garvin treated everyone like family. He accepted me into the Ortigo family with open arms and always a radiant smile. Ronney has so many cherished memories of his Christian love and compassion. Our love and prayers are with all of his dear family that will miss his warmth of love, his cheerfulness and his infectious gratefulness of life; but his Christian faith, hope, love and his continuous prayers will forever be a part of all of your lives. With love and prayers, Jeanette and Ronney*

Jeanette Ortigo - December 20, 2015 at 10:29 PM



“ 48 files added to the album Life Tributes



Hawthorn Funeral Home - December 20, 2015 at 12:02 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of Mr. Baker's passing. I know you will miss him, especially this Christmas. I am praying God will comfort and strengthen you all. Love, Lacy and Jerry Jones

lacy jones - December 20, 2015 at 10:31 AM



“ This world will never be the same. Bro. Baker was an inspiration to all who crossed his path. As sad as we are to know he has left this world, it is with great rejoicing that he is in a better place with his loved ones.

My heart and prayers are with your family at this time.

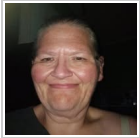
Christy Layne - December 20, 2015 at 09:10 AM



“ *Elaine Ross lit a candle in memory of Mr. Garvin Baker*



Elaine Ross - December 20, 2015 at 06:58 AM



“ *I will always cherish my memories of my great uncle Garvin. He was always smiling & would give me a big hug & kiss me on my cheeks . He was very loving & had a warm & kind heart. I Loved him & Elsie dearly. If only there were more people like them in this world but they were one of a kind. The both of them will forever & always be in my heart & I'll cherish the memories.*

LOVE Selena (Andrews) Martinez & Family

Selena Martinez - December 20, 2015 at 02:20 AM

KS

“ *Uncle Garvin was the kindest most loving man in the world. He will truly be missed by so many. I know that he touched the lives of everyone he met in a glorious way, f he didn't it was because of that person not him. I know that y'all are devastated right now, but think of the time he is having in Heaven. I loved him and there is a void knowing that he is gone. Praying for all of you.*

Kim Scruggs - December 19, 2015 at 10:43 PM

DG

“ Bro. Baker was a kind, loving man of GOD! He greeted everyone with a smile and was a genuine good man. He showed compassion and loved GOD with all his heart. He was meek and humble, a beautiful example of a Christian man. Prayers for all his family.

Diane Gaspard - December 19, 2015 at 08:02 PM

JH

“ I just want to say that I am so thankful for all the memories of Garvin. He treated me like one of his grandkids when I came visiting with Patrick. I have always told Marilyn what a great man he was. He will definitely be missed.



Jason n Marilyn Harrison - December 19, 2015 at 07:24 PM

MH

“ First met Brother Garvin in 1997 when I started going to Deadwood UPC with my husband Jason. One thing I will always remember him for is his faithfulness to God. He always had a smile on his face and encouraging words to lift you up. Brother Garvin will always have a place in my heart and my husband's. He will be greatly missed. Prayers to all the family.



Marilynn n Jason Harrison - December 19, 2015 at 07:15 PM