



# Joe Dan Brown

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**F**uneral services for Dan Brown, 72, of Henderson, are set for 4:00 PM Saturday, March 14, 2009, at the Rader Funeral Chapel in Henderson with Rev. Bill Aven officiating. Burial will be in Pine Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Brown died Wednesday, March 11, 2009, in a Henderson hospital.

He was born April 13, 1936 in Henderson to Jodie and Frankie Faulkner Brown. He was retired from Texas Utilities, a member of the West Main Baptist Church and the Clinton Masonic Lodge. He was a horse breeder and rancher for 50 years and was a champion bullrider. He was a US Army veteran of the Korean War.

Surviving is his wife Gail Brown of Henderson; son, Joe Frank Brown of Liberty; step-children, Justin Brown and wife Alana, Tiffanie Dorsey, and Jarrett Dorsey and wife Beth, all of Henderson; grandchildren, Avory, Stephanie, Lora, and Luke; uncle, Buster Faulkner of Marshall.

Pallbearers will Jimmy Brown, Dennis Baggett, Rex Cly, Jackie Cly, David Comtee, and David Best. Honorary pallbearers will be Carlton Stephens, J.M. Wallace, Roy Butler, Judge Chad Dean, Paul Smith, Raymond Couch, Roy Davis, Lee Gearheart, and Charlie Richardson.

Visitation will be Friday from 6 to 8 Pm at the funeral home.



## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** posted:

Gail, So sorry for your loss. Dan was a very nice man to take of on 4f. We will miss him.##imported-begin##Patricia Jones##imported-end##

March 19 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Joe and Gail,So sorry to hear about Dan - just wanted you both to know that I was thinking of you - God Bless.Patty Turner##imported-begin##patty turner##imported-end##

March 15 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Gail and Children, I am so sorry for your loss. Dan was a wonderful man. We shall all celebrate his life. I know that we are better people for knowing him. You are in my prayers.##imported-begin##Brenda T. Leigh##imported-end##

March 15 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

It saddened me to read about Dan and I wanted each of you to know you will be in my thoughts and prayers not only today but in the days to come. God Bless each of you. Jane##imported-begin##jane fahle##imported-end##

March 13 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Gail, I am so glad I got to see you and Dan last weekend at the horse show. He was doing something that truly made him happy. My prayers are with you and your family. He will surely be missed. God Bless. With Love##imported-begin##DONNA J WESTMORELAND##imported-end##

March 13 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Our thoughts & prayer are with you.##imported-begin##Becky H. Rountree, COA##imported-end##

March 13 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

May God give you his courage and strength to go on. God Bless you##imported-begin##Karla Kennedy##imported-end##

March 12 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Class of '54.##imported-begin##Rube Gayle Barton Hardin##imported-end##

March 12 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Gail, Justin, and Tiffany, I really don't know what to say. I talked to Dan last Wednesday and told him I was running late due to a hair appointment, and he said "those things happen some times. Don't you worry little lady, I'll tell Gail and have her call you." He was always there to watch me ride, and was positive when he should have been criticizing. I am so sorry, and will miss him sooo much. We love ya'll. Tommy and Ashley Huff##imported-begin##Ashley Huff##imported-end##

March 12 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Brown family, We lived next door to the Browns in the "good ole days" on Colonial Dr. Stephens-Brown-Park-Hinson-Roch Dan was 1 year older than Bill Park, my older brother. Bill and I remember those youthful days, his "club house" behind the garage, and we send our sincere sympathy to you.##imported-begin##Patricia Park Laney##imported-end##

March 12 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Joe Frank, I was so sorry to hear about you dad. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.##imported-begin##Kelly Brown##imported-end##

March 12 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

I worked with Joe at texas utilities. He was a gentleman and very funny. I am sure he will be sorely missed by many.##imported-begin##Kate Boyd##imported-end##

March 12 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I will miss my favorite Cuz...Ride on, cowboy.Susan Faulkner##imported-begin##Susan Faulkner##imported-end##

March 11 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

We will always remember Dan. Have a lot of good memories from horse shows and from just hanging around the ranch. We are very sorry for your loss.John and Eileen Daugirda##imported-begin##Eileen and John Daugirda##imported-end##

March 11 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

My deepest sympathy for your enormous loss.##imported-begin##Debra Duke##imported-end##

March 11 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Brown Family, My deepest sympathy goes out to your family. Mr Dan was a wonderful man who taught me alot about showing horses over the years. He will truly be missed in the horse show community.Misty McClendon Evans##imported-begin##Misty McClendon Evans##imported-end##

March 11 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Brown Family, You are in our thoughts and prayers. We have many fond memories of Dan through the years at the horse shows. We know that he is riding in much greener pastures now. Happy trails until we meet again Mr. Dan. God bless you all, Robert & Kathleen Fennell Adams, Paul and Seth

March 11 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I feel fortunate to have been able to talk with Mr. Dan at a horse show last Saturday. I will miss his advice, his smile and his laugh. He was one of a kind.

March 11 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Brown Family, You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

March 11 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

We are so saddened by the loss of your loved one Dan. We will miss seeing and visiting with him at the horse shows. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.

March 10 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Brown Family, We are very saddened by your loss. The horse community has lost a great man. Our condolences are with your family.

March 10 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Gail and family, I was sad to hear of your loss but am thankful to have known Dan. Many of my favorite horse stories involve him and/or your family. He will be missed by many, was loved my more and will always be a part of all that knew him. With love, Lee Anne and Meredith##imported-begin##Lee Anne and Meredith Smith##imported-end##

March 10 at 7:00 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Joe by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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