



Mr. Norris Hudgins

August 1, 1933 - December 10, 2022

Funeral services for Mr. Norris Hudgins, 89, of Henderson, will be held at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 14, 2022 in the chapel at Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home in Henderson. Interment will follow with Masonic Rites at Rusk County Memorial Gardens under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

The family will receive friends from 12:30 p.m. until service time on Wednesday, December 14, at the funeral home.

Mr. Hudgins passed away December 10, 2022 in Henderson, Texas. He was born on August 1, 1933 in Mt. Enterprise to the late Lonnie B. Hudgins, Sr. and Beadie Williamson Hudgins.

Mr. Hudgins started in construction. He worked at General Telephone for 32 years, where he retired as an I&M supervisor. He immediately went to work for EastTex Telephone for 12 years, and then finally worked for 12 years at TXU as a Security Guard. Mr. Hudgins was also a board member for 30 years at East Texas Telco Credit. He was a 32nd Degree Scottish Rite Master Mason at Clinton Lodge #23, as well as a Shriner at Sharon Shriners in Tyler, Mini-Patrol, and Skeeter Patrol. His membership was at Trinity Baptist church in Henderson.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, Lonnie B. Hudgins, Jr.; sisters, Dell Hester, and Ella Rae Snelson; son-in-law, Kevin Jolley; wife and the mother of his children, Dot Hudgins.

Survivors include his wife of 31 years, Linda Hudgins of Henderson; daughters, Donna Melton of Tyler, and Becky Massengale and husband Thad of Henderson; step children, Tami Holliday of Tyler, Shelli Crites and husband Don of Tyler, Kristi Howard of Longview, and Jon Jackson of Ardmore, Oklahoma; brother, Kenneth Hudgins, and wife Beverly of Kentucky; sisters, Alene Ferrero of Henderson, and Lee Wigand of Longview; grandchildren, Blane Jolley and Loree, Janey Pool and Jace, and Wade Massengale; great-grandchildren, Bailey Jolley, Josie Pool, and Judson Pool; numerous step-grandchildren and great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, family, and friends; as well as his dogs, Leo and Spot.

Pallbearers will be Blane Jolley, Wade Massengale, Jace Pool, Ben Wigand, Jimmy Snelson, Don Crites, and Victor Martinez. Honorary Pallbearers will be John Snelson, and Bobby Snelson.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Shriners Children's Hospital in Shreveport, Louisiana at <https://donate.lovetotherescue.org/>.

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

Cemetery Details

Rusk County Memorial Gardens

5013 US Hwy 259
Henderson, TX 75652

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 14. 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

DEC 14. 2:00 PM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



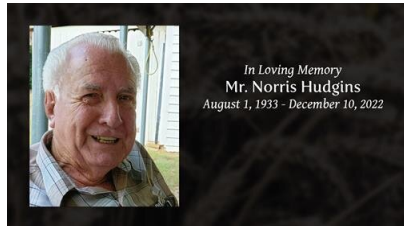
“ *Crawford A.Crim Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Norris Hudgins*



Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home - December 14, 2022 at 02:34 PM



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



Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home - December 13, 2022 at 11:12 AM

TV

An Old Friend from way, way back, may you rest in peace. My condolences to your Family and Friends. Prayers for all.

Tom Vaught - December 13, 2022 at 11:31 AM

CB

I first met Norris when I started to work at GTE , it was in 1957 and Bill and I became good friends with he and Dot, he was a hard worker and always liked to have fun. Love and prayers to Donna and Becky and family.

Carolyn and Bill Boren

Carolyn Orr Boren - December 15, 2022 at 05:59 PM

SA

“ So sorry for your loss, keeping you and your family in our prayers!!!!



Sheila Alford - December 20, 2022 at 05:49 PM

BH

“ Barry Cindy Hampton lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



Barry & Cindy Hampton - December 17, 2022 at 10:16 AM

DC

“ David Jan Crow lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



David and Jan Crow - December 16, 2022 at 04:55 PM

CB

“ Carolyn Boren lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



Carolyn Orr Boren - December 15, 2022 at 06:00 PM

CN

“ *Clay & Frances Newcomb lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Clay Newcomb & Frances Newcomb - December 15, 2022 at 05:31 PM

CB

“ *Claudia Bozich lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Claudia Hale Bozich - December 14, 2022 at 06:18 PM

CF

“ *Charlie family lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Charlie Bridges family - December 14, 2022 at 10:57 AM

JC

“ *James Carol Chambless lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



James & Carol Chambless - December 14, 2022 at 09:29 AM

PD

“ *Patricia Dyer lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Patricia Dyer - December 13, 2022 at 09:40 PM

SW

“ *Mr Norris was always friendly and smiling and a pleasure to visit with. Donna, Becky I am sorry for your loss .*

Scott Webb - December 13, 2022 at 09:31 PM

DT

“ *Debbie Richard Todd lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Debbie & Richard Todd - December 13, 2022 at 08:12 PM

JC

“ *Sorry or your loss Donna and Becky. Jim Cowart*

Jim Cowart - December 13, 2022 at 07:27 PM

CL

“ It was always a good day when I would run into Lonnie and Norris at the old 79 Cafe. We'd swap stories about Mt. Enterprise and people that we had known along the way. We shared the same name of Norris and knew where it came from. Years later we'd visit about things going on with Shrine Temple work.

Norris Langford-

Carter Norris Langford - December 13, 2022 at 01:12 PM

TV

“ Tom Vaught lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



Tom Vaught - December 13, 2022 at 11:26 AM

DL

“ Sending much love, big hugs and prayers for Donna, Becky and Family. Many memories from my childhood. Uncle Norris will be missed by many. Love you guys so much!

Debbie (Ramey) Lively

Debbie (Ramey) Lively - December 13, 2022 at 11:11 AM

MA

“ W. Lakeview St. and especially my family will definitely miss Mr. Hudgins. Many prayers for Ms. Linda and the family ~ Marsha Miller



Marsha - December 13, 2022 at 10:54 AM

DK

“ *My Uncle Norris was a wonderful man and friend. Always wanting to help people any way he could. He was responsible for helping me get a job with Southwester States Telephone company and took time teaching me how to climb a pole. He was my foreman for many years and helped me through some hard times. Never be another one like him. Goodbye Uncle Norris. Dan Kelton*

Dan Kelton - December 13, 2022 at 10:51 AM

SD

“ *This man was one of the finest to ever walk among us. My most sincere condolences to the family, especially Becky and Donna. Love you both and wish you peace and comfort knowing that your father is with his Father, now and forevermore.*

Scott Duran - December 13, 2022 at 10:47 AM

ML

“ *Micki Lindsey lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Micki Lindsey - December 13, 2022 at 10:36 AM

RJ

“ *Rena Jordan lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Rena Jordan - December 13, 2022 at 07:11 AM

AM

“ *Amy Mlley-Payne lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Amy Mlley-Payne - December 12, 2022 at 09:30 PM

DM

“ *You are my sunshine, my only sunshine...*

Donna Hudgins Melton - December 12, 2022 at 06:13 PM

HH

“ *Our condolences.*



HeartsWay Hospice - December 12, 2022 at 04:32 PM

TH

“ *Tami Holliday lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Tami Holliday - December 12, 2022 at 03:30 PM

HM

“ *Hal Rosa Martin lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Hal and Rosa Martin - December 12, 2022 at 02:47 PM



Merlene
Ainsworth

“ *Such a nice man and father*



Merlene Ainsworth - December 12, 2022 at 01:09 PM

RH

“ *Ray Elaine Harrell lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Ray and Elaine Harrell - December 12, 2022 at 11:56 AM

PK

“ *I am so sorry for your loss, Becky. Your dad was a wonderful man. He always had a big smile on his face! Many prayers for you and Donna.*

Paige Keitt - December 12, 2022 at 09:41 AM



“ *Pam Brown lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Pam Brown - December 12, 2022 at 08:23 AM



“ *Missy Hacker lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Missy Hacker - December 12, 2022 at 06:34 AM



“ *Rebecca Glass lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Rebecca Riley Glass - December 12, 2022 at 02:31 AM



“ *I am sorry to hear about Norris. He was always a friend to me. May he rest in peace. He is reunited with his wife*

Beth Hale Pope

Beth Pope - December 11, 2022 at 09:32 PM

DC

“ *Don Linda Crites lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Don & Linda Crites - December 11, 2022 at 08:58 PM



“ *Norris was a very dear friend. When Becky and Kevin got married we became one big family. Had lots of fun family times.*

Barbara J Jolley - December 11, 2022 at 06:54 PM

GW

“ *Gary Wilkerson lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Gary Wilkerson - December 11, 2022 at 05:07 PM

CT

“ *Chuck Towe lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Chuck Towe - December 11, 2022 at 03:55 PM

RD

“ So sorry for your loss, Becky. May our Lord and Savior give you strength at this time.

Ray Deason - December 11, 2022 at 11:49 AM

BH

“ Brent Hale lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



Brent Hale - December 11, 2022 at 10:57 AM

TC

“ Tony Anita Cavaliere lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



Tony and Anita Cavaliere - December 11, 2022 at 10:30 AM

JR

“ Jim Judy Reese lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



Jim and Judy Reese - December 11, 2022 at 10:15 AM

RW

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers for your family.
Robert and Janet Williams



Robert & Janet Williams - December 11, 2022 at 08:20 AM

JB

“ Joe & Margaret G Brown lit a candle in
memory of Norris Hudgins



Joe Dan & Margaret G Brown - December 11, 2022 at 06:17 AM

CB

“ Colleen Briggs lit a candle in memory of
Norris Hudgins



Colleen Briggs - December 11, 2022 at 03:07 AM



“ Donna Aaron lit a candle in memory of Norris
Hudgins



Donna Aaron - December 10, 2022 at 11:36 PM

LW

“ *Lacy Weaver lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Lacy Weaver - December 10, 2022 at 11:32 PM

WR

“ *Thoughts and prayers for Donna and Becky and all the family. I knew Norris long before he married my Aunt Dt. Our families have always been close. Sweet memories will help us through this difficult time. Love always.*



Winnie Ramey - December 10, 2022 at 10:21 PM

GF

“ *Glen Ruby Farris lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Glen and Ruby Farris - December 10, 2022 at 07:08 PM

JJ

“ *Jake Jordan lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins*



Jake Jordan - December 10, 2022 at 05:55 PM

SK

“ We will miss him so much. We never saw him when he wasn't dressed so neatly and always smiling. He made you feel happy just to be around him. He was a very special person.

Sue Kelton - December 10, 2022 at 04:48 PM

WS

“ Wayne Sanders lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



Wayne Sanders - December 10, 2022 at 03:48 PM

TC

“ Tony Anita Cavaliere lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



Tony and Anita Cavaliere - December 10, 2022 at 03:12 PM

DB

“ Damon Bassett lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



Damon Bassett - December 10, 2022 at 03:04 PM

RD

“ Roy Pat Davis lit a candle in memory of Norris Hudgins



Roy and Pat Davis - December 10, 2022 at 02:25 PM