



Jimmy Lee Rhodes

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Jimmy Lee Rhodes was born March 9, 1948 to Jessie Lee Rhodes and Loyce Tress Rhodes in Houston, Texas. He passed away on July 16, 2022 at the age of 74.

Jimmy was a graduate of the Galena Park Independent School District. He went on to complete his Bachelors Degree at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville Texas and his Masters Degree at the University of Houston in Clear Lake, Texas.

He returned to the Galena Park school district and taught Texas History at North Shore Junior High School until he retired after 30 years. Later, he was called back by the school district to teach the High School Credit Recovery Program for students that were having problems and needed help to be able to graduate. Jimmy was very devoted to these students. If they did not show up for class, he would go to their homes to get them.

Jimmy loved teaching, gardening, deer hunting with his father and friends, raising Axis deer on his ranch, and he wrote and published 3 books of poetry.

Jimmy is survived by:

3 sisters: Geri Murphy of Carrollton, Texas, Joyce Sexton of Huntsville, Texas and Daphyne Clowers of Huntsville, Texas;

3 nieces: Michelle Mitchell of Dallas, Texas, Angelia Garvin (Danny) of Kenefick, Texas and Annette Olivier of Huntsville, Texas;

And several great-nieces, great-nephews and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jessie Lee Rhodes and Loyce Tress Rhodes.



Events

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Gathering

Saturday, August 6, 2022

12:00 PM CT

San Jacinto Funeral Home
14659 I-10 East Freeway, Houston TX 77015

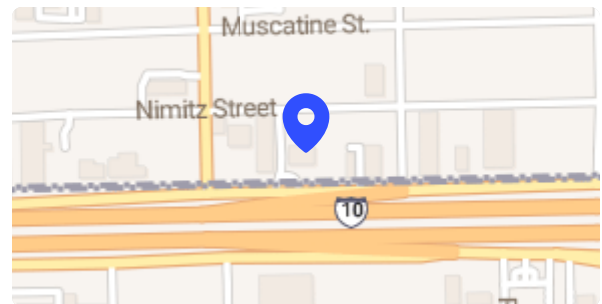


Prayer Service

Saturday, August 6, 2022

1:00 PM CT

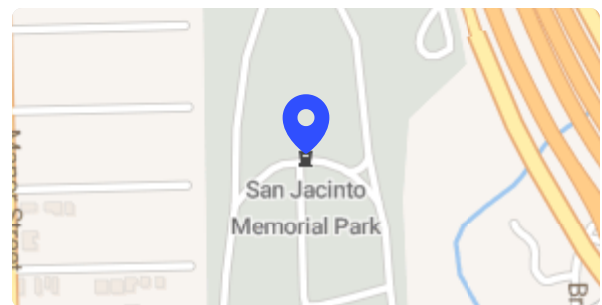
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Cemetery Details

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(832) 239-8858





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San Jacinto Funeral Home & Memorial Park shared a **Webcast Video**.



August 9 at 9:45 AM



Crystal Hammond June 23 at 4:07 PM

We loved Mr Rhodes at North Shore . He made history come to life and always had interesting stories that me at 40 along with older siblings can still temper to this day . He always made his students feel and I loved how he would always have little breakfast bars that he share with us from time to time during my early morning class . He made such a huge impact in the lives of students . He is definitely missed .



Jim Street posted:

I remember when he owned Rodes Mexican Restautant. It was always so cool to go eat there and see him working and greeting everyone. He would come over to your table and chat for a little bit. He was a great guy, and will truly miss him.

October 17 at 10:57 PM



Beverly Dagley Yeager C/O '66 posted:

Wrote him every week. He loved his North Shore football and he couldn't wait for football season to start so. He would be getting weekly clipping from the paper. We would write back forth about different players. rankings were they were going to college. Going to miss that this year. ❤️❤️🏈🏈🏈! Once a Mustang always a Mustang!

August 4 at 5:55 PM



Martha Adams Sweatt August 4 at 8:30 PM

Jimmy was a good friend during High school and after, we visited several times before he moved to hill country, my husband and I had dinner with him several times . We wrote to each other over the years he was away. He will be missed . His friend always, Martha adams sweatt



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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Jimmy by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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