



Mr. Jimmy Shadowens

December 25, 1949 - January 10, 2016

Funeral services for Mr. Jimmy Shadowens, 66 of Jefferson, Texas will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday, January 16, 2016 at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Mr. Chris Shadowens and Bro. Pete Williams officiating. Burial will follow in the Panola Mt. Zion Cemetery under the direction of Hawthorn Funeral Home. Visitation will be 6-8:00 p.m. Friday night at Hawthorns. Mr. Shadowens died January 10, 2016 in Marshall , Texas.

Mr. James Wesley “Jimmy” Shadowens was born December 25, 1949 at his family’s home in DeBerry, Texas. He was one of six children born to the marriage of Fred and Eva Lois Westmoreland Shadowens. He was a graduate of Elysian Fields High School, later serving his country through the U.S. Army. Jimmy worked as a drag line operator for Texas Utilities retiring after 32 years of service. Mr. Shadowens was a volunteer firefighter for Harrison County and a member of the Marion county Rescue and Dive Team. He loved fishing, working horses and giving all who knew him a “hard time” He is preceded in death by his parents, brothers, Robbie and Tank Shadowens, sister, Eva Jane Gordon.

Mr. Shadowens is survived by his son, Chris Shadowens and fiancé Amy Longstreth of Ft. Worth, daughter, Amber Shadowens of Jefferson, brothers, Freddy Shadowens of Mercury and Johnny Shadowens of DeBerry, sister-in-law, Joanne Shadowens of Keatchie, LA, grandchildren, Robert “Bobby” Hall, Wesley Rivers, Domonik Rivers, numerous nieces, nephews and a host of friends.

Serving as pallbearers will be Shayne Shadowens, Bobby Hall, Chris Shadowens, Johnny Ramsey, Keith Smith, Tyler Ingram and Tony Thrower. An online guestbook can be signed at www.hawthornfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Panola Mt. Zion Cemetery

1167 CR 328
DeBerry, TX 75639

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **15**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

JAN **16**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall

AM

“ To the man who introduced me to the great sport of crappie fishing, teased me for the terrible brim fisherman I was, made sure I was never bit by mosquitos and always had enough clothing for those bitter lake winds, showed me the first bald eagle I'd ever seen flying across the lake, ratted out his grandsons when they harassed me (and most recently provided the spanking boat paddle), thank you for your sincerity, generosity, kindness, and mostly your smile and contagious laughter. You are loved and will forever be remembered and missed.

Amy - January 13, 2016 at 11:09 PM

JG

“ Mr Jimmy was a great man and a good friend he would go out of his way to help a person in need he spent many long nights with us out at the arena. Opening the roping chute for us and you could always catch him somewhere at a sale . we will miss you Jimmy. James denise and codi garza

james garza - January 13, 2016 at 08:24 PM

Jean
Gillespie

“ Jimmy was our cousin, and we are saddened to hear of his passing. His family continue in our thoughts and prayers. God bless you during this difficult time--Wilna Jean (Westmoreland) Gillespie and Donis Lonzo Westmoreland



Jean Gillespie - January 13, 2016 at 05:33 PM

 Bessie Kendrick

“ Jimmy will certainly be missed. He always made sure he spoke when he saw us One time I didn't see him back behind the horse pens at a sale barn, and I heard him hollering "Hey neighbor", and looked up and saw an arm waving and a big smile on his face. A few years ago he sold us a sweet small white mare that the Grandkids ride and I will always remember Jimmy when I look at her. He was a fine man, neighbor and friend.

Bessie Kendrick - January 13, 2016 at 12:41 PM

EW

“ Eva W. purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Mr. Jimmy Shadowens.



Eva W. - January 13, 2016 at 12:33 PM

 Mandy Moore

“ Just loved Mr. Jimmy.. He always went out of his way to make sure he spoke to me and asked how I was doing, and I found myself doing the same to him! I don't think you could dislike him if you tried. His sincerity and love for people always shined. And that chuckle.. sure will miss him.

Mandy Moore - January 13, 2016 at 08:40 AM

AA

“ Audry, Harold & Amy purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mr. Jimmy Shadowens.



Audry, Harold & Amy - January 12, 2016 at 11:24 PM

AA

“ *Mr. Jimmy was a good reliable friend. I could always depend on him being there when we would have something going on at the arena from a work day to a meeting and especially a Rodeo. I will miss him, his smile and his chuckle!*

Alan Bidy, Jefferson Livestock Assn. - January 12, 2016 at 02:19 PM

MH

Yes Jimmy was a wonderful man an father an friend. He will be greatly missed by those who love him an by many friends.

Martha Holland - January 12, 2016 at 08:53 PM

JJ

Jimmy was a very good and tough football player at EF. He had great balance and was tough as nails. He was always polite and nice to me and other underclassmen at EFHS. We will miss you Jimmy !!

JT Jernigan - January 14, 2016 at 09:13 AM

SD

We will all miss him dearly!! Jimmy has always made us smile and laugh in the H & H office. He always to manage to bring us daffodils in a jar to make our days better always!! Jimmy was always trying to make others smile!! Will miss him Dearly!!!

Susan Dorough - January 14, 2016 at 04:58 PM

GH

I agree with JT, Jimmy was a very good ball player and a good friend and he will be missed. My thoughts and prayers go out to you Johnny, Freddy and family.

George Hill - January 16, 2016 at 08:32 AM