



Brad Stovall

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Brad Stovall passed away peacefully February 7, 2021 at his home in Hallsville, TX. He was born May 30, 1956 to R.B. & Jean Stovall. He graduated from TCU's Ranch Management program. He later became a machinist after attending Industrial Trade School in Dallas. He worked briefly for GE Electric and Lone Star Steel before going into business for himself. He owned & operated Stovall Fab & S.E.I. for 20+ years in the Mt. Pleasant area before moving to Longview in 2003 and opening Longview Fab & Machine.

While attending junior high at Paul Pewitt, he met Debra Higgins, who he dated throughout high school and ultimately stood by his side for a lifetime. They were married in Naples, Tx on January 8, 1977.

He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Debra Stovall, son Steven Stovall and wife Tiffany, daughter Angie Stovall, grandchildren Cody Stovall and wife Kristyn, Chance Stovall, Garrett Stovall, Krislynn Stovall and Bailey Stovall. Sister Suzanne McReynolds, brother in law Lou Smith, sister in law Dana Shankle and husband Marty, brother in law Dwaine Higgins and wife Barbara, numerous nieces, nephews, friends & colleagues.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to the Martin House CAC in Longview, Hallsville Outreach Center or your favorite charity.

A Celebration of life will take place on Thursday, February 11, 2021 at the Chapel of Rader Funeral Home in Longview beginning at 2 p.m. There will be a viewing at the funeral home from 8 a.m. till 8 p.m. on Wednesday.

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



Events


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Viewing

 **Wednesday**, February 10, 2021

 8:00 AM - 8:00 AM PT

 **Rader Funeral Home**
1617 Judson Rd., Longview TX 75601





Tribute Wall

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Rader Funeral Home shared a **Webcast Video**.



February 11 at 9:46 AM



Producers Cooperative Association posted:

We at Producers Cooperative Association are greatly saddened by the passing of Brad Stovall. His craftsmanship shines throughout our Association in more ways than one. He will be greatly missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with the friends, family and employees of Longview Fab & Machine.- Producers Cooperative Association

February 12 at 2:42 AM



Ronnie And Janie Tucker lit a candle in honor of Brad.



To Debra and Family, our hearts were so sad to hear of Brads illness and passing. I remember the first time I met Brad. It was one of the many family reunions. I was so scared to meet everyone. Shaking and nervous, I saw this tall man walking towards me. My oh my, He looked like a giant. A serious look on his face. As he approached me he looked down, a big smile came across his face as he welcomed me into the family. Introducing himself to me and making small talk he immediately eased my tensions and said "they are great people". "A good family to be a part of." I appreciated him and will never forget his kindness. Such a great man and a Gentle Giant. He was so right. I love this family and Brad was right. Everyone has made me feel so welcome. Ronnie and I love you all. I am going to miss Brad as I was just getting to know him more and more. We had such a great family reunion at "Lake of the Pines" where we got to know him even more. Brad really seemed to have great time and let loose after working all day. These are the memories I will always remember of him. Thank you Brad. RIP. We will be sending a donation in the Stovall name to The Martin House. Hated that we couldn't make it to the Service. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. God Bless!

February 9 at 3:47 AM



Gsnetx- Hilary, Mary, Janna, And All Staff sent a Sweet Tenderness to the Stovall family.



February 11 at 7:06 AM



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Caleb Higgins lit a candle in honor of Brad.



Stovall Family, Uncle Brad created memories for all of us. Growing up whenever I would see an SEI sticker on a dump bed I would always be so proud and tell whoever was with me that my uncle built that. Every time I passed by the old shop in Mt Pleasant or the Bo Pilgrim hat I'd always think of you. The only reason that I know where Talco is because of him. All the Christmas' or other holidays at your house were so much fun. He will be missed. Love you all. Caleb, Katie, James, and Joshua Higgins

February 10 at 2:31 AM



Glynn Tompkins February 11 at 8:05 AM

Was saddened to hear the news of Brad Stovall. A former customer & friend while I represented Aztec Galvanizing over 25 years. I first knew Brad at Stovall Mach / Mt. Pleasant beginning in 1988, then later at L'view Mach. I always found a warm smile and wonderful attitude. His friendship always meant more to me than business. You learn early in life that friendships continue long after the orders cease. I will remember this friend. May God comfort you at this time...glynn tompkins / waskom.



Suzanne Stovall McCreynolds shared an album called **Memories Album**.



February 9 at 3:47 AM



Beth Wiley posted:

Debra, so very sorry for your loss! Prayers of comfort for you all. Brad was a true gentleman! You were blessed!

February 9 at 5:45 PM



Odis And Ann Cline February 9 at 6:01 PM

Debra, so sorry for you and your families loss of Brad. Prayers. Odis and Ann Cline



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Sue Spann posted:

My husband and I had Central Freight Lines in Mt. Pleasant during the time Brad had Stovall Fab there and he was always such a pleasant customer to deal with. Always polite, friendly and helpful to our drivers. Debra you and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers for comfort and peace in the days ahead.

February 9 at 4:45 PM



Sheri Slider Howarc posted:

I haven't seen Brad in years but remember him as a quiet kind boy that was so loved by his mom and dad and , most of all, Debra. Praying for comfort for the family. Rest Now BrAd.

February 9 at 4:43 PM



David M Horton posted:

This gentle giant of a man was always there and ready to help those that needed it. Once, when we were all gathering for a funeral, I ran over some road debris just outside the funeral home parking lot. By the time I got parked, a tire was completely flat. Rather than tackle the process of changing the tire then and being dressed in suit and tie, I left the car standing. After meeting everyone in the funeral home, I told of the tire incident. Brad wanted me to show him so we proceeded to the car. Upon arrival Brad wanted me to open the car's trunk. No amount of attempted persuasion deterred him from removing the tire jack and spare. So with him in suit and tie, he honored an old man by changing the flattened tire. That typified the great man, Brad Stovall. May he RIP.

February 9 at 3:27 PM



Brenda Coffey posted:

love and prayers for your loss 🙏💙🙏👍 RIP from Brenda Coffey Naples

February 9 at 12:42 PM



Land O'lakes / Purina Animal Nutrition sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Stovall family.



February 9 at 11:23 AM



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Anonymous sent an Ocean Breeze Spray to the Stovall family.

February 9 at 10:41 AM



Melba, Marci, Grace Henderson sent a Crystal Cross Bouquet to the Stovall family.

February 9 at 9:03 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Stovall family.

February 9 at 8:16 AM



Anonymous sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Stovall family.

February 9 at 7:07 AM



Deanna K Bert posted:

I am so sorry to hear of Brad's passing. Debra I hope you and your family find peace and comfort in the many good memories you have made. I will be lifting you up in prayer.

February 9 at 7:04 AM



Andra (Puckett) Clay posted:

Thoughts and prayers for Debra and family at this time for your loss

February 9 at 3:47 AM



Media

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Suzanne Stovall Mcreynolds shared 14 photos to the **Memories Album** album.

February 10 at 12:51 AM



Brad



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Suzie, Brad, Sam



Jean , Brad, RB, Shelly



Jean, Brad, RB



Brad, Sarabeth, Suzie



Brad, Sarabeth, Suzie



Brad, Sarabeth, Suzie



Brad



Suzie, RB, Brad



RB, Brad



RB, Suzie, Sam, Jean, Brad



Brad, Leanne



Brad, Shelly



Memories only last if you share them

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



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