



Mr. James "Cliff" Lawhorn

December 2, 1948 - October 16, 2014

Funeral services for James Clifford "Cliff" Lawhorn, 65 of Carthage, Texas will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, October 18, 2014 at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Newton Hambrick and Dr. Dale Reed officiating. Burial will follow in the Six Mile Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Family visitation will be Friday evening from 6–8:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Mr. Lawhorn passed away October 16, 2014 in Carthage.

Mr. James Clifford Lawhorn was born December 2, 1948 in Henderson, Texas. He was the oldest of three children born to the marriage of James Eldon and Mary Lois Graves Lawhorn. Cliff was raised and schooled in Panola County graduating from Carthage High School with the class of 1967 and later attended Panola Jr. College. He met and later married Tona Jennette James on August 22, 1969 and together they celebrated 45 years. Mr. Lawhorn worked for Texas Utilities as a fuel mechanic and retired after 33 years. Cliff loved fishing, hunting, working on the farm and spending time with his family and most especially his grandchildren. He was a member of the New Hope Baptist Church in Gary. Cliff is preceded in death by his parents, daughter, Christy Lawhorn and brother, Larry Lawhorn.

Mr. Lawhorn is survived by his loving wife, Tona Lawhorn of Buncombe; sons, Chad Lawhorn and wife Sarah of Diana, Clint Lawhorn and wife Chelsey of Buncombe; grandsons, Cullen Chambers, Talon Chambers, Rodie Lawhorn and Colt Lawhorn; sister, Phyllis Griffith of Buncombe; numerous other relatives and a host of friends.

If desired, the family requests that donations be made in Mr. Lawhorn's name to HeartsWay Hospice, 437 W. Panola, Carthage, Texas 75633 or to the PKD Foundation at www.pkdcure.org.

Cemetery Details

Six Mile Cemetery

862 CR 103
Carthage, TX 75633

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home
307 West Wellington Street, P.O. Box 188
Carthage, TX

Service

OCT 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall

CB

“ So sorry for your loss. Praying for your family. *Crystal Toon Bovaird*

Crystal Bovaird - October 18, 2014 at 02:12 PM

CA

“ *Deepest sympathy.*

Carmetti Atkerson



Carmetti Atkerson - October 18, 2014 at 10:01 AM

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Carmetti Atkerson - October 18, 2014 at 10:01 AM

SC

“ Thinking of all the memories that have been shared between our two families. There have been so many.....good, bad, happy, sad and funny. There have been so many. We were close for so many years. Tona, Chad and Clint, you all hold a very, very special place in my heart. Even though we have all gone in different directions, those memories are so very cherished. Cliff fought a long and hard battle. You were so fortunate to have had him as a husband and father. My thoughts and prayers will continue to be with you. Cliff, Christy and the family that have gone before them are rejoicing. Our time will come to join them. Love to all of you!

Sue Childers - October 18, 2014 at 12:19 AM

LL

“ Lonny & Lola lit a candle in memory of Mr. James "Cliff" Lawhorn



Lonny & Lola - October 17, 2014 at 11:33 PM

LO

So sorry we didn't have enough notice to attend the service. Love & prayers to Tona & her family. So happy to have had so many years & memories with & of him.

Lonny - October 17, 2014 at 11:38 PM

JC

“ Cliff was like a second dad to me when I was growing up. Although I haven't seen or talked to him in a few years, I will surely miss him. I'll never forget the "talks" we shared and how he never raised his voice. He was indeed a good man and helped me on more than one occasion.

Jason Childers - October 17, 2014 at 02:05 PM

BK

“ *Barbara Kruebbe lit a candle in memory of Mr. James "Cliff" Lawhorn*



Barbara Kruebbe - October 17, 2014 at 12:46 PM

MK

“ *Michael Kruebbe lit a candle in memory of Mr. James "Cliff" Lawhorn*



Michael Kruebbe - October 17, 2014 at 12:29 PM

SH

“ *To the Lawhorn family: we are so sorry for the loss of your loved one. He was a good husband and Father. We love you!!! Wayne & Judy Sheffield*



Sheffield - October 17, 2014 at 12:24 PM

PG

“ *To the whole family - I am so sorry for your loss. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers. The one comfort you all have is that he is with Christy now and in no more pain. I love you all. We are always here if you need us.*
Phillip & Glenda



Phillip & Glenda Grimes - October 17, 2014 at 12:03 PM

EL

“ *Elaineross lit a candle in memory of Mr. James "Cliff" Lawhorn*



elaineross - October 17, 2014 at 10:35 AM

BH

“ *Tona, Clint, and Chad: Our thoughts and prayers are with you guys. Cliff will be missed by all of us but as Christians we know he is in the hands of God; feeling no more pain. We all, especially you guys, have acres and acres of great memories that cannot be taken away due to the loss of someone we all knew. It had been many years since we were all together on the boat of friendship but those memories will never be lost. May God Bless and care for you all.*
Bill and Brenda Hutto

Bill and Brenda Hutto - October 16, 2014 at 08:24 PM

MT

“ *Tona, Chad, and Clint ~ I was so sorry to hear about Cliff's passing. I loved our time together when I lived down there. Love to all of you.*
Mona Tucker



Mona Tucker - October 16, 2014 at 06:27 PM