



## Destry Reine Young

August 20, 1964 - October 26, 2018

Destry Reine Young, the man, the told, the legend. He was loved by many and adored by many more. Destry, loving son, brother, husband, father and friend passed away at age 54 on Friday, October 26, 2018 at his home.

Destry was born on August 20, 1964 in Hamlin, Texas. He attended school in Thorndale and worked as a large equipment operator and for Milam County. Destry doesn't want us to remember him as someone who fought a long battle with cancer. He wanted to be known as a man that passed away as a result of being stubborn, not always following doctor's orders and raising hell for almost five decades. He enjoyed drinking, guns, 4-wheeling, and hard work. Being around family and friends was always important to him. He was a kind, good hearted man, always willing to give a helping hand. He was a true hero to many and greatly loved by everyone around the community. He will forever remain in the hearts of so many people.

He is preceded in death by his grandparents.

Destry is survived by his wife, LaDonyia McCoy Young of Thorndale; son, Maverick Young of Thorndale; stepdaughter, Stacie Holman of Thorndale; daughter, Joanna Alves and husband David of OK; father, James Dalton Young of Thorndale; mother, Bobbie Diann Allen Ferguson of Granger; brother, James E. Young of Thorndale; sisters, Michella Crosthwaite and

husband Phillip of Taylor and Penny Kruse and husband Kelly of Taylor;  
grandchildren, Viola Redd, Ocean Alves, Alexis Alves and Kaylah Alves.

A memorial service will be held on Tuesday, October 30, 2018 at the Phillips  
and Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Rockdale  
1041 West Highway 79  
Rockdale, TX 76567  
(512) 446-5454  
phillips\_luckey@yahoo.com  
<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Destry Reine Young*



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**Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home** - October 29, 2018 at 03:49 PM

BV

*Prayers & Sympathy to the family of Destry. May you always hold the memories of him within your heart. Sincerely, Barbara Vansa, Retired Milam County Clerk*

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**Barbara Vansa** - October 29, 2018 at 05:01 PM

MC

*Prayers for the family of Destry. He will be missed. Sincerely, Milam County Pct. 1 Crew*

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**Milam County** - October 30, 2018 at 11:15 AM

KS

*Destry touched the lives of many people. He will go on in his love for his family & friends.*

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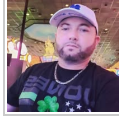
**Kathy Slaughter** - October 30, 2018 at 03:25 PM

SC

*Destry was a good kind hearted man. He will be missed by many.*

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**Sharon Cochran Cepak** - October 30, 2018 at 08:52 PM



*Destry was such a great guy. Always there to help someone if they needed it. I'm glad I was lucky enough to have some great memories with him. Sending thoughts and prayers!*

**Corey Jones** - October 30, 2018 at 09:33 PM



*Love the video... My thoughts and prayers and my love to all of you. May God wrap his arms around each and everyone of you and bring you some comfort and peace.*

**Pamela West Moseley** - October 31, 2018 at 09:46 AM

JA

*“ I had Destry in my classes many years ago. He helped me move when I left Thorndale. Was in TX and tried to look him up and found he had passed. So glad to see he stayed wild and free and is in the presence of the Lord.*

**John Avant** - June 19, 2019 at 08:23 PM

SB

*“ Shannon & Teresa Bishop lit a candle in memory of Destry Reine Young*



**Shannon & Teresa Bishop** - November 09, 2018 at 12:24 PM

KS

*“ Kathy Slaughter lit a candle in memory of Destry Reine Young*



**Kathy Slaughter** - October 30, 2018 at 02:23 PM

ML

*Destry was an awesome friend since I was a kid. He was an honest, funny, and a buddy of mine. I will never forget you "Homie", as we called each other at all times. We shall see each other on the other side... much loved by many.. " Gone but will never be forgotten". Until we meet again..*

Max Leyendecker - October 31, 2018 at 04:17 PM

ML

*Lost a great friend I grew up with for over 30 yrs. Will be greatly missed. Forever in my heart homie.*

Max Leyendecker - October 31, 2018 at 05:18 PM

LH

*“ Destry you were a fun and loving guy. I was blessed to know you and attend school with you. My thoughts and prayers to your family.*

Lisa Hinostroza - October 30, 2018 at 08:52 AM



*“ 3 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - October 30, 2018 at 08:50 AM



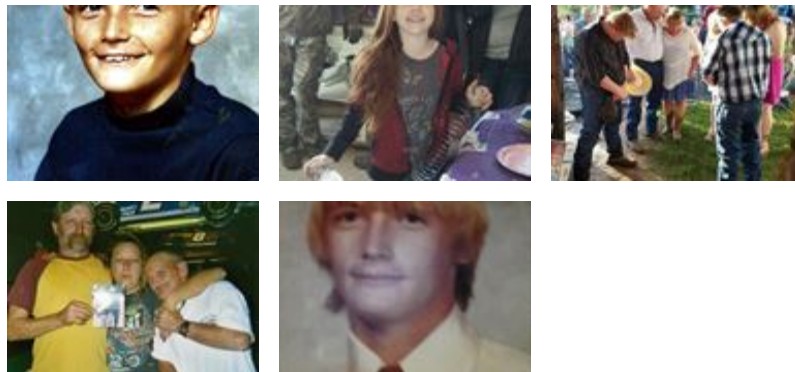
*“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Destry Reine Young.*



October 29, 2018 at 06:02 PM



“ 47 files added to the album LifeTributes



**Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home** - October 29, 2018 at 02:11 PM

BF

*My thoughts and prayers go out to Ladonna and Maverick and the family. I only knew Destry for a short time. He was a kind man and down to earth. R.I.P.Destry. No more pain. You are with your Savior now.*

**Beverly Farmer** - October 29, 2018 at 11:08 PM

ER

“ *Destry was a huge part of my son's first years...his smile, his laugh, he was infectious -I showed up late one day and my son at around 2 or so tells me "later alligator, after while crocodile, too-da-loo kangaroo, after supper mother..." He stopped right there and just slowly turned and looked at Destry lol -He is living good right now, happy and pain free.*



**ERIN** - October 29, 2018 at 10:57 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Destry Reine Young.*



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October 28, 2018 at 11:13 PM

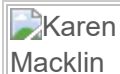


“ *We are so sorry to hear about Destry. He had a good heart and would do anything for someone in need. Destry did give it a good fight, but God has other plans for Destry! God called him home to be with Him in our heavenly home. Destry is not gone, just away! One day we will see him again! God bless and be with you and your family during this time of sorrow.*



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**Cynthia and George Galbreath** - October 28, 2018 at 01:28 PM



“ *Even though I only got to know Destry for a short three years or so, I have so many good memories of him. Having to say goodbye is definitely the worst. Until we meet again my friend.*

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**Karen Macklin** - October 28, 2018 at 10:17 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Destry Reine Young.*



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October 27, 2018 at 10:33 PM