



# Jerry Lynn Farrar

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## **J**erry Lynn Farrar

After a courageous battle with cancer, Jerry Lynn Farrar, 57, died on January 18, 2003, surrounded by many of his closest friends.

Jerry was born May 1, 1945, in Gladewater, Texas. He graduated from Gladewater High School in 1963, and acquired degrees from Kilgore College and Texas State Technical Institute. He was an employee of Stroh's Brewery of Longview for 35 years.

Jerry will be remembered by his friends for his devoted love for amateur radio. He was a long-time member of the Longview/East Texas Amateur Radio Club and an active volunteer for Gregg County Emergency Communications and the American Red Cross, in which he contributed his knowledge of communications to the service of his community.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Katheryn Willingham Farrar and his father, Melvin Farrar. He is survived by his brother, Jimmie Farrar of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina; 3 nieces and 1 nephew. He is also survived by his extended family; John Baker, Darrell Toland, Clay Richardson and Dianne Wright, and special friends; Jeff and Jackie Jones, Jim Rogers, Tom Noe, and Gail Rigsby.

Funeral services will be held at 10 AM Tuesday, January 21, in the Chapel of Rader Funeral Home of Longview, with Pastor Mike Brittain officiating. Burial will follow at Rosewood Park on FM 1844 in Judson. Pallbearers will be: Larry Morgan, Jeff Jones, Joe Fette, Robert Braack, Phil Langford and Adron Dunnivant.

Memorials may be made to Gregg County Emergency Communications, PO Box 5085, Longview, Texas 75608.



## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** posted:

My most sincere condolences go out to Jerry's family and friends. During my time at school, Jerry always made me and others feel welcomed. He was a great conversationalist when it came to what you could do with gadgets and junk, as evident by his "shooting the breeze" during the long evenings during field day, the fair, etc.... It was a pleasure to know him for the short time that I had the opportunity to. Charles - N3CRT##imported-begin##Charles Reiche##imported-end##

April 8 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I am truly sorry to hear about the untimely death of Jerry. He will be truly missed. I proudly call Jerry a friend. I learned a great deal from Jerry the two years that we spent together a TSTC.##imported-begin##John Dossey##imported-end##

January 21 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

This was such a shock and an even greater loss. I'll miss you Jerry. The classes at TSTC will not be the same knowing you are gone. I just found out today, wish I would have known sooner.##imported-begin##Michael Martini##imported-end##

January 21 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I am so sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. I am very sorry that I was not aware of the funeral in time to participate. I did not know Jerry very well, but he was a great guy to chat with, both in person, and on the radio. I wasn't aware of his illness, but I suppose He fought the good fight, and he always seemed to have a positive attitude. I will miss him. To those of you who were his closest friends, please accept my deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Richard Fleming##imported-end##

January 20 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Jerry taught me the fine art of finding good junk. Anyone who has gone to the scrapyard with him will know what I mean. Thanks Jerry...you treated me well.##imported-begin##Tom Wilbeck##imported-end##

January 20 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Wow...What a loss. We will miss you very much Jerry. I wish I could have seen you before you left. You will never be forgotten.W5JMC##imported-begin##John Carpenter##imported-end##

January 20 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

##imported-begin##gene fout##imported-end##

January 20 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I am sorry to hear about the passing of Jerry. I will miss talking to him on the repeaters that he put up and maintained.JIM K5TJR##imported-begin##Thomas J Robertson##imported-end##

January 19 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

WE WILL MISS YOU VERY MUCH THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES TOM NOE##imported-begin##TOM NOE##imported-end##

January 18 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

##imported-begin##Phillip Weaver##imported-end##

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