



## Mr James "Buddy" Elemon Hammons

January 22, 1945 - June 13, 2025

Funeral services for Mr. Buddy Hammons, 80, of Carthage, Texas will be 11:00 a.m. Friday, June 20, 2025, at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Jerry Anderson officiating. Burial will follow in the Macedonia Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Visitation will be 10-11:00 a.m. prior to the service at Hawthorns.

Mr. James Elemon "Buddy" Hammons was born January 22, 1945, in Greggton, Texas. He passed this life June 13, 2025, peacefully at his Carthage, Texas home. Buddy was the older of two boys born to the marriage of Eula Mae Shadowens and Walter Vernon "Pat" Hammons. He was raised in Panola County, schooled in Carthage, graduating with the Bulldog class of 1963. He served his country through the U.S. Air Force.

Mr. Hammons spent his career in the pipeline and oil field industry. He was a heavy equipment operator for over 50 years. "I worked everywhere and for everyone" Buddy stated. He was a member of the Carthage Missionary Baptist Church and served in the American Legion and VFW. He loved the outdoors, hunting, fishing and gardening. Buddy loved helping people and doing things for others. He is preceded in death by his parents; brother, Butch Hammons; and stepdaughter, Shasta Nicole Dulany

Mr. Hammons is survived by his loving wife of 32 years, Sharon Hammons; sons, Stephen Hammons and wife Lacy of Beckville; Brent Hammons and wife Elizabeth of Bullard, daughter, Stephanie Walker of Oklahoma; grandchildren, Brett Hammons, Alex Hammons, Samuel Hammons Bo

Hammons, Abby Hammons, Destiny Wade, Jacob Bagley, Callen Bagley, , Colton Allen and wife Shelbi; numerous great grandchildren, nieces, nephews and a host of friends.

The family requests memorials to the St. Jude's Children's Hospital. A guestbook can be signed at: [www.hawthornfuneralhome.com](http://www.hawthornfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Macedonia Cemetery

1908 US Hwy 79 S  
Carthage, TX 75633

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUN 20.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home  
307 West Wellington Street  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hawthorn Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr James "Buddy" Elemon Hammons



Hawthorn Funeral Home - June 20, 2025 at 04:00 PM



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Hawthorn Funeral Home - June 18, 2025 at 02:57 PM



“ Our deepest condolences. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Shawn & Kim Potter



Kim Potter - June 19, 2025 at 03:00 PM

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“ Gaylynn Hudson and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr James "Buddy" Elemon Hammons.

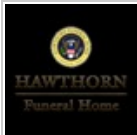
Gaylynn Hudson and family - June 19, 2025 at 01:02 PM

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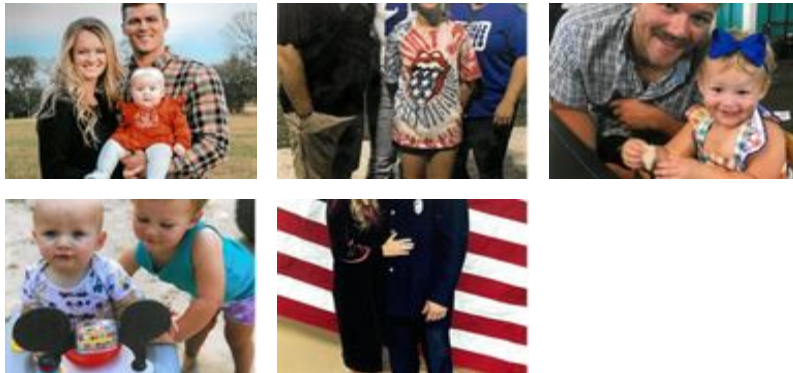
“ Gaylynn Hudson and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr James "Buddy" Elemon Hammons.



Gaylynn Hudson and family - June 19, 2025 at 01:02 PM



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“ I have always looked up to Buddy. First as an older cousin, then as a friend, and later as a brother in Christ.

Once Buddy and I were both a little late for the men’s prayer meeting before Church and waiting outside the closed door to the pastor’s office. One of the ladies came by and said “guess they are in there praying for a miracle”.

Buddy said “If they would open the door they could see two miracles standing here”.

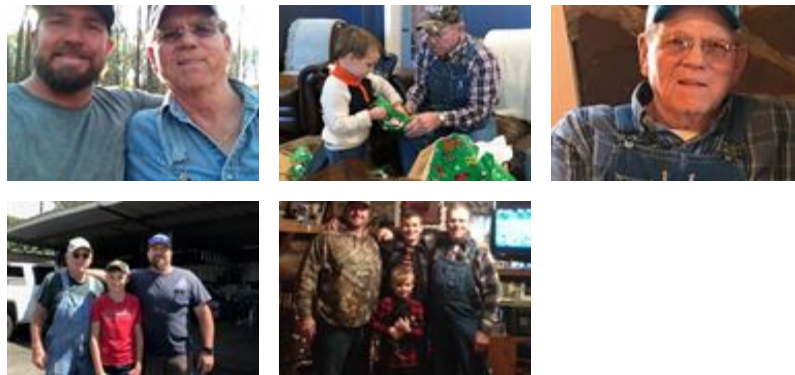
Praise God! Buddy experienced the completion of that miracle, completely healed in every way and safe in the arms of Jesus.

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**Kenneth Pierce** - June 19, 2025 at 10:08 AM



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**Hawthorn Funeral Home** - June 18, 2025 at 03:55 PM



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Hawthorn Funeral Home - June 18, 2025 at 02:54 PM



“ ALLEN MONIC purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr James "Buddy" Elemon Hammons.



ALLEN MONIC - June 16, 2025 at 09:49 PM



“ Our love and condolences. HeartsWay Hospice staff.



HeartsWay Hospice - June 16, 2025 at 02:19 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mr James "Buddy" Elemon Hammons.

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“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Mr James "Buddy" Elemon Hammons.



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