



Johnny Frank Turner

March 15, 1953 - May 3, 2008

Johnny Frank Turner entered into the presence of his Lord and Savior on May 3, 2008. He was born on March 15, 1953 in Hampton, Virginia. He was 55 years old. His family moved to San Antonio shortly after he was born. He was diagnosed with mouth cancer as a result from chewing tobacco. As a result, his greatest wish was to be a testimony of its effects. He is preceded in death by his mother Dorothy Turner, grandparents Anna & Louis Knox, Seigel & Grace Turner, and in-laws Eula & A.W. Welch. He is survived by his wife Treva Turner, of 20 years. She wishes to express that the last 20 years have been the most wonderful years of her life. He is also survived by his son Justin Turner, daughter Michelle Tieken and husband Gregg, father Gene Turner, brother Bob Turner, sister Lynda Offermann, grandchildren Shelby & Cody Tieken and Yasmine Turner, Niece Christy Braun, nephews Greg & Brandon Turner.

Johnny graduated from Texas Lutheran College where he was awarded a full athletic scholarship. He was an all American center in 1974 when the Bulldogs won a national championship. He was also very proud to be the "roadie" for the ABBEY BAND OF SOUTH TEXAS. Johnny loved coaching all kids, but treasured coaching his son Justin from T-Ball to high school. From 1976-1981 he taught school and coached at Page Middle School. Since 1981, he was the credit manager for Grande Ford Truck Center until 04-07-2008. For over 28 years owners, co-workers, and customers, were extended family to him. He was a lifetime member of the San Antonio Stock Show and Rodeo where he

served on various committees since 1988 until now. He was a member of Mesquite Hall. He was a confirmed member of Highland Park Lutheran Church until approx 2 ½ years ago when he became a member of River City Community Church and at a home group he truly found the lord as his personal savior. Johnny had an abundance of friends and family and has been supported by all who loved him. Many thanks to all who took part in his care and special thanks to Vista Care who did a remarkable job of making him comfortable over the past month. Johnny loved life and friends and we will celebrate his life and honor his memory with the saying: TO LIVE LOVE AND LAUGH FOR THAT IS JOHNNY. Pallbearers will be David Keck, Robin Doege, Leslie Moore, Gary McCartney, Dennis Quick, and Mike King.

Services

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, May 7, 2008 from 5:00 to 8:00 P.M. at the funeral home. Funeral Services will be held at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South on Thursday, May 8, 2008 at 11:00 A.M. Burial to follow at Mission Burial Park South.

Tribute Wall

JD

“ *Linda, Thinking of you and your family. Our prayers are with you all.....Our love to y'all.....*

John and Lynne Dixon - May 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LN

“ *Although it's been years since I've seen Johnny...I've never forgotten him. He was quite a character, and he did indeed love life. He was always smiling!*

His sister Lynda and I go way back, and i've kept up with Johnny thru her.

Your memory live

Lee Ann Noel - May 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *Johnny will be missed. I always looked forward to sitting with Johnny during our Souvenir Committee meetings and working at the Rodeo. God Bless.*

Tony

Tony Frels - May 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GE

“ *Dear Treva, family and friends,
I am writing you from Hangzhou, China to express my support and share the wonderful feelings I have towards Johnny Frank. I played next to him as an O guard for several years. I enjoyed his friendship and the privelege*

Gerry Ellis - May 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ I attended TLC during the same time as Johnny and remember his smiling face as he sat at the football players table in the cafeteria. My sincere condolences to the family.

Shirley Kubenka Saltarelli - May 08, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RL

“ Hey! Bubba. Johnny said it often, he also loved singing the Cotten Eye Joe. I wouldn't have known it had real words if it wasn't for Johnny. What a great person that always had a great smile and a zest for life. I am sorry for some missed opportunities

Robert Lehnhoff - May 08, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ Treva you have our deepest Sympathy & condolence

Carl Tondre - May 08, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ The prayers of God's people near and far go out to Johnny's family. May God's Holy Spirit bring you all the comfort and peace you need at this time.

I had lunch with Carl Tolbert on Wednesday and he shared the news of Johnny's death. I remember Johnn

Rev. Dr. Brian K. Gige - May 08, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CO

“ Dear Treva,
We just heard of your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. We will miss seeing Johnny’s smiling face out at the rodeo. It is a comfort to know that he is now, no longer in pain or discomfort and is with his Lord and s

Chuck & Becky Olson - May 08, 2008 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ My deepest sympathy to the Turner family. His great support and presence will be missed during the rodeo.

Eddie Sanchez - May 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ Sincere sympathies and condolences in your memory for your loved ones.

Ray A. Sanchez - May 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

NJ

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to the Turner family. Justin always remember your Father maybe gone but he'll never be forgotten.

Nina Johnson - May 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

VE

“ Johnny Frank Turner

Vic Jr. & Kathy Estrada - May 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DE

“ We are going to miss Johnny, Mike and I had a great time with Treva and Johnny on Special Days Committee, the good ole days Johnny was and will always be one of the good ones. Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family.

Love,
Mike, Gail, Stuart and Ty

DeVoll's - May 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LV

“ Treva and all of the Turner family, We are so sorry for your loss. Johnny was such a nice guy and a very special person. He will be missed by all. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this very difficult time.

Louann & Charlie Vanlandingham - May 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM

FW

“ Treva, we so enjoyed having you and Johnny as our next door neighbors all those years ago. We wish you and the rest of the Turner family our deepest sympathy and are sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you now and always.

Freddie & Karen Walleck - May 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PG

“ Treva, you and Johnny have been very good friends with us for a long time and we are going to miss him so much. He was such a special person and we loved him so much. He will never be forgotten and neither will you. Our condolences go out to you and your

Pat and Larna Gauntt - May 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy to The Turner Family.I have know the Turner Family for the last 35 years and Johnny knew no stranger.He will be greatly missed. God Bless.*

Jane Alvarez - May 05, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *We are very sorry for your loss and our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.*

Sincerely,

The Ripps Family

Edwin, Jr, Lorene, William, Evelyn, Darlene, Marvin and Families.

Darlene Whitley - May 05, 2008 at 12:00 AM