



## Rodger Hays

November 8, 1965 - August 25, 2010

Funeral services for Rodger Hays, 44, of Henderson, will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 28, 2010, at Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Randy Penney and Rev. Jimmy Simmons officiating. Interment will be in Zion Hill Cemetery under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home in Henderson. Mr. Hays died Aug. 25, 2010, at his residence. He was born Nov. 8, 1965, in Tyler, and was a lifelong resident of East Texas. He was a member of Zion Hill Missionary Baptist Church and was a welder for Fluor Daniels. Family will receive friends from 6-8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 27, 2010, at the funeral home. He was preceded in death by: grandparents, Tip and Hattie Hays and Ivy and Lillie Griffith; uncles, Joe Griffith and John Simmons. Survivors include: his wife, Stacy Hays of Troup; son, Ashton Hays of Troup; parents, Nealie Wayne and Iva Willene Hays of Henderson; brother, Loren Hays of Longview; sister, Susan Hays Jarrell and husband Jason of Henderson; nephews, Eric Hicks and Justyn Jarrell; niece, Jacey Jarrell; and a host of family and friends. Pallbearers will be Darryl Norris, Kurtis Sledge, Stephan Smith, Barry Hampton, Matthew Morton, Roy Thomas, Jimmy Candie and Kelly Maxwell. Condolences may be made at [www.crawfordacrim.com](http://www.crawfordacrim.com)

# Previous Events

## visitation

AUG 27. 6:00 PM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall

BD

“ Dear Nealie & Willene: I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I had not seen Rodger since he was little but I will always remember him bubbling with adventure! You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Beth

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**Beth Dees** - September 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Words cannot even begin to express our sorrow. We are thinking of you and keeping you in our prayers during this difficult time. May you keep the memories of Rodger along with the love of those around you to help you through the days ahead.

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**Dale and Mary Cook** - September 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KR

“ Sorry to hear about Rodger. I went to school with Rodger up until 8th grade. May God be with you.

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**Kim Thompson Reed** - August 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ Susan and family, We are so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our prayers. Love, Tommy and Ashley

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**Tommy and Ashley Huff** - August 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Please accept our sympathy and condolences in your time of sorrow and loss. May the peace of God that passes all understanding rest upon each of you at this time. You are in our prayers.

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**Byron & Patsy Canida** - August 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ So very sorry to hear of the loss of your son. Please know that our thoughts and prayers will be with you and the family as you go through this time of bereavement. Love and Prayers, Bob and Daphne Brooks

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**Bob and Daphne Brooks** - August 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ We are so sorry to hear of the loss of your precious son. Our prayers go out to you and his wife and child. May God strengthen you and may His grace be felt abundantly. Love and prayers, Jim and Gladys Crouch

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**Gladys Crouch** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Dear Nealie and Willene, Yvonne called me tonight to tell me about the loss of your son, Rodger. I am so very sorry, and please know that both of you, along with all of the family are in my thoughts and prayers. May God bless and comfort you, Love, Dorothy

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**Dorothy Hays Cooper** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ May God Bless You.

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**Chad Smith** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ I'm so sorry to hear about Rodger. Although he graduated a year after me, he joined us on our senior trip in 1983 only to add even more great memories. What a sweet and caring person he was. Praying for all of you during this most difficult time. Claudia

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**Claudia Hale Bozich** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Hays family in this time of great sorrow. It's easy to see Rodger was very well loved and has many good friends. He will be sorely missed. May God bless all his family.

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**Danny Hutto & family** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ Stacy and Ashton, You are both so special to all of us at Troup Elementary! We love you and we are praying for God to wrap His loving arms around you.

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**Kimberly Knighton** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ My prayers are with the Hays family.....

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**Cindy Dehart** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Susan, I am so sorry to hear about Rodger. I will be praying for you and the rest of your family.Lynn Leach Merrill

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**Lynn Leach Merrill** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ You and in our thoughts....love you

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**Tracy West Young & family** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Stacy and Ashton, My thoughts and prayers are with you all at your great loss.

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**Sue Neely White** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family at this difficult time. I haven't seen Rodger in years but have fond memories from our years of being classmates. *Rebecca (Parker) Womack* HHS Class of 1984

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**Rebecca Parker Womack** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ My heart is broken. I hadn't see Rodger in many years, but I have many memories of him. I remember riding to and from kindergarden together, and getting Icees and chips after school. I can remember being so proud to call him my cousin, because all the girls thought he was so cute. May God be with you and comfort you.

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**Betsy (Poovey) Scott** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

HH

“ We are praying for you Stacy and Ashton. God loves you@Be blessed, *Hertha & Glen Heath*

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**Hertha & Glen Heath** - August 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ So very sorry to hear of Rodger's passing. I went to school with him and have not seen him for years, but remember what a great guy he was. May God be with your family during this difficult time and please know that you are in my prayers. *Patti Dudley Beall* Class of 1984

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**Patti Dudley Beall** - August 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Our prayers are with you. May God bless and comfort you.

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**Kennith & Linda Sledge** - August 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM