



## Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson

March 26, 1974 - November 24, 2020

Funeral services for Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson, 46, of Tatum, will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday November 30, 2020, in the chapel at Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home with Richard Densman officiating. Interment will follow at Vinson Cemetery under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

The family will receive friends from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Sunday, November 29, 2020 at the funeral home.

Mr. Gibson passed away November 24, 2020 in Tyler. He was born March 26, 1974, in Greenville, Texas to Rayford and Frances (Sakmari) Gibson. Mr. Gibson worked for ETTL Engineering and Consultants as a Civil Engineer. He was member of Chalk Hill Community Church.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Frances J. Gibson; son, Krystopher "Krytter" Davis; grandparents, Rayford Warren Gibson, Martha Jean Reed Gibson, and Elizabeth Jane Wheeler.

Survivors include his wife, Kryston Gibson of Tatum; father, Rayford Gibson of Tatum; mother and father-in-law, Elizabeth "Tiggy" and Robert "Bobby" Tatum, children, Ryan Gibson and girlfriend Kyleigh Ortega of Tatum; Bethany Gibson Edwards and husband Bradley of Tatum; grandson, Branson Edwards of Tatum; brother, Michael Gibson and wife Brandy of Bryan, Texas; and nieces

and nephew, Rylee Gibson, Marshall Gibson, and Reese Gibson, aunts and uncle; Linda Gibson, Angela Wallace and husband Randy all of Tatum. Host of cousins family and friends.

Pallbearers will be Ryan Gibson, Michael Gibson, Bradley Edwards, Matt Crawford, Dr. Truman Davis, Paul Williams, and Cody Jones. Honorary pallbearers will be his coworkers at E TTL Engineering and Consultants.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Vinson Cemetery

FM 1797  
Tatum, TX 75691

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **29**. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

NOV **30**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Crawford A.Crim Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson*



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**Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home** - November 29, 2020 at 11:46 AM

EH

“ *Dear Kryston and family,*

*I was shocked and saddened to learn of Rusty's passing. Please accept my deepest condolences. Rusty was a wonderful man - I got to know him in college, when he selected me to be in his Fish Camp (Camp McCormick, 1996). I had just arrived on campus and he saw something in me that he liked, and I'll be forever grateful that he took a chance to select me - not only did I make some of the best friends of my life from that experience, I got to know Rusty.*

*Loyal, honest, kind - a true gentleman. I'll always have fond memories of those years.*

*Rest In Peace, Rusty - and Gig 'Em.*

*Ed Hoover*



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**Edward Hoover** - March 27, 2021 at 06:24 PM

RB

“ Please accept my condolences. I worked with Rusty on several engineering projects over the years and he recruited me to speak at ASCE professional development events. He was truly a servant leader and I know he will be missed by family, friends, and colleagues.

*Rusty Branch*

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**Rusty Branch** - December 18, 2020 at 09:31 AM

BM

“ Rusty and I were in the middle of a very large complex environmental project at a local paper mill. Even though the demands of the project were significant, Rusty always approached everything with a positive attitude and a big smile when we were on site addressing issues. During this project and several before it, Rusty and I had become good friends. I am really going to miss him and pray for God's comfort to his family.

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**Bob Murray** - December 08, 2020 at 07:39 AM

NC

“ I am still so saddened to hear of Rusty's passing. I've talked with him on and off through the years at Texas ASCE events and was looking forward to working with him more closely in planning activities for the year. Even just beginning his newer role, he was already providing so much appreciated and valuable contribution.

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**Natalie Chaney** - December 07, 2020 at 02:59 PM

OF

“ I am shocked to hear of Rusty passing, and I send condolences to all his family and those who knew him. I was honored to have known him through the engineering profession, and most recently was fortunate to have attended the seminar he gave along with fellow engineer Bryan Sy at the virtual ASCE CECOM meeting in early November. His presentation was top-notch and exemplified his professionalism and love for engineering and his dedication to encouraging high standards in engineering practice. The engineering world has lost a key person who left this world far too early. He will be greatly missed.  
Ottis Foster, PE, Retired

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**Ottis Foster** - December 01, 2020 at 04:11 PM

JB

“ *To Russell's Family*  
I am so sorry for your sudden loss. I did not know Russell very well but he was active in ASCE and that makes him part of my professional family. As such I am truly sad by his passing. I hope that the Texas section can continue his work in his memory. I am sure that his contributions will continue to impact the younger generation for many years to come. I offer my sincere condolences. Jean-Louis.  
Jean-Louis Briaud, President of ASCE.

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**Jean-Louis Briaud** - December 01, 2020 at 10:42 AM

LO

“ Rusty was a wonderfully kind person who dedicated his life to service through volunteerism. I had the pleasure of getting to know him over the past several years as part of the ASCE Texas Section family. It is a great honor to have known him. My thoughts and prayers are with the Gibson family during this difficult time.  
- Lindsay O'Leary, Executive Director at ASCE Texas Section



Lindsay O'Leary - December 01, 2020 at 09:58 AM

PB

“ I am thankful for having served with Rusty in ASCE and always enjoyed seeing him at meetings and his thoughtful contributions in the many meetings we shared.

Patrick Beecher - November 30, 2020 at 12:20 PM

SA

“ In loving memory of Rusty,

Rusty was a true professional at E TTL Engineering and was a true champion of Civil Engineering. We always enjoyed spending time with Rusty in both a professional and personal setting and considered him a friend as well as a trusted fellow Aggie. Our condolences from the GeoSolutions family... Rusty will be missed. God Bless you.



Stephen Archer - November 30, 2020 at 11:40 AM

BL

“ I worked with Rusty on the Texas Section ASCE board. He always had a smile on his face and was ready to work for the betterment of all.

*I will miss seeing him and our conversations.*

*Bobby Lys, Brazos Branch Director Texas Section ASCE*

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**Bobby Lys** - November 30, 2020 at 11:29 AM

DK

“ My sweet friend, I'm saddened that I will not be able to attend services & say my final good-bye. Your smile will be missed and your kindness never forgotten. Prayers & comfort for your family. Tidal Waves of Love.

*Dana Kirkland*

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**Dana Kirkland** - November 30, 2020 at 11:22 AM

DK

“ Dana Kirkland lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson



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**Dana Kirkland** - November 30, 2020 at 11:17 AM

TW

“ I’m lighting a candle in your dear loved one’s honor. Gone too soon — but love lives on in your heart and in the beautiful memories made. My "Deepest Condolences" to the Family.



*Teresa L. Willingham  
ETTL Engineers & Consultants Inc.  
Tyler, Texas*

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**Teresa L Willingham** - November 30, 2020 at 09:23 AM



“ I was at the gym on Tuesday morning when Mr. Gibson passed away. His family will be in my prayers.

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**LaShonda Malrey-Horne** - November 29, 2020 at 07:44 PM

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“ Terry Oswald lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson



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**Terry Oswald** - November 29, 2020 at 01:49 PM



“ 120 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



**Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home** - November 29, 2020 at 11:45 AM



“ Tammy Hunt lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson



**Tammy Hunt** - November 29, 2020 at 02:07 AM



“ Danny Bickerstaff lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson



**Danny Bickerstaff** - November 28, 2020 at 10:35 PM

RF

“ I am very sad to hear about Rusty's passing. My deepest condolences to Rusty's family and friends. I am adding a prayer for Rusty's family.  
*Ron Fix*

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**Ronald E Fix** - November 28, 2020 at 09:35 PM

DB

“ *Danny Bickerstaff lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson*



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**Danny Bickerstaff** - November 28, 2020 at 09:33 PM

KI

“ *My deepest condolences to the family. Rusty was the ultimate gentleman, professional and a very kind man. I had the privilege of knowing Rusty through TCEL's board, he will be missed.*

*Kim Icenhower  
Executive Director  
TCEL - Geoprosessionals Serving Texas*

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**Kim Icenhower** - November 28, 2020 at 11:12 AM

PS

“ *Pam Stanforth sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson*



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**Pam Stanforth** - November 28, 2020 at 10:55 AM

CR

“ For my friend Rusty I am truly saddened by your loss, your friendship meant so much to me while you were in Longview I could not possibly express. Your dedication to your family and employer will go unmatched by anyone. I will miss you until we meet again. Kryston I pray that GOD wraps his loving arms around you and give you comfort during this time. Thank you so much for sharing Rusty with me and those who know him.

*Clint*

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**Clint Richardson** - November 28, 2020 at 08:52 AM

MW

“ I was shocked and saddened to learn of Rusty's passing. I am so sorry for your loss and pray that you are comforted by God's promises during this difficult time.

*Michael F. Wilson, P.E.*

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**Michael W** - November 27, 2020 at 09:30 PM

TJ

“ Rusty was such a fine, stalwart engineer and tireless contributor to ASCE Texas and TCEL. It was my honor to know him as a colleague and a friend. He loved his wife dearly and was such a committed family man. God bless y'all at this time.

*Telfryn L. John, PE  
Texas Council of Engineering Laboratories (TCEL)  
President, State Board, 2020-2022*

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**Telfryn John** - November 27, 2020 at 01:46 PM

TM

“ Troy Maxwell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson



Troy Maxwell - November 27, 2020 at 09:33 AM

GG

“ My prayers go out the family. May the Lord give you strength, courage and peace.



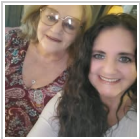
Griselda Gonzales - November 26, 2020 at 09:58 PM

DK

“ Donna Kesel lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson



Donna Kesel - November 26, 2020 at 01:36 PM



“ Baby,  
I love you all the way to heaven. I am lost without you. I miss you every moment. You were my rock and I will do my very best to take care of our family. Please give my Krytter a hug. It is my honor to be your wife. I love you most.

Kryston

Kryston Gibson - November 26, 2020 at 01:15 PM

KW

*Kryston, I am so sorry for your loss. My love and prayers are sent your way.*

**Kelly Woods** - November 28, 2020 at 12:04 AM

BE

“ *My Daddy,*

*I love you so much. I know you are in glory now. Not worrying about anything, just praising God. We will all take care of Mom down here and I know you've already gotten to hug Krytter and Mamaw.*

*I love you,*

*Forever your baby girl.*

**Bethany Edwards** - November 26, 2020 at 06:45 AM

DC

“ *Donna Kirkland Craig lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson*



**Donna Kirkland Craig** - November 25, 2020 at 04:06 PM

EM

“ *Elaine Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russell Warren "Rusty" Gibson*



**Elaine Martin** - November 25, 2020 at 02:04 PM

SA

“ *I'm sure sorry. Prayers for Mr. Rayford Gibson and his extended Family.*

*God Bless!*

*Sam Adams*



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**sam adams** - November 25, 2020 at 02:01 AM