



Mr. David Bassett

January 20, 1942 - November 22, 2021

A celebration of the life of Mr. David Bassett, 79, of Laneville, will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 2021, at Southside Baptist Church with Rev. Blake Dover and Rev. Bill Gardner officiating, under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

The family will receive friends from 6-8 p.m. on Monday, November 29, at the funeral home.

Mr. Bassett passed from this life on November 22, 2021, at UT Health in Henderson. He was born January 20, 1942, in Houston to the late W.P. and Mattie (Goodlett) Bassett and spent most all of his life in Henderson. David graduated from Henderson High School and later completed his Bachelor's degree at Texas Baptist Institute. He furthered his education at Kilgore College and Stephen F. Austin State University. Mr. Bassett also proudly served his country in the United States Air Force. Early in his career, David was a radio announcer before surrendering to full time ministry. He retired from Parkway Baptist Church in Longview and later became a member of Southside Baptist Church in Henderson. During his ministry, Mr. Bassett preached the gospel, served as a music director, taught Sunday School and other classes, as well as provided counseling. He certainly had the spiritual gift of teaching. David also loved to read and studied constantly, and he was a wealth of knowledge.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sisters, Louise Warren and Doris Murphy.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Tommie Bassett of Laneville; son, Harold Bassett and wife Wendy and their children Shellbee and Sydnee Bassett of Tyler; daughter, Melanie Tipps and husband Toby and their children Brittany Tipps and fiance Nick Henry, Jordan Tipps, and Clayton Tipps, Brad Tipps and wife Lacie and their children Kory and Kasen, all of Brachfield, and Callie Presley and husband Louis and their children Braylie and Tallyn of Henderson; very special friend, Randy Ainsworth and wife Tabatha and their son Hezekiah of Jacksonville; and a host of nieces, nephews, other family and many friends.

Honorary pallbearers will be Randy Ainsworth, Todd Springfield, Tom Dumas, Rob Wells, Ronnie Threadgill, James Farnsworth, and Donald Hubbard.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Southside Baptist Church Library at 1801 Old Nacogdoches Rd., Henderson, TX 75654.

Words of comfort may be shared with the family at www.crawfordacrim.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **29**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (cst)

Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home
1414 S. Main St
Henderson, TX 75654

Celebration of Life

NOV **30**. 2:00 PM (cst)

Southside Baptist Church
1801 Old Nacogdoches Rd
Henderson, TX 75654

Tribute Wall



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



Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home - November 29, 2021 at 10:54 AM

DA

“ *Donna J Aaron lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Donna J Aaron - December 01, 2021 at 12:19 AM

BP

“ *Benny Payne lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Benny Payne - November 30, 2021 at 10:04 AM

CS

“ Craig Sweeney lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett



Craig Sweeney - November 30, 2021 at 09:19 AM

PB

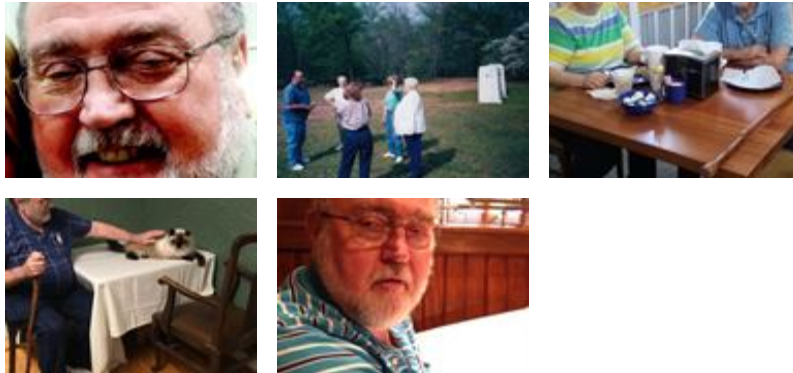
“ David Bassett was the epitome of a godly man rooted in Christ. His gentleness, kindness, love of God and His Word, love and commitment to family are inspiring. While he leaves an earthly void, Heaven has gained a dear saint. Bassett family, may David's example and influence remain strong and your memories remain vivid and sweet!

-Pauletta Bonner

Pauletta Bonner - November 29, 2021 at 08:44 PM



“ 47 files added to the album LifeTributes



Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home - November 29, 2021 at 10:53 AM

NK

“ Nancy Kniffen lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett



Nancy Kniffen - November 29, 2021 at 10:38 AM

EM

“ Bro. David was a good man and a good friend. He had a knack for explaining the Bible. He had a presence like no other, especially when singing. We loved him. Praying for God's grace and comfort to be on the family.



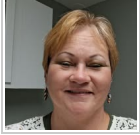
Eddie, Debbie, and Shawn Moore - November 28, 2021 at 12:20 PM

BP

“ Bro. David was a sweet man. He knew the Bible front to back and could explain it so anyone could understand it. He had a gift for teaching and for singing. He married my husband and I and I know we will be forever grateful to him and Mrs. Tommie. Words cannot express how heartbroken we are for her and the family. But we know he is with Jesus now, lending his voice with the angels singing praises to God. May God's comfort and grace be upon the family during their time of grief. Praying for you all.



Brody, Traci, and Carolina Perry - November 28, 2021 at 12:13 PM



“ David thought me and my husband in Sunday school and bible study, I still have his notes he was such a good teacher, and knew so much about the bible and to explain so others could understand we just moved back and was going to reach out and visit, so sorry we never got around to it, I remember one day he took us for a walk he reached down picked a mushroom and than took home and sautéed it ate right there and schooled me on the art of picking the right mushroom, never have picked one in the wild, I stick to the produce section, but it just shows he knew so much about everything, but never belittled anyone, David Bassett fly high and think of me when set at his side and talk about all you journeys that lead you to him you will be missed until we meet again, I meetyou at the gate



Mary Wingfield - November 27, 2021 at 02:47 PM

MH

“ I am very sorry for your loss, Melanie, Toby and kids. I'm right around the corner Melanie, if your mother needs someone to talk to.

Mary Harrington - November 27, 2021 at 10:10 AM

SH

“ My sincerest condolences to the family. Dear God, please, place Your Hand on Melanie's shoulder. She knows You are there, but extra comfort and care at this time will be a blessing from You. Surround the entire family with Your angel's wings and grant them peace. Thank You Lord for all You do. In Jesus' name, amen. With love, Shereen



Shereen - November 26, 2021 at 03:33 PM

DC

“ *Our deepest sympathies to the friends and family of Mr. David Bassett.*

David & Kathy Chapman



David Kathy Chapman - November 25, 2021 at 11:39 PM

VS

“ *Viana Scoggins lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Viana Scoggins - November 25, 2021 at 11:21 AM

BM

“ *Billy Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Billy Martin - November 25, 2021 at 03:16 AM

TH

“ *Teresa Hawkins lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Teresa Hawkins - November 24, 2021 at 11:01 PM

DB

“ Doyle And Linda Benson lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett



Doyle and Linda Benson - November 24, 2021 at 09:16 PM

SM

“ Mrs Tommie, Oh I how I Loved laughing, crying and arguing with him. Lol 😊 I Loved his wise council. I will never forget him! I will never forget you and your delicious cooking and Sweet Spirit. Thank You for Loving me! Sending My Love and Praying for you All!!

Shannon Murray - November 24, 2021 at 09:03 PM



“ Who ever heard of a 12 year old in the adult choir? I guess David. I will never forget the time he poured in at a small country church - Pleasant Hill. Your legacy is what you pour into others and he has left a great legacy..... I am more blessed because of the time I knew him at Pleasant Hill as a young lady.

Felicia Thomas Mccasland - November 24, 2021 at 06:27 PM

PJ

“ Pam Jimerson lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett



Pam Jimerson - November 24, 2021 at 05:05 PM

DB

“ Doyle And Linda Benson lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett



Doyle and Linda Benson - November 24, 2021 at 05:02 PM

CH

“ Christi Hays lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett



Christi Hays - November 24, 2021 at 02:15 PM

SO

“ Tommie , My heart is Just broken for you. You are in my prayers. I love you sweet friend and I know that David is resting in the arms of his precious Jesus. I will never forget that booming beautiful voice

stephanie osteen - November 24, 2021 at 12:39 PM

BM

“ Benna McDonald lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett



Benna McDonald - November 24, 2021 at 11:16 AM

CB

“ *Cleta Blair lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Cleta Blair - November 24, 2021 at 10:39 AM

WP

“ *Wendy & Blan Pirtle lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Wendy & Blan Pirtle - November 24, 2021 at 10:31 AM

PH

“ *Patricia Hartman lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Patricia Hartman - November 24, 2021 at 06:54 AM

SM

“ *Shannon Marsh McKey lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Shannon Marsh McKey - November 24, 2021 at 06:43 AM

GS

“ *Praying for you and your family!*



Gail Stephens - November 24, 2021 at 12:08 AM

JH

“ *Judy Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Judy Harris - November 23, 2021 at 11:36 PM

DC

“ *Loved Mr. David. He was so nice and funny. Praying for comfort and peace for Mrs. Tommie. Billy and Donna Crawford*



Donna k Crawford - November 23, 2021 at 10:27 PM

WI

“ *Sincere sympathy to the family and friends.*



WinnieRamey - November 23, 2021 at 10:16 PM

MM

“ *Marilyn Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Marilyn Martin - November 23, 2021 at 04:14 PM

AH

“ *Aubrey Hammett lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Aubrey Hammett - November 23, 2021 at 03:12 PM

TB

“ *I'm so sorry to read this, Saying prayers for his family and friends. Rest in peace Mr.David.*



Toni Barton - November 23, 2021 at 11:50 AM

TD

“ *Terry Jan Dorsey lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Terry Jan Dorsey - November 23, 2021 at 10:39 AM

PA

“ Prayers for your family.

Phyllis Ashby - November 23, 2021 at 10:21 AM

MW

“ Marcia Winn lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett



Marcia Winn - November 23, 2021 at 09:53 AM

JH

“ Jack And Barbara Hammett lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett



Jack and Barbara Hammett - November 23, 2021 at 09:26 AM

CG

“ Prayers for your family during this time of loss. He was a great man.
Candy Grant

Candy Grant - November 23, 2021 at 09:01 AM

SO

“ Sylvia Oliver lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett



sylvia oliver - November 23, 2021 at 07:07 AM



“ *Carolyn Dykes lit a candle in memory of Mr. David Bassett*



Carolyn Dykes - November 23, 2021 at 12:02 AM