



# James E. Howard

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**S**ervices for James Edward "Shorty" Howard, 69, of Longview will be held at 11 AM Saturday, August 2, 2008 in the Rosewood Park Mausoleum Chapel with Dr. Gregg Zackary officiating. Graveside services with military honors will be under the direction of Rader Funeral Home of Longview.

Mr. Howard was born on May 3, 1939 in Stamps, AR. to Oscar William and Maggie Mae Howard. He passed away on July 29, 2008 in a Dallas hospital from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

He proudly served his country with the United States Air Force. He had worked in sales for several car dealerships in Shreveport and East Texas including, Wray Ford, Rountree and most recently, Lively Cadillac. He was a faithful member of Mobberly Baptist Church where he served as an usher and was a member of the Ed Hussley Small Group Bible Fellowship.

He was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his loving wife, Jeanette Howard of Longview; brother and sister-in-law, Harvey C. & Louise Howard of Benton, AR.; daughter, Lujuanna Sue Howard of Shreveport, LA.; son, Freddie Dwayne Howard of IL.; and granddaughter, Meagan Cheyenne Howard of IL.; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 PM, Friday, August 1, 2008 at the funeral home, 1617 Judson Road in Longview.

"Shorty" was a devoted husband, father, and friend, and was loved by many. He will be greatly missed."



## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** posted:

Jeanette, Fred and I were saddened to hear of Shorty's passing. Please know that you are in our prayers at this time of grief. Shorty was such a kind man with great energy and a smile to light the room.##imported-begin##Fred and Amy Goodgion##imported-end##

August 3 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Jeannette, Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time of sadness. Lisa, Diane, Marla, and Anna The Girls at Bonworth, Longview Mall##imported-begin##Diane Reed##imported-end##

August 1 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

We are so sorry this happened. Our prayers are with you and your family. We will miss him very much.##imported-begin##Johnny & Barbara Mason##imported-end##

August 1 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I was Shorty's customer at Lively for several years. He was delightful to deal with and generous in expressing his appreciation of his customers. I am sure that he developed much customer loyalty to the Lively organization during his tenure there. I will miss him. My sincere condolences to Mrs. Howard and Shorty's family.##imported-begin##Nan Mitchell##imported-end##

August 1 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Jeannette, I'm so sorry for your loss, I worked at Lively for several years and Shorty was always so sweet and had a great sense of humor! I will miss him dearly. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. Love, Nichole Calk formerly of Longview##imported-begin##Nichole##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

I work for KYKX and every time that I would go to Lively-- Shorty always was so friendly and nice. It was a pleasure knowing him.##imported-begin##Barbara Biggs##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I am sorry for the loss of your husband and father. Shorty was a good Christian man. Virginia##imported-begin##Virginia St. John##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Jeanette, may the Lord give you strength at this time. We are grateful to you and Shorty for your friendship. Always remember we are just down the street when and if you need anything. Unfortunately we are out of town, still in Williston, ND but expect to be home in Sept. Love, your neighbors and friends in Christ, Ardith and Doug##imported-begin##Ardith & Doug Coughlin##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Just wanted to let you know that you are in our thoughts and prayers, today and in the days to come. Remember that we are just across the street and will be willing to help you in anyway we can. Shorty was such a friendly, caring person and a wonderful neighbor. We will miss his smile and his wave. Love and prayers to you and the family.##imported-begin##Bobby & Marie Taylor##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Rich Stuart##imported-end##

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**Anonymous** posted:

Janette, So sorry to hear about Shorty. He will be greatly missed. He was one heck of a Car Salesman and great guy!!!! GOD BLESS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.##imported-begin##Ray and Bobbie Hunter##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I wanted to let you know that you are in my prayers. I will truly miss Shorty, he always had a smile on his face and he made those around him smile too.##imported-begin##Nikki Allen##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Great guy to work with, while we were at Wray Ford he could sale cars. Our prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Jerry Woods##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

My thought's and prayers are with you and your family. I worked with Shorty 13 or so years ago at Lively, he was a great guy to work with.##imported-begin##Brandon King##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Our condolences to friends and family, It has been a long time since I had seen Uncle James, But, I have fond memories of Him. God Bless Him and his family.##imported-begin##Timothy & Jonette Vance##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Jeanette, I am very saddened to hear about Shorty. I remember when you first met him and later married him. He was a very good hearted person and never met a stranger. I know you are going to miss him dearly and we will, too. I hope these few words comfort you in some minute way. I just met your nephew 2 weeks ago and I asked him about you and Shorty. He said you were doing great and he would tell you both I said "hello". We were picking peas at the same pea field. If there is anything I can do for you, please let me know. God Bless You and give you strength...Sincerely, Caroline##imported-begin##Caroline Adams Capacity of TX##imported-end##

July 31 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Even in his final hour, Mr. Howard was a true gentleman with a warm and engaging personality. The prayers of First Baptist Church of Farmersville are with his surviving loved ones, as are Tracy's and mine.##imported-begin##Bart Barber##imported-end##

July 30 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I worked with Shorty for 5 years and there were very few times I saw him without a smile on his face. He lived life to the fullest every day and would do anything for you. He was such a sweet and caring man and my family will miss him very much.##imported-begin##Amy Fisk##imported-end##

July 30 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

What a wonderful, sweet man! Shorty was a true friend and always a gentleman. I will miss him but always smile when I think of him. Steve##imported-begin##Steve Camp##imported-end##

July 30 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Please accept our sincere condolences for the loss of your loved one, our uncle. Love, Jim, Luz and family.##imported-begin##Jimmy Leon Howard##imported-end##

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**Anonymous** posted:

Jeannette, you and Uncle James have always been so very dear to us all. We will forever miss him and know that he will always have a very special place in our heart and will never be forgot. Forever my favorite Uncle Rick & Debbie Tyler  
Ricky & Debbie Tyler

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