



## Mr. Jerry King

July 8, 1942 - April 13, 2025

Memorial graveside services for Mr. Jerry King, 82, of Henderson, will be held on Friday, April 18, 2025 at 1:30 p.m. at Lakewood Memorial Park cemetery with Rev Mike Ledbetter and Pastor Jason Taylor officiating.

A memorial book will be available from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at the funeral home.

Mr. King passed on April 13, 2025 in Henderson, Texas. He was born July 8, 1942 in Hobbs, New Mexico. Jerry lived a life of adventure most of us could only imagine while spending time on the O Bar O Ranch that his family managed in New Mexico. That cowboy life taught him how to endure long, hard hours to get a job done well and would become the basis of his incredible stories enjoyed not only by his family but also by the members of his Sunday school class at Henderson First Baptist Church.

Jerry was an inspiring example to others in being dedicated to family, sharing his faith and having a servant's heart. He was an extremely artistic person providing personalized sketches for family events, custom cards and even on lunch sacks, but he was most known for his elaborate costume designs for the annual Deason Halloween parties that rivaled anything produced in Hollywood. A veteran who served in the Army National Guard, Jerry was the founder of King Coating Inc, an industrial painting company, which he ran for

38 years. His strong work ethic made an impact on family, friends and employees.

Mr. King was preceded in death by his father: Jim R King, mother: Thelma Nelson King, his sister: Juanette King Welch and her husband Bill Welch, his father in law: L.H. Davis, his mother in law: Patricia Brandon Davis and his brother in law, Danny Davis.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Sandi Davis King, daughter Lisa King Waugh and husband Tommy Waugh Jr, son Tony King and wife Missy Waggoner King, daughter Danna King Herron and husband Jason Herron. Grandchildren: Victoria Waugh Searcy and Michael Searcy, Hillary King Trussell and Daron Trussell, Joshua Herron, Caleb Herron, and Jude Herron. Great grandchildren: Xander Searcy, Keller Trussell, Lola Trussell, Maisie Trussell as well as many other beloved extended family members.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Rusk County Pets Alive PO Box 106 Henderson TX 75653

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

# Cemetery Details

## Lakewood Memorial Park

Hwy 64 and 323  
Henderson, TX 75652

# Previous Events

## Memorial Graveside

APR **18**. 1:30 PM (CT)

Lakewood Memorial Park  
Hwy 64 and 323  
Henderson, TX 75652

# Tribute Wall

MD

“ *Jerry, you will be missed. Will never forget watching you work in your yard.* ”

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**Marilyn Dunklin** - April 18, 2025 at 06:30 PM

MD

“ *Marilyn Dunklin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry King* ”



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**Marilyn Dunklin** - April 18, 2025 at 06:29 PM

DC

“ *David And Jan Crow lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry King* ”



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**David and Jan Crow** - April 18, 2025 at 10:49 AM

CK

“ *A one of a kind man from an irreplaceable generation. Prayers to your family.* ”

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**Clayton Kersh** - April 18, 2025 at 09:37 AM

AN

“ *Anonymous sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Jerry King*



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**Anonymous** - April 18, 2025 at 02:13 AM

TC

“ *One of the kindest people & the best neighbor in the world. ❤️*



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**The Ballard Family. Brett, Nicole & Coen** - April 17, 2025 at 06:56 PM

JA

“ *I believe Jerry and I took Driver's Ed together about 1956 thru HHS. I can remember his car for sure, a 1956 Chevrolet Bel Aire, Blue and White. I loved that car and Jerry was a lot of fun. Sorry he passed. James Armstrong HHS, 1960.*

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**Jim Armstrong** - April 16, 2025 at 05:39 PM

MD

“ *Marilyn Dunklin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry King*



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**Marilyn Dunklin** - April 16, 2025 at 02:45 PM

DA

“ Prayers



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**Donna J Aaron** - April 16, 2025 at 01:01 PM

JT

“ Praying for the family



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**john Taylor** - April 16, 2025 at 12:43 PM

CM

“ Claudia Morgan-Gray lit a candle in memory of Jerry King



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**Claudia Morgan-Gray** - April 16, 2025 at 08:47 AM

CH

“ An incredibly kind man with a great sense of humor. It was an honor to know him.

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**Charlie Hutto** - April 15, 2025 at 10:57 PM

LD

“ *Leann Dorsey lit a candle in memory of Jerry King*



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**Leann Dorsey** - April 15, 2025 at 10:39 PM

TC

“ *Tony and Anita Cavaliere lit a candle in memory of Jerry King*



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**Tony and Anita Cavaliere** - April 15, 2025 at 06:36 PM

MS

“ *May the Lord provide abundant comfort, wisdom, and grace to Sandi and each of the family members, loved ones as well, during this time of loss.*



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**Margaret and Doyle Sumrall** - April 15, 2025 at 06:20 PM

SC

“ *scott crawford lit a candle in memory of Jerry King*



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**scott crawford** - April 15, 2025 at 04:45 PM

JH

“ Jack and Barbara Hammett lit a candle in memory of Jerry King



Jack and Barbara Hammett - April 15, 2025 at 04:10 PM

GB

“ Jerry is dancing with the angels and free of pain! What an amazing man he was! Hard worker, great father and fabulous husband. May your memories give each of you comfort and know God is with you. Love to all! Hugs!



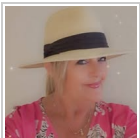
Gwenette Harty Bradley - April 15, 2025 at 03:41 PM

JP

“ Jennifer Perry-Rollins lit a candle in memory of Jerry King



Jennifer Perry-Rollins - April 15, 2025 at 03:25 PM



“ Barbara Bangert lit a candle in memory of Jerry King



Barbara Bangert - April 15, 2025 at 02:16 PM

KB

“ *Kim Buckner lit a candle in memory of Jerry King*



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**Kim Buckner** - April 15, 2025 at 01:06 PM

JB

“ *Jill D. Bassett lit a candle in memory of Jerry King*



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**Jill D. Bassett** - April 15, 2025 at 12:33 PM

ED

“ *Elaine Davis lit a candle in memory of Jerry King*



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**Elaine Davis** - April 15, 2025 at 12:10 PM

JL

“ *My prayers for the family of this wonderful man. Jerry was a delightful man who loved everyone. I especially remember all of his fantastic Halloween costumes.*

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**Judy Lewis** - April 15, 2025 at 11:52 AM

PB

*I knew Jerry and Sandy when they lived in Carlisle . My parents were Burton and Lorena Franklin. I know they thought so highly of Sandy and Jerry. My sincere condolences to Sandy and family.*

**Patsy Franklin Bolton** - April 15, 2025 at 06:01 PM

SK

“ *Jerry was a most loyal and valued friend to have. He shared his love lavishly with family and friends. His artist abilities came from his own adventures and his heart. I am thankful to have called him our dear friend. We will all meet again, “Gus!”  
But in the remaining time you will be greatly missed. Love and prayers for precious Sandi and your family.*

**Sandye Tyree Killebrew** - April 15, 2025 at 11:44 AM

KH

“ *Lisa and Tony , I am so sorry for your loss . May the Lord give you peace and comfort.*  
*Kathy Trimble Hlavaty*

**Kathy Trimble Hlavaty** - April 15, 2025 at 11:42 AM

SI

“ *sandy Inscore lit a candle in memory of Jerry King*



**sandy Inscore** - April 15, 2025 at 11:39 AM

GW

“ Gary Wilkerson lit a candle in memory of Jerry King



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**Gary Wilkerson** - April 15, 2025 at 11:30 AM

DS

“ Sandi and family.  
I'm so very sorry for your loss. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers.

*Debbie Stafford*

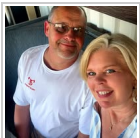
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**Debbie Stanley Stafford** - April 15, 2025 at 10:54 AM

MH

“ Missy Hacker lit a candle in memory of Jerry King



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**Missy Hacker** - April 15, 2025 at 10:51 AM



“ Love and prayers for all of you ❤️🙏



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**Christy Stanart** - April 15, 2025 at 08:31 AM

LI

“ I’m sorry for your loss...My prayers are with all of you.Liz Thrasher

LizThrasher - April 15, 2025 at 08:22 AM

RC

“ So sorry to hear of the passing of Jerry! Prayers for each of you as you adjust to life without him. I didn’t know him personally but each of you hold a special place in my heart!

Regina Callender - April 15, 2025 at 08:21 AM

GK

“ Gene Kelsey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry King



Gene Kelsey - April 15, 2025 at 08:20 AM

FB

“ Frank Bane lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry King



Frank Bane - April 15, 2025 at 07:59 AM

KL

“ *Karl Randy Lambeth lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry King*



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**Karl Randy Lambeth** - April 15, 2025 at 07:57 AM

MG

“ *Jerry was a wonderful friend to everyone he came in contact with. Always energetic , uplifting, encouraging, and caring . He will always live in our hearts and bring a smile to our faces when we think of him. Love all of you.*

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**Mark & Nancy Gibson** - April 14, 2025 at 10:05 PM

JJ

“ *Prayers in your time of sorrow!*

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**Joe and Frances Jones** - April 14, 2025 at 09:50 PM

VW

“ *John and I will always remember Jerry as one of the kindest men we ever knew. We will remember Sandi and all the family in our prayers. - Vicky Waldie*



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**Vicky Waldie** - April 14, 2025 at 08:26 PM

HB

“ Heidi Bradshaw lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry King



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Heidi Bradshaw - April 14, 2025 at 07:03 PM

RD

“ Roy & Pat Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jerry King



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Roy & Pat Davis - April 14, 2025 at 04:56 PM