



Eddie Modisett

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Services for Stewart Edward "Eddie" Modisett will be held at 11 AM Friday, June 18, 2010, in the Chapel of Rader Funeral Home of Longview with the Rev. Cary Modisett officiating. Burial will follow in Rosewood Park. Mr. Modisett passed away suddenly Tuesday, June 15, in a local hospital.

Eddie was born in Angelina County on August 15, 1934 to I.D. and Dorothy Modisett. He attended Pine Tree Schools and became Pine Tree High School's first five-sport letterman as a Junior. He lettered in football, basketball, track, baseball and tennis. He graduated from Velma Elma High School in Oklahoma in 1953. After high school Eddie worked in the Automobile business and enlisted in the United States Navy shortly thereafter. He proudly served his country for 2 years aboard the USS Southerland and was honorably discharged in 1958.

After his years in the service, Eddie returned to Longview and began what continued as his career of 50 plus years as an automobile dealer. He was an avid golfer, fisherman and hunter, being an active member of the Longview Hunting Club for over 20 years. He was a long-time supporter of the Longview Lobos Athletic program and regularly attended football and basketball games as well as track and swim meets. Eddie was a loving husband, father, grandfather and brother who will always be remembered for his contagious laugh and optimistic outlook on life. He was a compassionate man who was always willing to help others.

Eddie was preceded in death by his parents, brother, Bill and a sister Priscilla. He is survived by his wife of 33 years, Brenda Brashear Modisett; his sons, Mitchell Edwin Modisett, David Clark Modisett, and daughter Roslyn Carole Modisett; grandchildren Brittany, Travis and Michael Modisett; brothers and sisters-in-law, I.D. and Virginia Modisett of Keller, Texas, and David and Pat Modisett of Longview; mother-in-law, Gaynelle Brashear; brothers-in-law and their wives, Charlie and Becky Brashear, and Joe and Melanie Brashear, all of Longview; and several nieces



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and nephews; and his devoted Labrador, Tye.

Pallbearers will be Charlie Brashear, Joe Brashear, Mitchell Garlough, Travis Modisett, Brent Taylor, and T-Bone Woods. Honorary pallbearers will be Rex Gatlin, Rod Gatlin, Wendell Graves, Roger McCuller, Leroy Romines, and John Mack Smith. The family requests that memorial donations be made to the First Presbyterian Church Building Fund, 301 N. Center St., Longview, Texas 75601; the American Heart Association, 1125 Judson Rd Suite 150, Longview, Texas 75601, or to the charity of your choice.

A memorial guestbook may be signed online at www.raderfh.com.



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Brenda....I had no idea Eddie was gone until today 7/25/2010. The tears flow as I write this. He was a good friend. Elick##imported-begin##elick maledon##imported-end##

July 24 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Brenda, We were so sorry to hear about Eddie. You are in our prayers.##imported-begin##Delores & David Morris##imported-end##

June 29 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Coach,I'm very sorry to hear about Eddie. I remember him being at our swim meets. I am so sorry and my prayers are with you.Dan Mann1980##imported-begin##Dan Mann##imported-end##

June 18 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

With deepest sympanthy for your loss.A long ago friend of Eddie's,Al Sigman##imported-begin##Al Sigman##imported-end##

June 18 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

mitchell, david, & roslyn,i am so sorry for the loss of your sweet dad. may his memories live in your hearts and minds forever. God bless you all!##imported-begin##freda goerner##imported-end##

June 17 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Thinking of you##imported-begin##Janice Lloyd Tucker##imported-end##

June 17 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Coach,I pray that God will comfort you with many wonderful memories. I remember Eddie appearing at many of our events. He loved the Lobos, but it was his love for you that kept him putting up with all of us.May God bless you all at this time.Tesa Campbell Wilson##imported-begin##Tesa Willson##imported-end##

June 17 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Coach,I'm so sorry to hear about Eddie. I remember him fondly and I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.All my love,Patti Gammans Monzingo##imported-begin##Patti Gammans Monzingo##imported-end##

June 17 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Brenda,We are deeply saddened to hear of Eddies untimely passing. We had many great times in the past with wonderful memories that I will cherish always. He was certainly one of a kind and will really be missed by many. Our thoughts and prayers are with you in this trying time. I truly regret not being able to make the funeral service it is just impossible to get away tomorrow. If there is anything I can do please do not hesitate to contact me. Sincerely,Dick & Sandy##imported-begin##Dick Wilgus##imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Brenda,My thoughts and prayers are with you. May you take great comfort in knowing that you will see him again someday. Blessings and love~##imported-begin##Janis Wilson Holland##imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Brenda, sorry to hear of your loss. Eddie was a dear friend from a long time ago. Our thoughts & prayers are with you & your family.##imported-begin##J. R. & Mary Murray##imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Brenda, I am so sorry for your loss. Betty Lou and LeRoy Romines were at my house on Sat. and they were talking about how happy Betty Lou was to get a call from Eddie to wish them Happy Anniversary. My thoughts are with you. Love, Carol Boice Caldwell##imported-begin##Carol Caldwell##imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Coach Our hearts go out to you in the loss of Eddie. He was a constant presence for us beside the pool at so many meets. So sorry for the loss of this good man##imported-begin##Kris Raymer Fuhr##imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Coach, I am very sorry to hear of your loss. As I write this, I remember Eddie coming to all of those swim meets so many years ago. God be with you at this time. Kathy1981##imported-begin##Kathryn Kaplan##imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

We are sorry to hear about Eddie. We had a lot of good laughs with him. God Bless You.##imported-begin##John and Gina Skinner##imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Brenda, I am so sorry to hear about Big E. He was my best friend. Steven##imported-begin##Steven Ray##imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Brenda, I am so sorry to hear about Eddie. I pray for the Lord to comfort you and Mitchell and David. May God Bless You and give you strength and peace. Peggy Bean###imported-begin###Peggy Bean###imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Brenda, Phil and I were so very sorry to hear about Eddie. He was a good man and he will be greatly missed. Please let us know if we can do anything for you.###imported-begin###Phillip & Bettye Works###imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Brenda, I'm so sorry you have lost your husband and companion. My thoughts are with you. Kathy###imported-begin###Kathy Cole###imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Brenda, Jimmy and I would like to express our deepest sympathy to you and your family. We have a lot of fond memories of the times we spent with you and Eddie. Love Dona###imported-begin###Dona and Jimmy Adams###imported-end##

June 16 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Brenda and family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Edwin and Cheryl Parr###imported-begin###Cheryl Walters Parr###imported-end##

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Anonymous posted:

Brenda, my deepest sympathy, prayers, and support are with you. May God grant you an extra measure of His comfort and strenght in the days to come.##imported-begin##Sally Gossett Barron##imported-end##

June 15 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Brenda,We are so sorry to hear of Eddie's death. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.Lynn and Mary Shivers##imported-begin##Mary Shivers##imported-end##

June 15 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Brenda and family,Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.Sherry and Richard Molpus##imported-begin##Sherry Molpus##imported-end##

June 15 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Thoughts and prayers are with the family.##imported-begin##Donna Ruth Segars##imported-end##

June 15 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Very sorry for your loss. We respectfully submit our deepest sympathy to you and your family. Lana Love, Lori and Dwayne Lloyd, George and Anita Griffith.##imported-begin##Lana Love##imported-end##

June 15 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Brenda,Richard and I are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Margaret Wade##imported-end##

June 15 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Brenda: Our whole family is so very sorry to hear of Eddie's death. We extend our love and our prayers. Please know that you are in our hearts. Sincerely, Jim, Dale, John, Bryan and grandchildren##imported-begin##Dale Simons##imported-end##

June 15 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Brenda, I am so very sorry. Please know that I care and will hold you close to my heart in this very sad and difficult time for you. Kathryn##imported-begin##Kathryn Williams##imported-end##

June 15 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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