



Rev. Jay E. Woodward

February 24, 1946 - July 8, 2008

WOODWARD

Rev. Jay E. Woodward departed for heaven on Tuesday, July 8th. He was a member of Bethesda Christian Institute for thirty-nine years and Assistant Pastor for thirty of those years. He is survived by his wife Carol Woodward, daughter Rhonda, his son Terry Shaw & wife Valerie, two grandchildren Lindsey Shaw and Shelby Morales, along with five brothers, numerous nieces and nephews, and his church family. He was gifted musician, vocalist, preacher, media technician. Visitation will begin on Thursday, July 10, 2008 at 3:00PM, with Funeral Services at 4:00PM at the Bethesda Christian Institute, 2210 Basse, San Antonio, TX 78213. A Graveside Service will be held on Friday, July 11, 2008 at 9:00AM at Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery. Senior Pastor J.V. Foster, Ph.D. will be presiding at the services. You may sign the on-line guestbook at www.missionparks.com under the obituary section.

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VP

“ My deepest condolences are with you all. Brother Jay's beautiful smile & unique yet precious spirit blessed so many people. I am praying for you all. May the love of Christ bring healing and comfort in this difficult time.

Vicki Garza Palacios - July 15, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ Valerie -- My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I know Jay was a good good man. We all know God is taking good care of Jay now. Take Care and God Bless. Sincerely Greg Holland

Greg Holland - July 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ So much to say and yet no words \= Jay was with my family several times in the past months, he was a strong quiet presence in the ER with me and dad \= he was there a few weeks later when Ruby went home to the Lord. Not a lot of words just that strong kno

Joyce Owens and Mary Fewell - July 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ Wow! Bro. Woodward, I wish I had one more chance to thank you for everything you've done for me. I will never forget the many times you stopped what you were doing in your busy schedule to listen and let me cry on your shoulder. I will never forget your

Tracey and Crispin Hernandez - July 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ *Brother Jay,
Our Family is going to trully miss you on Sunday Mornings. I will miss that wonderful smile and your laughter. I thank the Lord that we had the previledge of knowing you. You were part of our family and I thank God for that. Rejoice in the*

Carol Mojica - July 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ *To a man that never judged... was so full of life and loved every minute of it...as well as all people that he came across... A part of our family and extended from the Mintons and beyond.. heck pretty much everyone he walked by.... that smile of hi*

Chad Ritterbach - July 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ *When I heard about your passing I was shocked. So full of life and joy, I can still see you singing and preaching doing the work the Lord called you to do. You really will be missed. You walked the walk and talked the talk. You were a great example to the*

Leonardo Amaro - July 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the Woodward family during this time of sorrow. I will cherish the many memories we created as young boys growing up together.*

James & Margaret Grammer - July 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ *With Jay up there, God will never have a day without laughter!*

corina russell - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

VG

“ MY DEEPEST, SINCERE SYMPATHY, CONDOLENCES AND PRAYER'S TO REV. JAY'S FAMILY AT THIS DIFFICULT TIME. IT IS NEVER EASY TO SAY "GOOD BYE TO THOSE WE LOVE". I AM CONFIDENT HE IS AT PEACE AND HOME WITH OUR LOVING HEAVENLY FATHER CHRIST JESUS. I APPRECIATED ALL

VIRGINIA GOTTWALD - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ I was so sorry to hear of your great loss. Mr. Woodward was always so pleasant and helpful to all our children. God keep him in the palm of His hand.
Jeanette Salinas

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CF

“ Our deepest sympathy is with the Woodward family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Chambers Family - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

EP

“ My deepest sympathy. Bro. Jay will be truely missed. May our Lord Jesus Christ give the family strength needed during this great loss.

Estela Perez - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BK

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you. May God be with each of you.

Brenda Riley Kincaid - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ Jay, what can I say? You shocked us all, or rather the Lord did and proved all the more that God's timing is not our timing! The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away, blessed be the Name of the Lord. You were such a sweet and funny friend to all of the A

Carolyn Autry Howard Deason - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Please accept our deepest sympathy, condolences and prayers for such a great loss to your family. We will always remember Bro. Jay's Christian smile and the memory that he married us. His passing is a great loss to the school, church, and San Antonio.

Marita & John Harris - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

GG

“ Please accept my deepest sympathy, condolences and prayers for such a great loss. I will always remember his smile and the song Joy to the World, and all the good memories he gave me!!

Glen Green - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

FM

“ Terry and Valerie, my prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

Felicia McBride

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VW

“ Rev. Jay E. Woodward

Virginia Weber - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

PP

“ You will be truly missed! You where a true example of how a christian life should be. However, I will miss the most about you is your smile and your singing. Oh, you where so gifted. My thoughts and prayers are with your family.

Patricia Powell - July 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LV

“ Grandpa I will always remember your words of wisdom, your sense of humor, and your wonderful smile. You always knew what to say to cheer me up. I know you are in a better place and you are with Bryce now so give him a big kiss for me and I will see you bo

Lindsey Shaw and Dustin Vackar - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ Terry and Valerie,
Please accept my condolences for your family's loss.

God Bless, Lenny

Lenny Tomasini - July 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM