



# Louis J. Hardt

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**A** visitation for Louis J. Hardt, 82, of Longview Texas will be at Rader Funeral Home on Saturday August 4, 2012 from 6-8PM. Louis was born on October 4, 1929 to Conrad and Florence Hardt in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania he passed away on Thursday August 2, 2012 in Longview, Texas.

Louis was a Vice President and General Manager for Robroy Industries in Gilmer, Texas. He served in the US Airforce in the Korean War. His motto was to live to work not work to live. Lou was a frugal man and enjoyed to tinker and fix things he was very creative and loved to work with electronics, boating, he was a pilot; living at the lake and he loved his animals.

Louis was preceded in death his parents, his step father , Edward H. Schmidt; half brother, Edward M. Schmidt; sister, Marion H. Schmidt Mato and his first wife Patricia A. Blake and his second wife Lillian Hardt.

He is survived by his son, Thomas E. Hardt; Daughter, Joyce E. Hardt; and his grandson Louis J. Hardt.



## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** posted:

Tom, So sorry fo your loss. Your dad was one of a kind, awesome!! Knowing him over 20 yrs, i loved him very much i have so many fond memories ...He is in no more pain now..You did a great job you were right by his side... He loved you and you loved him...you are in our thoughts and prayers,loveDawn,Larry,Tyler & Lake Sutton##imported-begin##Dawn Rushing Sutton##imported-end##

August 3 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Louis, We are so sorry for the loss of your grandfather.. Remember all the good times spent with him, all the laghter!!! He is in no more pain... Tyler Sutton,Lake Sutton##imported-begin##Tyler Sutton##imported-end##

August 3 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Mr Lou was a kind and generous man who was always willing to be of help to anyone who asked or needed it and he expected nothing or wanted anything in return for his help. We were not ready for him to leave us and though he is gone from our sight he will always be in our hearts and one who is loved never really dies.##imported-begin##J D Holloway##imported-end##

August 3 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Mr. Lou,What a great friend and neighbor for the last 25 + years. You were always "there" and always willing to help. And you could fix anything. What a blessing it has been to be close to you. Now,, my friend, go and rest. You will be missed, but never forgotten.Sincerely,Elaine##imported-begin##Elaine Reynolds##imported-end##

August 2 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

I will sure miss my good friend and wonderful neighbor. Several years ago Lou asked me if I might be interested in some property next to his at Caddo Lake. I was and so we became next door neighbors on Bradley Canal near the lake as well across the street in Longview. Our friendship grew fast as he was always so helpful with any property or equipment issues. Lou could repair about anything he put his hands on. My favorite thing about Lou was all the stories he told about his adventures, travels, and crazy antics he created. And it seemed he would never tell a story more than once. His bucket list was completed and I know he had a wonderful life.##imported-begin##Doug Schroer##imported-end##

August 1 at 7:00 PM



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



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