



## Ranney Vernon Hood

March 4, 1929 - May 16, 2009

Ranney Vernon Hood, born March 4, 1929, went to be with the Lord on May 16, 2009 at the age of 80. He was a Texas Highway Contractor for over 60 years. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, raising cattle, and spending time with his family at his ranch. He was preceded in death by his son, Ranney Jr. He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Beverly; sister, Marjorie Sauer of San Antonio; 4 daughters, Margie Aaron & husband David of Floresville, Elizabeth Hansen & husband William of Von Ormy, Stephanie Brandley and husband Damon of Lincoln, CA, and Jennifer Townsend and husband Todd of San Antonio; 12 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews.

### Services

The family will receive friends from 5 pm to 9 pm on Monday, May 18, 2009 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Services will be at 11:00 am Tuesday, May 19, 2009 at the funeral home with interment to follow in Bexar Cemetery, Somerset, TX.

# Tribute Wall

RH

“ *Riding, working cattle, hunting deer, doves, & quail. He was my closest uncle. We had some special things between us - just us. We were in Arizona when we got the news and the link to the guest book wouldn't work from there. Just got home today. Word*

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**Robin Hood** - May 23, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ *So many great memories with Uncle Ranney! Who could ever forget watching the Dallas Cowboys on Sunday afternoon! Rounding up cattle and working them in the pens, riding horses and just laughing in the living room at at the Big House! Thanks for the memori*

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**Beverly Hood Lutz** - May 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for the loss of Mr. Hood. Our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time.*

*Thank you Hood family for the employment of my beloved husband for over 53 years. Alex, Simon, Ranney, Jr. an*

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**Matilda R Castillo** - May 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GK

“ *DeAnna, the boys and I are deeply saddened to hear of Ranney's passing. We want to offer our sincere condolences to Beverly and the Hood family.*

*Ranney was a true original, I am glad I had the chance to get to know him, and be taught by him. So many f*

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**George Keesee** - May 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ we will miss Ranney and his kindness and wisdom. Our prayers are with the Hood family and friends.

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**Maghsoud Tahmoressi** - May 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Since hearing about Ranny's death, my mind keeps playing back many fond memories of our relationship. He was always a gentleman with a smile and a sense of humor. I could always count on his word and handshake. We will all miss him.

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**David R. Balli** - May 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Mr. Hood was an honorable businessman. It has been a pleasure to work with him. He will be sorely missed. My prayers are with the Hood family at this difficult time.

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**Bruce Fly** - May 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DT

“ Dear Hood Family,

*It is with the greatest sadness that I write to offer my condolences for the loss of your beloved husband, father, grandfather and uncle. He was a truly good man, equally respected among friends and competitors. He was a man who truly*

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**David Taylor** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

YM

“ We are so sorry for your loss. The reunions will not be the same without him, but he will remain with us through all the good memories.

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**Yvonne & Cecil Moseley** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ To the Hood family, co-workers and friends goes my sympathy. I got to meet Mr. Hood as a child on his ranch in Hondo, killed my first deer there. Then later in life I was fortunate to work with Mr.Hood in the business world. He was a man of principal an

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**Joshua Reynolds** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

HM

“ I am very sorry to hear of the loss of my good friend. Not only were we competitors, but also, very good friends for fifty years. I, along with the Hood Family and his many friends, will miss him very much. Harold Dean Martin, Cherokee Bridge and Road, Lt

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**Harold Dean Martin** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ Ranney, your may not be with us anymore but you live through us who you influened.

Your friend,

Jaime

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**Jaime Gonzalez** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ Always enjoyed talking with Raney. He was an outstanding person, highly respected in the Construction industry, and served his community and company very well. He will be missed.  
My condolences to his family, and many friends.  
Sincerely,  
Bob Luton  
ROMC

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**Bob Luton** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ Uncle Ranney was a neat Uncle and part of many happy times from my childhood. He always had time for Bob and I when we visited. We will miss him. Our deepest sympathy to Beverly, the immediate family and loved ones.

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**Bob and Bonnie Belle-Hood Dunkelberger** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ Mr. Hood was a wonderful friend to our family. We had the pleasure to get to know him while working on numerous projects. He was a great friend and businessman and will surely be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Hood family.

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**Clay & Sharon Coleman** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

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**Bradley Rihn** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NM

“ I am so very sorry for the loss of Uncle Ranney. I have so many fond memories growing up, especially with Margie Faye! After losing Mom and Daddy, I know how intense the sorrow but also the joy knowing they are with our Lord and Savior, happy and pain fr

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**Nancy Hood McAnich** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ Ranney was such a true giant in our industry. A hard working honest man, we all looked up too. He will be missed by all that knew him. It's a sad day for our industry today. My deepest sympathy goes out to the Hood Family at this time. May the

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**A.J. Clark** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Ranney Hood fit the mold of an old line contractor to a tee. You always knew where he stood and where he expected you to be. I enjoyed doing business with Ranney and he will be missed. My prayers are with the entire Hood family.

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**Jim Shewmaker** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ He was a great man, he made a tremendous contribution to the construction industry. He will be greatly missed, our prayer are with the entire family that each finds comfort in this time of sadness and loss.

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**Ray Pitts & Jeff McIntosh** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS WE WILL ALL MISS HIM

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**MAURICIO SANCLEMENTE** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ *Ranney was a real gentleman and a real Texan. It was a pleasure knowing and working with him. To all of his family, business family and friends I extend my sympathy and I grief at our loss.*

Don Hurst - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

IS

“ *To the R.V. Hood Family,  
we offer our dearest condolences. We will miss our Good Neighbor.*

Isabelle & Jim Shelton Sr. - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ *I had the honor to know Mr. Hood since 1986 working with Frank Siddons Insurance Agency and Texas Builders Insurance Co. Mr. Hood was a man of great principal and I enjoyed the deer hunts we shared with him in Hood County. My thoughts are with his family*

Jack Reynolds - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Uncle Ranney.. The Hood Brothers! It was always a scene from some old westeren for me. Maybe daddy too. Perhaps that's why he liked GunSmoke. Living on the ranch next door, I have many fond memories of the big round ups! It was always a special treat t*

Bill Hood - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ *On behalf of Troop #3152, we would like to send our heart-felt wishes to each and every family member who was touched by this well loved individual. Our deepest sympathy to his grandchildren who loved him.*

Girl Scout Troop #3152 - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time. Mr. Hood was a wonderful person and I have enjoyed working with him and all of the Hoods over the last 30 years that I have been with AGC of Texas.*

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**Debbie Koehler** - May 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the entire family during this time.*

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**Mike Lehmann** - May 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM