



Eugene Ennis

December 15, 1935 - August 28, 2020

Eugene Ennis was born in Huntsville, TX on December 15, 1935 to Daley and Mable Ennis. He was called to eternal life on August 28, 2020 after a hard-fought battle with several health issues that many times only slowed him down from doing the things he truly loved.

He was known as a man of very few words, but his kindness spread all over the town. He was quiet, reserved, respectful and a person many always enjoyed being around, even if it was only a few minutes. He was a great husband, father, brother, uncle, neighbor and friend.

Eugene Ennis started working at an early age, a teenager that had many hidden talents. He started out working for The Townleys, a well-known family in town. He did odd jobs around the house and was with them until they moved. He worked in construction and later for The Windham School System as a Maintenance Supervisor prior to his retirement in 2001. Even retired he still would do odd jobs to make ends meet and take care of his family. One of his most enjoyable jobs was as the “bus-driver” for his grand-daughters Velanie and Brittney.

Eugene will be lovingly remembered by his two children Bobby Gene Ennis (Huntsville, TX) and Shirley Ann Ennis (Spring, TX); Daughter-in-Law, Hida Ennis; Grandchildren, Velanie Gilbert, Curtis (CJ) Shorts, Brittney Ennis, Joshua Ennis and Jada Ennis; two great grandchildren, Jaylon and Koriee Shorts. He is preceded in death by his parents, Daley and Mable Jones Ennis; Wife Millie Davis Ennis; sisters Ruth Johnson, Lessie Dickey, Johnnie Mae

McNeese, Frances Wilson; brothers Ezekiel Herbert Morgan; Albert Morgan and Ray Ennis and a host of relatives and friends.

Visitation will be held on Friday, September 4, 2020 at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home in Huntsville, Texas from 5:00 to 7:00pm. The family requests that masks be worn and to abide by the CDC guidelines of social distancing. Please do not congregate or have contact with others. Memorial condolences to the family may be made at www.shmfh.com

Cemetery Details

Paul Chapel Cemetery

Huntsville, TX

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 4. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home - Huntsville
1700 Normal Park Dr.
Huntsville, TX 77340
(936) 291-7300
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Tribute Wall



“ *Eugene Ennis*

November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



“ *Sending prayers and love to the Ennis and Davis family. Mr. Ennis was quiet man and very nice. Their home/yard was the neighborhood spot! We loved them dearly!*



Deanna Crawford Utley - September 04, 2020 at 05:11 PM



“ *Gene Ennis will be in our hearts forever. What a kind, gentle man, who helped others without hesitation! He was part of our family from before I can remember. Rest In Peace, Big Gene. ...and may God comfort Shirley, Bobby, and family.
...Cheryl Townley Bell*

Cheryl Townley Bell - September 04, 2020 at 04:34 PM



“ *Condolences to the Ennis/ Davis family and friends.*



Gayle Spears Kelly - September 04, 2020 at 02:15 PM

HJ

“ Condolences and Prayers to the family 🙏💙
🙏. God's Blessings to you all



H Jones - September 03, 2020 at 10:39 PM

AM

Shirley and Bobby, I want to share the sentiments of one of my sons, Marc Mallery We all loved Gene, and over the years considered him one of the family. We all send our love and prayers from the Charles Mallery Family...Ann, Marc, Penn and Dyan.

Ann Mallery - September 04, 2020 at 11:55 AM

MM

“ Gene also worked in the Mallery house for years. I grew up around him in the 70's when I would visit my grandmother, Mrs. Mallery. He was always a kind and gentle soul, God bless you in your time of loss. The Mallerys

Marc Mallery - September 03, 2020 at 01:43 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eugene Ennis.

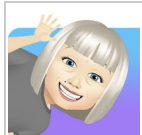


September 03, 2020 at 01:30 PM

DK

“ I met Gene back in the 60's when I was just a kid . I remember him as kind and soft spoken, always called me by name, I would see him from time to time throughout the years he was always so respectful. Prayers for him and his family.

Daniel Kelley - September 03, 2020 at 11:57 AM



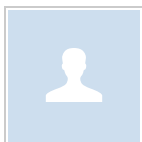
“ I had the pleasure of working with Mr. Ennis for many years. He was a true gentleman, always willing to help others, and he loved his family so much. He was one of the hardest working people I ever met, but his most important attribute to me was the kindness he showed to everyone.

Cheryl Lawson - September 02, 2020 at 07:46 AM

RF

“ This obituary is perfectly written describing Mr. Ennis. I knew him at Windham and always thought I lot of him. A true gentleman. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.

Robyn Flowers - September 01, 2020 at 09:04 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Eugene Ennis.



September 01, 2020 at 06:51 PM

CB

“ Carolyn G Baker lit a candle in memory of Eugene Ennis



Carolyn G Baker - September 01, 2020 at 10:27 AM

MH

“ M. Hyvl sent a virtual gift in memory of Eugene Ennis



M. Hyvl - August 31, 2020 at 07:31 PM

GD

“ I worked with Gene @ Windham. He was so humble, kind, & worked so hard. He always was there to help when needed. I will always remember that sweet smile he had. Many prayers for his family during this hard time.

Glenda Daniel - August 31, 2020 at 02:34 PM

KF

Gene Ennis is the true example of a great hard working gentleman! He was often thought of throughout the years as he definitely made a lasting impression. Kelli Smith (from softball) sends her love to Shirley & family. We will surely miss Mr Gene 🥹

kathy Smith Farris - September 01, 2020 at 09:51 AM



I hope his family knows every employee at Windham had great respect for this man!

Dena Byrd - September 01, 2020 at 09:56 AM

GG

Working with Mr. Ennis was one of my fondest memories of my time at Windham. Blessings to the family.

Gregory Gathright - September 01, 2020 at 11:28 AM

RS

So sorry to hear about Mr. Gene. I worked with him at Windham. He was always ready to give a helping hand. RIP Mr. Gene. A good man is in a better place..

Richard Smith - September 01, 2020 at 02:25 PM

GH

Thank you for the kind words for our brother -in-law that you have shared with us, from the bottom of our our hearts we really appreciate it.

Gloris Jean Harrison - September 01, 2020 at 10:16 PM

CB

Mr. Gene was one of the nicest people I've ever known. May the blessings of the Lord be with his family during this time of sorrow.

Charles (Sonny) Baker - September 02, 2020 at 06:29 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Eugene Ennis.*



August 31, 2020 at 02:08 PM