



## Mr. Jerry Mayo

March 14, 1938 - March 26, 2018

Funeral services for Mr. Jerry Mayo, 80, of Gary, Texas will be 10:00 a.m., Friday at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Dale Walker and Rev. Rick Linebarger officiating. Burial with Masonic Rites will follow in the Gary Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Visitation with the family will be 6-8:00 p.m. Thursday evening at the funeral home.

Mr. Jerry Mayo was born March 14, 1938 in Lake Providence, Louisiana and passed away March 26, 2018 in Carthage, Texas. Jerry was one of four children born to Thad and Cora "Coda" Graham Mayo. He was raised and schooled in Jena, Louisiana and graduated with the class of 1957. After high school, Jerry went to work in the oil field. He met and later married Carolyn Ford in 1977 and together they celebrated 37 years until she preceded him in death in July 2014.

Jerry worked for Hunt Oil Company for 42 years. He was an active member in the Masonic Lodge in Gary, Carthage, Beckville and Timpson and had received his 40 year pin. He was also a member of the Sharon Shriner's in Tyler. Jerry worked for the Panola County Sheriff's Office as the Gary City Marshal for many years and was a member of the Gary Fire Department. Mr. Mayo is also preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Thadean Floyd. Mr. Mayo is survived by his daughter, Rhonda Townsend and husband Mickey of Gary, son, Jody Mayo and wife Mercy of Lake Murvaul, daughter, Katti Bird and husband Steven of Gary, sister, Lila Sue McAdams of Poplarville, MS, brother, Chris Mayo and wife Connie of Jena, LA, step-son, Wesley Coleman

and wife Brenda of Long Branch, grandchildren, Brandy Gragg, Joshua Keen, Kasey Townsend, Katrina Myron, Steven Graves, David Graves, Jerry Graves, Cody Mayo, Kristina Mayo, Channa Drane, Katalynn Bird, Delane Bird, seventeen great grandchildren and four great, great grandchildren, numerous other relatives and a host of friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Gary Cemetery

176 Bobcat Trail  
Gary, TX 75643

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **29**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home  
307 West Wellington Street  
P.O. Box 188  
Carthage, TX 75633  
(903) 693-3816  
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## Service

MAR **30**. 10:00 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. Jerry Mayo



Hawthorn Funeral Home - March 29, 2018 at 02:01 PM

SR

“ Rhonda and family,  
Prayers for you and your family during this difficult time.

Sheila Ritter - April 01, 2018 at 02:05 AM

VJ

“ To the Mayo Family,  
My fondest memory of Jerry was his coaching baseball in my very early years. He will be missed and know he is now in the Hands of our Savior and free. Thankful to have met and known him. Praying for peace and comfort in the days ahead for all the family.

Venita Justice - March 31, 2018 at 09:44 AM

LE

“ Will miss your many stories and your sense of humor...



Lisa Evans - March 30, 2018 at 08:29 AM

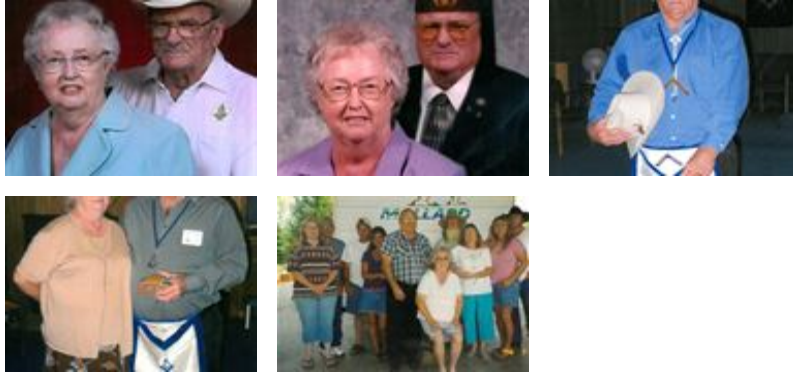
DL

“ *Lots of love and prayers!!*

Donna LaBorde - March 29, 2018 at 12:52 PM



“ *47 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Hawthorn Funeral Home - March 29, 2018 at 12:40 PM

TH

“ *Tony Hight lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Mayo*



tony hight - March 27, 2018 at 06:52 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Jerry Mayo.*



March 27, 2018 at 04:34 PM

CF

“ *Claxton and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Jerry Mayo.*



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**Claxton and family** - March 27, 2018 at 04:27 PM

NC

“ *Nerissa Coligan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry Mayo*



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**Nerissa Coligan** - March 27, 2018 at 07:13 AM

BB

“ *I will always remember how Mr. Jerry and his sweet wife came to my 2nd grade classroom every year and talked to us about fire safety. He and his wife loved the kids and cared about our Gary school. He will be missed here on earth, but we know he's having a glorious reunion with his wife in Heaven.* 🙏🏻✝️

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**Becky Blair** - March 26, 2018 at 06:17 PM

PG

*“ We both love Jerry very much. We know he is very happy in his Heavenly Home now with no pain or suffering. Mrs. Carolyn and him are back together again and that is what he would always tell us that he was ready for. He always had such a big smile and always gave us a big hug no matter where we saw him. Jerry's family is in our prayers for your loss, but just remember how much he has now gained in his Heavenly Home. RIP our wonderful friend, your Heavenly Home is well deserved. We will miss you.*



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**Phillip and Glenda Grimes** - March 26, 2018 at 04:56 PM

KW

*“ 1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Kay Wells** - March 26, 2018 at 04:49 PM

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*“ Kay and Tom Wells -- Woodie and Margaret Flowers purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Jerry Mayo.*



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**Kay and Tom Wells -- Woodie and Margaret Flowers** - March 26, 2018 at 04:17 PM

JP

“ So sorry for your lose have some great memories of him and all your family and Mr Ceciel and some good times camping and hunting they will have a place always heart. looking forward to seeing him in our home in heaven. Praying for the family. James Poole

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**James Poole** - March 26, 2018 at 02:56 PM