



# Thurman Cotton McIntosh

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**G**raveside services for Thurman "Cotton" McIntosh, 87, of Longview will be held at 10 AM Wednesday, April 27, 2011 at Lakeview Memorial Gardens with Brother Travis Kitchens officiating. Services are under the direction of Rader Funeral Home of Longview. Mr. McIntosh passed away Monday morning at his home surrounded by his family. The family will receive friends Tuesday evening from 6-8 PM at the funeral home.

Cotton was born on September 28, 1923 in Pritchett, Texas to Marshall and Minnie McIntosh. He proudly served his country during WWII. After his discharge from the Army, he worked as a mechanic and drove big trucks for many years before he taught the very first Auto Mechanics Class in Pine Tree I.S.D. He was a long time member of Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church where he was a Deacon. Cotton enjoyed fishing and he loved his family and friends dearly and loved to take care of them. He would not sit down to eat until everyone was taken care of.

He was preceded in death by his son, Tommy McIntosh; 2 brothers and 2 sisters. Those left to cherish his memory are his wife of 63 years, Edna McIntosh; his children and their spouses, Charles and Cindy McIntosh of Kilgore; Kathy and Bill Bailey of Nederland, TX; and Susan and Vic Barrow of White Oak; his grandchildren, Terry Bailey, Janis Newton and husband Scott, Nick McIntosh, Joey McIntosh, and Holly Dyer; his great grandchildren, Alyssa Bailey, Lane Newton, J.J. McIntosh, Natalie and Nate Dyer; and one sister, Tommie Lou Baxter of Longview.

The family would like to extend a special thanks to the nurses and staff of Beacon Hospice for all of their loving care and attention. Memorial donations may be made in Cotton's honor to Beacon Hospice at Margaret's House, 5016 Gilmer Road, Longview, Texas 75604, or do something good for someone in his honor. Cotton loved helping people and you can honor his memory by carrying on this tradition.



## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** posted:

Daddy, not one minute goes by that I don't miss you. But, today is your birthday and I miss you more than ever today. There are things I wish I had said or done before you went to your eternal home, but today I just want to say happy birthday, that I love you, and I miss you so much.##imported-begin##Kathy Bailey##imported-end##

September 27 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Daddy, you may not be with us physically this Fathers Day but you are very much in my heart and soul. I will forever miss and love you dearly. I'd love to see that big smile and have one of those hugs just one more time.God truly has an angel.I love you,Kathy##imported-begin##Kathy Bailey##imported-end##

June 14 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dear Kathy, Edna and all Your Family, though I never met "Cotton" Your Daddy, I feel like I knew him through talking with You and Your Mom "Edna". Your Daddy lived a long and fruitful life and I pray that those memories overcome the sadness of his passing. Your Daddy who was a Christian is now in a better place than here on Earth. God Bless You and Your Family.##imported-begin##Tony Peale##imported-end##

April 29 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Kathy,I was so sorry to read your Dad's obit.He was such a sweet person. I can remember coming to spend the night with you, and always loved your Mom and Dad. I know how close you were to him, and it will be hard for a while, but time does make it a little better. Think of all the wonderful memories you have of him!! I still remember how he was afraid of storms!! I still love you old friend, and think of you often, we have alot of childhood memories too.##imported-begin##Connie Stroud Cagle##imported-end##

April 28 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

I'm sorry to hear that Tommy has gone home. I remember him well from high school. He was always such a pleasure to be around. He will be missed by all.##imported-begin##John Hargrave##imported-end##

April 27 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Kathy and Susan, I am very sorry about the loss of your beloved Daddy. I know its hard to bury our parents, I am praying for you both and your Mom, and the family. God Bless you all. Darlene##imported-begin##Darlene Turner Taylor##imported-end##

April 27 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Praying for you all. May God comfort you and give you peace in the days ahead.##imported-begin##Wanda Billings##imported-end##

April 26 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I have never met a sweeter family and just thought the world of "Cotton" My thoughts and prayers go out to the family.He was a special wonderful man.They always made you feel like one of their own.##imported-begin##Patricia Sheene##imported-end##

April 25 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers to the family.##imported-begin##Terri Kennedy##imported-end##

April 25 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Prayers to the McIntosh family during this time of loss. I lost my dad a year ago. I pray for God's comfort as He puts His loving arms around you all.##imported-begin##Ricky Swimm Aldaco##imported-end##

April 25 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Cotton was a wonderful man to all who knew him. We are so sorry for your loss, you are all in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Janet Wallace##imported-end##

April 25 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Cotton was a great teacher. During his time at Pine Tree, I was also a teacher and saw the positive influence he had on our students. I also remember the loss of his son Tommy at such a young age. Our thoughts and prayers go out to each of the family during this difficult time. May God Bless each of you.##imported-begin##Pat and 'holley' Noon##imported-end##

April 25 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Kathy, I'm so sorry for you and your family's loss.##imported-begin##Anita Nuner##imported-end##

April 25 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Charlie, I was so sorry to hear about your Daddy's passing. I remember when I worked at Wal-Mart & he would come in to see you----he was the sweetest, funny man. My condolences to your Mother, you, your crazy sister, & your sane sister. Your family is my prayers.##imported-begin##Debbie Richardson##imported-end##

April 25 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

You are all in our prayers during this sad time.c##imported-begin##Cecilia##imported-end##

April 24 at 7:00 PM



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