



George Johnston

May 13, 1928 - October 9, 2011

George Worth Johnston, of Corsicana, passed away on Sunday, October 9, 2011 at the Veterans Affairs Hospital in Temple at the age of 83. He was born in Eureka on May 13, 1928 to George Worth Johnston Sr. and Virginia Pisek Johnston. Following graduation from high school he served in the United States Marine Corp in Korea. He was a route salesman for a number of years for 3RD Avenue Meet Market in Corsicana and also drove a Swift Ice Cream truck. George was preceded in death by his parents, brother Charles Johnston, wife Billie McConnell Johnston, son George Worth Johnston, and daughter Virginia Montfort. Survivors include his daughter Beth Niedringhaus of Palmer. Step children Linda Selby Hardin of Corsicana and Ricky Kelly of Corsicana. Four grandchildren: Callie Jakuibik of Waxahachie, Cathlyn Collier of Clinton, Mass, Mason Montfort, of Corsicana, and Mark Montfort of Corsicana. Two great grandchildren: Dakota Estin and Savanna Estin of Clinton, Mass. He is also survived by a sister-in-law Chris Johnston of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and several nieces and nephews. The family would like to thank Piney Woods Healthcare for their help in caring for Mr. Johnston. In lieu of flowers memorials can be made to the Corsicana Animal Shelter or any local Veterans Organizations in memory of Mr. Johnston. Visitation will be held on Thursday, October 13, 2011 from 10am - 12pm at Griffin - Roughton Funeral Home with Graveside Services being held at Eureka Cemetery at 2pm with the Rev. James Williams officiating.

Tribute Wall



“ *Boy Worth, as I knew him, lived down the road from Grandma and Grandpa in Texas, as I remember from my visit in my youth. He was more than a legend. No running water at grandpa's house, and we used an outhouse. I remember playing poker with Beth. My father, Charles, GW as he later told me to call, and I went to a blind judge's house to put signatures to a petition calling for legalizations of booze in the county, guess dad folks voted, oh yeah and eating all of the ice cream we wanted from his truck. We spoke several times later in life regards to his time in Korea, if this gets read by family, I have a picture of him in Korea, six shooter on his hip, like the Texas man he was. Rest in peace Uncle Worth, thank you for the memories. I pray for you each week in church.*
Jefferson Thomas Johnston, Salem, OR

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“ *George Johnston*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Beth I miss you an Love You.My thoughts an Prayers are with you.Rest In Peace Uncle Worth.*
Love Lori Jean

lori mccall - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Beth I Love You With All My Heart.My thoughts an prayers are with you. R.I.P. Uncle Worth*
Love Lori Jean

lori mccall - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ Beth, Sending you my deepest condolence in the loss of your dad.

Sherry Griggs - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ I'm very sorry for your loss and know that he is in a better place and at rest and peace. My thoughts, love and prayer's are with you.

Jeannie Davis - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ He will be truly missed; I was extremely blessed to find a friend like Worth.

GW Colvin - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ George Johnston

Jack & Elizabeth Owens - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ WE All grew up together. WE have many fond memories of the "Old Days" There will never be another "Little Boy" as he was called growing up. He will be missed

Jack & Elizabeth Owens - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ I will miss Worth. He has struggled for a long while with his health. But no more struggle. To the family and friends my prayers will be with you to have comfort in this loss. Draw strength from one another during this time.

Linda Hardin - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BN

“ Daddy didn't mince words or use extra ones. He was a simple country man so I will say it simple. I love you Daddy and will miss you.

Beth Niedringhaus - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Linda, I know you have heard this time and time again... but at least now he is at rest. You can be assured that you have done everything that you needed to do. You took care of him out of respect and love for your Momma and Dink. God will bless you for all the things that you have done for Worth.

October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ It is a shame that families do not always live near to one another. Although I had not seen Uncle Worth in many years, I remember him vividly and with much love!! I spoke with him not too many months ago and shared some laughs and memories! I have a great deal of pride in my Johnston family roots! I send thoughts of love to my cousins in Texas and hope to hear from them. Your Father was a very special person and a big part of my life, even though we had not seen each other in many years. My love to the family, Judy

Judy Johnston Keller - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM