



Shelby Wright

January 6, 1959 - December 13, 2015

Funeral services for Shelby Wright, 56 of Ledbetter, Texas, are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 17, 2015 at the First Assembly of God in Giddings with Rodney Payne officiating. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, December 16, 2015 from 7:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. and on Thursday, December 17, 2015 from 7:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Giddings. The family will be present for visitation Wednesday evening from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Shelby Wright was born on January 6, 1959 in Austin, Texas to Billy Carlton Wright and Rosalie (Von Bieberstein) Wright. He was raised in Llano, Texas and graduated from Llano High School where he played basketball and football. He created a special bond with many of his friends, teammates and coaches that still survives today. Shelby continued his education at Tarleton State University where he earned his Bachelor of Business. While at Tarleton, he played football all four years and was inducted, along with all of his teammates, into the Tarleton Football Hall of Fame in May of 2015. The football team of 1977-1978 and Coach Gillispie still share a special comradery.

After graduation, he moved to Giddings where he was employed with First National Bank. Later, he was employed with LFM Manufacturing before starting his own business, Wright Tank & Equipment. He had been involved

with the Giddings Noon Lions Club and API. Shelby enjoyed fishing, hunting, singing to music, writing songs and raising Watusi Cattle and American Staffordshire Terriers. He passed away during the early morning hours of Sunday, December 13, 2015 at his home in Ledbetter.

He was preceded in death by his father, Billy C. Wright and his step-father, Francis "Blue" Scott.

Shelby is survived by his son, Mason Wright of Hutto; two step-daughters, Marcy Heine & her family of Lexington and Tammie Creek & her family of Dime Box; his mother, Rosalie Scott of Hutto; his sister, Lauri Wright & her family of Hutto; step-brother, Randy Scott & his family of Llano as well as several nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

Memorials may be made to Hospice Brazos Valley, 302 East Blue Bell Road, Brenham, Texas 77833, Tarleton State University Department of Kinesiology, Office of Development, Box T-0260, Stephenville, Texas 76402, API, P.O. Box 1601, Giddings, Texas 78942 or to the charity of one's choice.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 16. 7:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - Giddings
3950 East Austin St.
Giddings, TX 78942
(979) 542-3113
phillipsluckey@yahoo.com
<https://www.phillipsandluckey.com/>

Family Present for Visitation

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Public Visitation

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Church Service

DEC 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

First Assembly of God
1050 North Orange Street
Giddings, TX 78942

Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Shelby Wright*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - December 15, 2015 at 02:05 PM

JU

“ *Julia lit a candle in memory of Shelby Wright*



Julia - December 23, 2015 at 02:00 PM

JU

“ *Shelby Wright was a great man to deal with. He was always so helpful and sweet to talk to. My condolences to the family. I knew him briefly and am thankful for that!*



Julia - December 23, 2015 at 01:59 PM

CM

“ *Mason, I'm so sorry for your loss. I've know your dad for many years, I've seen you off & on when you were little. Mason you were his pride & joy, he talked about you all the time. Your daddy always had a smile for everyone!!!!!! Your daddy was a very good man.*



cotton & suzanna medack - December 20, 2015 at 08:21 PM

MS

“ *Michelle Schuetz lit a candle in memory of Shelby Wright*



Michelle Schuetz - December 17, 2015 at 07:24 AM

MS

Mason, I am so sorry for your loss of your father. Your dad will be missed by many, just remember all the good times, the memories will not be forgotten. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family, may God give you all comfort, strength and peace during this time and days ahead. We love you, God bless.

Michelle, Cody, Cooper, and Alex Schuetz

Michelle Schuetz - December 17, 2015 at 07:26 AM

TS

“ *Lost a great friend-God Bless.
Tommy Shelton*

Tommy Sselton - December 17, 2015 at 05:52 AM

JL

“ *Shelby and I never met in person. We spoke on the phone hundreds of times and emailed back and forth sometimes until the wee hours over several years time. All of this was about big 'ol water tanks, getting them ordered right, priced right, scheduled right, keeping myself (the dealer) and the customer (the end user) happy. Tens and tens of thousands of dollars worth of business secured by a handshake over the phone. That there friends is a very special relationship, extremely rare nowadays. Mason, he spoke of you often, I'm very sorry for your loss. Sincerely, J.C.Ledbetter and family. Action Water Well Service. Spicewood, Texas*

Jay Ledbetter - December 16, 2015 at 11:37 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Shelby Wright.*



December 16, 2015 at 10:31 PM

CM

“ *Shelby, We will miss seeing your smiling face and singing to us sometimes at wagon stop but now I know you're singing in Heaven.*

cyndy matthijetz - December 16, 2015 at 08:00 PM

CM

“ *Cyndy Matthijetz lit a candle in memory of Shelby Wright*



cyndy matthijetz - December 16, 2015 at 07:38 PM

DB

“ *So sorry for your loss Mason.*

Drew Bowker - December 16, 2015 at 10:51 AM

KT

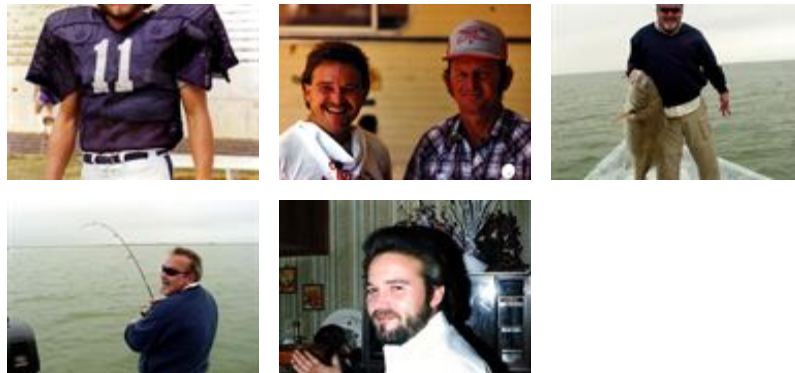
“ *Very sorry for your loss. I know he will be missed. You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Love, Karen*



Karen Traylor - December 15, 2015 at 07:45 PM



“ *74 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home - December 15, 2015 at 01:48 PM

BK

“ I am Bobby Kinard of the Kingsland Texas as in 1977 he also played Golf on the golf team with Coach Low! It is always bad to hear of one of co-players pass away! Please give the family my condolences!! Will have him in my prayers Thursday and Kingsland Lions Club which I am apart of will be thinking,too!
Bobby Kinard

Bobby Kinard - December 15, 2015 at 10:51 AM

TT

“ Tony and Tracy Tuck purchased the Sunny Memories for the family of Shelby Wright.



Tony and Tracy Tuck - December 14, 2015 at 09:54 PM

LP

“ Linda Pfeffer lit a candle in memory of Shelby Wright



Linda Pfeffer - December 14, 2015 at 03:01 PM

SH

“ Shane and Sharon Hoffman purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Shelby Wright.



Shane and Sharon Hoffman - December 14, 2015 at 11:50 AM

CM

“ Our prayers for Shelby's family 🙏🙏🙏



cotton & Suzanna Medack - December 14, 2015 at 07:28 AM

MD

“ I remember when our boys were young and playing sports Shelby was the referee. He always showed up ready to go with a big smile on his face. Rest in peace Mr Referee.

Milton and Connie Davis - December 13, 2015 at 06:01 PM