



## Mr. Charles Brightwell

January 12, 1944 - May 30, 2024

Funeral services for Mr. Charles Brightwell, of Henderson, will be at 10:00 a.m., Monday, June 3, 2024, at Crawford - A. Crim Funeral Home chapel with Bro. Chris Proctor officiating. Interment will follow at New Salem Cemetery under the direction of Crawford - A. Crim Funeral Home of Henderson. Visitation will be from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m., Sunday, June 2, 2024 at the funeral home.

Mr. Brightwell passed away Thursday, May 30, 2024 at UT Health in Tyler. He was born Jan. 12, 1944 in Longview. He had worked as a Pipeline Inspector, for 32 years at Texas Eastman, and for 21 years at JW Green Contractors in Overton. Charles was a person who maintained everything to a 'T', who was a quietly generous man, and also had a sense of humor.

He was preceded in death by his father Wilton Brightwell, brother Don Brightwell, and father-in-law and mother-in-law, Jack and Judy Watkins.

Survivors include: the love of his life and best friend of 42 years, Julianna Watkins Brightwell of Henderson; mother Mary Brightwell of Henderson; sons, Curtis Brightwell and wife Mande, and Jason Brightwell and wife Karen, all of Longview, daughter Christi Ortiz and husband Victor of Pearland, and son Brandon Welch and wife Courtney of Shiner; brother Alton Brightwell and wife Theresa of Leander; eleven grandchildren, and sixteen great-grandchildren. Pallbearers are Jordan Brightwell, Beau Brightwell, Ryan Brightwell, Zachary Brightwell, Nathan Sims, Jackson Welch, and Samuel Brightwell.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the New Salem Cemetery

Association, 15788 CR4523 D, Henderson, TX 75654.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at [www.crawfordacrim.com](http://www.crawfordacrim.com).

# Cemetery Details

**New Salem**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

**JUN 2.** 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Crawford A. Crim Funeral Home  
1414 South Main Street  
Henderson, TX 75654

### Service

**JUN 3.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Crawford A. Crim Funeral Home  
1414 South Main Street  
Henderson, TX 75654

# Tribute Wall



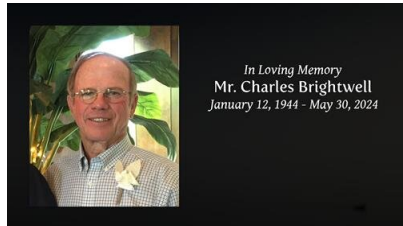
“ *Crawford A.Crim Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Charles Brightwell*



**Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home** - June 03, 2024 at 02:51 PM



“ *Crawford A.Crim Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Charles Brightwell*



**Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home** - June 01, 2024 at 05:59 PM

DB

“ *Damon Bassett lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell*



**Damon Bassett** - June 06, 2024 at 03:22 PM

CW

“ Praying for the family during these sad days. So sorry for your loss.

Cyndi Walker - June 05, 2024 at 10:08 AM

SA

“ I am so sorry for your loss, praying for you all.



Sheila And Steve Alford - June 04, 2024 at 09:05 AM

JC

“ So very sorry to hear of Charles' passing.  
Sending my love and condolences. Joyce  
Ann Caver.



Joyce Caver - June 03, 2024 at 10:24 PM

DC

“ David and Jan Crow lit a candle in memory of  
Charles Brightwell



David and Jan Crow - June 03, 2024 at 10:59 AM

RN

“ Randy & Sherry Nichols lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell



Randy & Sherry Nichols - June 03, 2024 at 10:37 AM

NV

“ Neal & Lori Vinson lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell



Neal & Lori Vinson - June 02, 2024 at 02:48 PM

MF

“ Chuck and Micki Fischer



Micki Fischer - June 02, 2024 at 12:51 PM

MD

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Mary Davis - June 02, 2024 at 12:09 PM

JC

“ Jeff Craig lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell



Jeff Craig - June 02, 2024 at 06:57 AM

DA

“ Donna Dorsey Aaron lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell



Donna Dorsey Aaron - June 02, 2024 at 04:48 AM

JW

“ John Worley lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell



John Worley - June 02, 2024 at 12:21 AM

SJ

“ Julianna and family, we send our condolences and are so sorry for your loss.



Snady and Jon Johnston - June 01, 2024 at 06:33 PM

BG

“ *Praying for peace and comfort.*  
*Bonnie Geddie*



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**Bonnie Geddie** - June 01, 2024 at 05:34 PM

CN

“ *Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb lit a  
candle in memory of Charles Brightwell*



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**Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb** - June 01, 2024 at 01:14 PM

SH

“ *Sue HENDERSON lit a candle in memory of  
Charles Brightwell*



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**Sue HENDERSON** - June 01, 2024 at 12:32 PM

SC

“ *Suzanne Cross*



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**suzanne Cross** - June 01, 2024 at 11:21 AM

CC

“ *Chris and Liz Buckner Cross lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell*



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**Chris and Liz Buckner Cross** - June 01, 2024 at 10:10 AM

MN

“ *Julianna, we are so sorry to hear this. Please know we are keeping you in our prayers and sending you a big hug and lots of love.*  
*Margaret and Danny*

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**Margaret Newton** - June 01, 2024 at 09:37 AM

PP

“ *pud patterson lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell*



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**pud patterson** - June 01, 2024 at 08:49 AM

NR

“ *Nelwyn Richardson lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell*



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**Nelwyn Richardson** - June 01, 2024 at 08:46 AM

ED

“ Elaine Davis lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell



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**Elaine Davis** - June 01, 2024 at 08:13 AM

KB

“ To the family: So sorry to hear this, our sincere prayers go out to each of you. May Jesus comfort you all now as time goes on as He's our forever peace within. With deepest condolences & blessings, 🙏🕊️🙏  
From an Eastman co-worker.  
Keith & Donna Blanton  
White Oak, TX



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**Keith & Donna Blanton** - June 01, 2024 at 07:43 AM

BH

“ Brent Hale lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell



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**Brent Hale** - June 01, 2024 at 07:41 AM

KH

“ *Mollie & Ken Hale*



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**Ken Hale** - June 01, 2024 at 07:39 AM



“ *Julianna, I am so very sorry for your loss.*  
*Cathy*

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**Cathy Hooper** - May 31, 2024 at 11:05 PM

CH

“ *Cheri Jones Hollins lit a candle in memory of*  
*Charles Brightwell*



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**Cheri Jones Hollins** - May 31, 2024 at 08:47 PM

BE

“ *Buddy. & Dianne Everitt lit a candle in*  
*memory of Charles Brightwell*



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**Buddy. & Dianne Everitt** - May 31, 2024 at 08:01 PM

BB

“ *Brandy Bridges lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell*



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**Brandy Bridges** - May 31, 2024 at 07:52 PM

GW

“ *Gary Wilkerson lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell*



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**Gary Wilkerson** - May 31, 2024 at 07:33 PM

CF

“ *Cliff and Krista Furtick lit a candle in memory of Charles Brightwell*



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**Cliff and Krista Furtick** - May 31, 2024 at 07:13 PM

KM

“ *Such a sweet guy that was always smiling and happy. He will definitely be missed!*

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**Karen Medford** - May 31, 2024 at 05:17 PM

LS

“ Ray & Linda Simmons 🙏❤️🙏



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Linda Simmons - May 31, 2024 at 04:49 PM