



## Mr. William Earl Hudson

August 29, 1922 - March 16, 2019

Funeral services for Mr. William Earl Hudson, 96, of Henderson will be held at 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 20, 2019 in the chapel of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home with Rev. Jason R. Pointer officiating. Interment with military honors will follow at Crims Chapel Cemetery under the direction of Crawford-A. Crim Funeral Home.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 19, 2019 at the funeral home.

Mr. Hudson passed away March 16, 2019 in Tyler. He was born August 29, 1922 to William Eugene and Dora Lobb Hudson in Henderson, Texas. Mr. Hudson served his country in the United States Army during World War Two. He was of the Baptist faith and worked for Eastman as a welder and a lathe operator.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William Eugene and Dora Lobb Hudson; wife, Ruby Irwin Hudson; daughters, Jajuanna "JJ" Devron, Alice Schmidt; brothers, Herman Hudson, Jake Hudson, Frank Hudson; and great-grandson, Matthew Allen Brunk.

Survivors include: grandchildren, Barry "BJ" Dean Brunk Jr. and wife Sarai of Henderson, Robert Christopher Brunk and wife Sonia of Fort Worth, Edward "Ed" Schmidt IV and wife Denise of Tyler; great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren, Sergeant Ronald Gene Boyd and wife Cynthia and children, Ariel Whitfield, Kalie Brown, Aiden Soller, Kathryn Boyd; Andrea Brunk Rountree and husband Specialist Caleb Rountree and child Oliver Aron Rountree; Alexander Lee Boyd and children, Kayla Nicole Holt, Katheryn Kay Boyd; Eryn Morgan Brunk; Joshua Garcia; Selina Petrovich and husband Stephen and children Leo Petrovich and Luca Petrovich; Martin Schmidt, Destiny Schmidt, Zaine Schmidt, Jessica Schmidt; and three sisters, Mary Graves of Henderson, Martha Martin of Beaumont, and Annalee Reeds of Beaumont.

Pallbearers will be SGT. Ron Boyd, Brad Hudson, David Duncan, Wes Beall, Kirk Duncan, and SGT. Christian Kolbert.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers donations be made to [CombatPTSD.org](http://CombatPTSD.org), 39 Independence Trail, Waco, Texas 76708.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Crims Chapel Cemetery

6959 SH-322  
Henderson, TX 75652

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **19**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

MAR **20**. 4:00 PM (CT)

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1414 South Main Street  
Henderson, TX 75654

# Tribute Wall



“ Crawford A.Crim Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson



Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home - March 19, 2019 at 12:53 PM

DF

“ Our deepest sympathies on the loss of your dear loved one. May the promise from God at John5:28,29 to resurrect our loved ones bring comfort to the family.

Dawson Family - March 21, 2019 at 12:51 PM

ED

“ Elaine Franklin Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson



Elaine Franklin Davis - March 20, 2019 at 02:54 PM

PM

“ He will truly be missed. I loved visiting with him at the family reunions. He was such a sweet dear man❤️



Paula Minter - March 20, 2019 at 02:19 PM



“ Donna Aaron lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson



Donna Aaron - March 20, 2019 at 10:45 AM

DG

“ Darren Grammer lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson



Darren Grammer - March 20, 2019 at 10:30 AM

GP

“ I have so many happy childhood memories of Uncle Earl! Just like all of my Hudson uncles he was bigger than life to us kids and so much FUN! Thank you Uncle Earl for always being so full of LIFE and LOVE!! Enjoy your blessed reunion with your beautiful bride Ruby, your sweet daughters, precious Nanny and Papaw and all of your brothers and loved ones and our heavenly Father who were there at the golden gates to welcome you with loving hugs! Rest in peace Uncle Earl!! We LOVE you!

Gloria Patxot - March 19, 2019 at 11:04 PM

SH

“ We love you Uncle Earl. Thank you for always being full of fun and love for our family. Lots of special memories at Mama and Papa Irwin's Home. Susan and Kenny Hensley(Jamie, Wesley and extended family)

susan willard hensley - March 19, 2019 at 05:52 PM

JD

“ Jason Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson



jason davis - March 19, 2019 at 05:32 PM

KH

“ Kathy A Hendon lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson



Kathy A Hendon - March 19, 2019 at 05:13 PM

MM

“ Martha Hudson Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson



Martha Hudson Martin - March 19, 2019 at 12:08 PM



“ 226 files added to the album Life Tributes



Crawford- A.Crim Funeral Home - March 19, 2019 at 11:44 AM

MM

“ Martha Hudson Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson



Martha Hudson Martin - March 19, 2019 at 11:21 AM

GP

“ Gloria Patxot lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson



Gloria Patxot - March 19, 2019 at 10:14 AM

GK

“ *Gene Kelsey lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson*



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**Gene kelsey** - March 18, 2019 at 03:59 PM

DT

“ *David Tennison lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson*



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**David Tennison** - March 18, 2019 at 10:23 AM

CC

“ *Chris Cross lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Earl Hudson*



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**Chris Cross** - March 17, 2019 at 08:42 PM