



James Gammon

May 3, 1926 - March 22, 2008

VIEW VIDEO TRIBUTE James Henry Gammon, Jr. better known as "Gammon" of Jacksboro, Texas was born May 3, 1926 in Grosbeck, Texas to James and Izola Gammon. He was called to be with the Lord on March 22, 2008 at the age of 81. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Betty Waggoner Gammon of Jacksboro; daughter Becky Raska and husband Ed of Wichita Falls; daughter Kathleen Gillihan and husband Kenny of Longview; daughter Deborah Wells and husband Randy of Jacksboro; three grandchildren, Jason Locke of Arlington, Texas, Kimberly and Kyle Wells of Jacksboro; two great-grandchildren Katherine and Ethan Locke; a sister Joynelle Baker and her husband Amon of Little Rock, Arkansas and several nieces and nephews. He served his country during World War II in the Navy. Gammon moved to Jacksboro in 1951 while working for Halliburton. He later went to work at the Jacksboro Country Club and worked there for 33 years as the Golf Pro. He was a PGA Class A Golf Professional. He was president of the Kiwanis Club, a member of the Lion's Club, a volunteer fireman for 20 years, a member of First Baptist Church since 1951 and delivered Meals on Wheels for Concerned Citizens. One of his proudest accomplishments was starting the junior program at the Jacksboro Country Club in the 60's with Bill Hicks and Ronnie Kennedy. He was a loving husband, daddy and granddaddy. He will be deeply missed by his family. Funeral services will be held Tuesday March 25, 2008 at 2:00pm at First Baptist Church in Jacksboro, Texas followed by burial in Oakwood Cemetery in Jacksboro. The family will receive guests from 6:00

to 7:00 pm on Monday March 24, 2008 at Coker Funeral Home in Jacksboro. Memorials may be made to Concerned Citizens, 400 East Pine Street, Jacksboro, Texas 76458 or First Baptist Church Youth Ministry, 211 North Knox Street, Jacksboro, Texas 76458 or Mountaintop Street Ministries, c/o Kathleen (Gammon) Gillihan, PO Box 150304, Longview, Texas 75615.

Tribute Wall



“ *James Gammon*

October 09, 2023 at 04:16 AM



“ *James Gammon*

January 28, 2023 at 12:10 PM



“ *Debbie,
My thoughts & prayers are with you and your family. Cherish the memories.
Love,
Brenda*

Brenda Fuller - March 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Gammon was one wonderful guy in all respects. I will always hold him in highest esteem.
His mother taught me at Texas Ave. Baptist Church as a bride and she was a wonderful friend of Mamie Dunaway who was my mother-in-law at one time.
Wonderful man and my heart is sad for you (family) and I know Gammon is with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. We will all be together one day with Jesus.
Betty you were the other half of Gammon and a wonderful marriage you had.
See you tomorrow.*

Betty Lee Martin Dunaway Boone - March 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ *Deepest Sympathy to the family.*

Gammon was a true friend throughout our school years. I will always remember his camaraderie. May he rest in peace.

Dorothy Williams Kleeb - March 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ *Fond memories of Texas Ave. Baptist Church days*

Morris Brock - March 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *Gammon will be missed. I've always thought a lot of him.*

Misty

Misty Sherrod - March 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RJ

“ *We enjoyed the many years Gammon and Betty delivered meals on wheels. They truly cared about each and everyone they delivered to. If someone wasn't on his list he wanted to know why.*

Debbie and Kathy...my heart goes out to you..I understand...

Love, Russonna

Russonna Jones-Briscoe - March 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ *Betty Jean and Girls,
My thoughts are with you. God Bless and Keep you! I can picture
Gammon puttering around on the clouds of Heaven.*

Toni Scott

Richard & Linda McFarland - March 22, 2008 at 12:00 AM