



Donald Stubblefield

April 28, 1937 - October 7, 2008

Donald L. Stubblefield, a resident of St. Elmo Texas lost his long and courageous battle with cancer and went home to be with the Lord on October 7, 2008. He was born April 28, 1937 to Lois and Cecil Stubblefield at home on their farm in Frost Texas. Donald grew up in Frost attending Frost schools graduating in 1955. In December 1955 after the crops were in Donald joined the USAF, Frost was never home again but he always cherished his memories of his small hometown. While Donald was in the AF stationed in Denver Colorado he met Carole "Susie" Jeffries and they were married December 27, 1957. This marriage was blessed with three children, a son Donald W., a daughter Shelly and another son Terry. The family made their home in Irving Texas for 25 years. Donald truly enjoyed his family and was an active participant in his childrens activities, sports, motorcycle racing, high school rodeo as well as being an active Irving YMCA family. Donald was employed at Murdock Machinery and Engineering of Irving Texas in the aerospace industry for 30 years, he felt fortunate to have a career he enjoyed that was fulfilling and challenging. "Stubb" as he was known to his co workers had many friends there that he enjoyed sharing good times with. Donald never forgot friends from Frost and his years in the AF and considered old friends and new friends a true blessing from God. Upon retirement Donald and Carole moved to St. Elmo on Richland Chambers Lake where he enjoyed gardening and fishing. Donald found a new life when he and Carole joined Lakeside UMC. he found joy in helping build the present day church building and really found meaning

to life working with an organization at church "Carpenters for Christ". Donald loved God, the church and his church family. He will be missed by the friends he made throughout life and by his extended family, he really enjoyed good times in the great outdoors, camping, hunting and fishing with friends and family, his life was a life well lived. He is survived by wife of 50 1/2 years "Susie", his son Donald W. of Hurst Texas, his son Terry and fiancée Elene of Anchorage Alaska, a grandson Travis Stevens and wife Natasha and a great granddaughter Ani Lee Stevens of Austin Texas, sister Neva and husband W. M. Perry of Seagoville Texas. He also leaves behind sisters in law and brothers in law, nieces and nephews he loved very much. Donald is preceded in death by his parents Lois and Cecel Stubblefield, brother Melva R. Stubblefield, sister Sylvia Hunter, a grandson Todd E. Stevens and his beautiful daughter Shelly S. Stevens. Visitation will be 6-8pm Friday October 10, 2008 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. Services will be 10am Saturday October 11, 2008 at Griffin-Roughton Chapel with Rev. Sandra Hippman officiating. Burial will follow at Frost Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Curtis W. Parsons, Gary A. Parsons, Robert D. Parsons, Cecil Perry, Robert Perry, Jeffery Hunter. Memorial donations may be made to American Cancer Society in care of Freestone County Relay for Life.

Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Stubblefield*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *To your hands I hold in your time of need. Our friendship carried so long and so deep. The fun we have shared along the way. Brings us to this very day. For they have gone from the circle of friends, that we once began. We bow our heads to pray, As the angel carried them away. They stand on heaven shore, There pain is no more. But ours still remain. So together we hold one another and we pray. That god will gives us strength to start a new day. And The friendship shall never go away. MY LOVE TO YOU MIKE KOSSEY*

mike kossey - October 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Very sorry to hear about Stubb.*

On behalf of my family and myself, I'd like to extend our deepest sympathy.

Lewis Moreno

Lewis Moreno - October 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *We are so very sorry for your loss of Don. He will certainly be missed but know that we are praying for your family that our Lord will give you the peace and comfort to sustain you at this time.*

Sam & Shirley Finley - October 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *Carole and Family,
I send my love and prayers to you at this time. I'm so grateful to have known Don, he was a good man. May God shower you with His blessings in the time to come.*

Judy Connolly - October 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ *The time we spend on this earth, with the people we work with, are as cherished as any time spent anywhere, when you had a guy like Stubb to see every day. He was as rough as a cob and as pure as they come all rolled into one. You could trust what he said and what he did. He was a solid and honest guy, who never held back his feelings. You knew what he had on his mind always. The backbone of the company we all enjoyed so much. May his family have our greatest sympathy. We will all miss him. God bless and keep him forever.*

Gary W Bunt - October 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *Carol, I am so sorry to hear about Don. I will miss seeing him sitting in the congregation at church. Just know his pain is no more. He has a new body and is rejoicing with God. You and the family are in my prayers. I know with out a doubt he has received the greatest reward.*

Sincerely,

Chase

Chase Wagner - October 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LO

“ We shared a lot of good times together at murdock, and were reunited for a short time at h.m. dunn company.

Although he appeared tough and rough on the outside, he had a soft and gentle heart. my prayers and thoughts are with his family. May he rest in peace.

Larry Owens - October 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PT

“ Carol, may the memories of your loved one and those special times you shared together be of comfort to you now and in the days ahead bringing peace to your heart.

May God Bless You !!!

Peggy Thomas - October 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM