



## Wesley Jetton

January 1, 1960 - September 6, 2013

Wes, age 53, left us on September 1, 2013 to ride the streets of gold in heaven. Wes was born on January 1, 1960 to Hugh and Betty Jane Jetton in Houston, Texas. He started in the oilfield at the age of 19 and worked his way up to rig manager/senior tool pusher. He has worked all over the world for the last 33 years and loved what he did. Wes is survived by his loving and devoted wife Leona Leah Jetton; sons Jason and Hunter Jetton; daughter Jamie Jetton; father Hugh Jetton; aunt Betty Cannon; sister Janis Jetton; and sister-in-law, Annette Ferguson; along with many other family, friends and loved ones. Wes was preceded in death by mother Betty Jane (BJ) Jetton and brother-in-law Wilbert "Dale" Ferguson. Funeral Services are scheduled for Friday, September 6 at 2 PM at Sam Houston Memorial Funeral Home, 20850 Eva Street (105) in Montgomery, TX 77356. Wes will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him. Written condolences to the family may be left on our website at [www.shmfh.com](http://www.shmfh.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ Wesley Jetton

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November 15, 2022 at 08:33 PM



*Hey, Wes, This is Michael Kuhn. I will miss you brother. I had no idea you have passed..  
I Hope your family is doing ok.  
Lots of memories bro.  
Rest in peace*

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**Michael kuhn** - December 30, 2022 at 03:49 AM

RB

“ To The Beloved Family of Wes Jetton:

*My deepest & most sincere condolences on the loss of a very good man, friend & co-worker. I worked with Wes in the Gulf of Mexico aboard semi-submersibles, as well as the Al-Awada Kuwait Firefighting Project with Santa Fe International. Was totally shocked when I sadly came across his obituary. Wes, was a hard worker, leader, honest & sincere, and always shared his industry knowledge & wisdom with all who surrounded & worked with him.*

*My condolences on your loss, I wish I could have seen & spoke to him in our older years. Al-Awada Firefighting project 1990-1991 was last time we got to personally work together on. Do not know the particulars & circumstances of his unforeseen passing, but would welcome the opportunity to know. The world lost a good "oilfield worker" as well as good husband, father, friend, cousin, uncle, grandfather, & coach/mentor.*

*All the Best,*

*Sincerely,*

*Robert S. Brinsfield  
Oilfield Friend  
Tel: (361)-442-7701*

*BENDIGA Y VAYA CON DIOS AMIGO*

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**Robert Brinsfield** - October 11, 2015 at 07:17 PM

MC

“ I am so sorry that you have lost Wes. Even though we haven't seen each other in years, Wes and I kept in touch with occasional emails. He and I were very close growing up, as he was only a half-year older than me, and he was my favorite cousin. I've always loved him very much, and I'm so sorry you are going through this. I am actually glad Aunt Betty Jane went first, because I don't think she could have survived this. I am happy that you have so many memories of Wes. I hope I can always remember his special smiles and laughter. I will miss him extra. Love, Marilu

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**Marilu Jurenka Corwin** - September 19, 2013 at 11:31 AM

KS

“ To say Wes touched my life would be a huge understatement. I was blessed to be able to work 3 hitches with you. Not nearly enough! Not only were you a great boss/mentor to work with, but one of the most memorable people I have met. Will miss your stories, and your ability to always cheer me up when this place brought us down. Will miss you more than you could know Wes. My deepest condolences to the family, as I know how much his loss will be felt, all around the world.

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**Kent Sangster** - September 18, 2013 at 01:04 PM

DH

“ Wes was a great boss, he showed us lots and worked everyday to improve the ability of others...thanks for everything Wes...you will be missed here at Rig 703. My thoughts and prayers go out to all who had the pleasure of knowing Wes

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**Derek Hlady** - September 17, 2013 at 06:50 PM

MC

“ Just want to express my condolences to all family members of Wes. I really enjoyed working with Wes. He was a great man. My prayers are with your family.

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**Mike Chafin** - September 17, 2013 at 06:18 PM

JJ

“ Leah, Jason, Jamie and Hunter: I will always remember Wes the way he was pictured in front of the oilwell fires he helped extinguish in Kuwait when it seemed the whole country was on fire. He gladly accepted every challenge that came along fearlessly. It was really heart-warming to read all the wonderful stories written by the men he worked with. That was the Wes I knew - a hard worker who was fair, who was a good friend to all. It is a rare quality to be able to make people feel better by telling your own personal stories and I know Wes had that quality. Our prayers are with you as you grieve. I hope it helps to know that so many people are thinking of all of you now with great love. Aunt Jerry and Uncle Ron

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**Jerry Jurenka** - September 17, 2013 at 03:37 PM

JW

“ Leona, Wes was a great leader and wonderful motivator here on Rig 703. He is dearly missed and will forever be a part of this crew. We are close by so if there is anything you need don't hesitate to call.

*Denise 936-714-7308*

*Jeremy 936-714-4448*

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**Jeremy Winston** - September 16, 2013 at 09:12 PM

CS

“ My condolences to Wes's' family. I knew Wes for a short time, but I got to see what a great person he was, to be around and to work for. As others have said, he will be greatly missed by all in the rig.

*Claudio Sevilla*

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**Claudio Sevilla** - September 16, 2013 at 08:03 PM

CP

“ Life will never be the same without here. You were a hell of a boss! Smart and intuitive plus a realist. You had a story for everything and always made me laugh.  
I only knew Wes a short time so I can't even begin to imagine how the family and loved ones feel.  
My condolences to you all.

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**Chris Boyd PNG703** - September 16, 2013 at 08:03 PM

SM

“ My deepest condolences to the family. His presence on the rig will forever be missed, especially by his crew on 703.

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**Shawn Meade** - September 16, 2013 at 07:42 PM

KK

“ I left PNG just a few days after Wes and was shocked when I heard about this. I would like to express my belated condolences to all the family and friends of Wes. I enjoyed working with him as did so many others, we will all miss him.  
My Prayers are with you.

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**Ken Kowalchuk** - September 16, 2013 at 07:26 PM

NG

“ You will be missed by all that worked with you. Everybody enjoyed working with you, and the stories you told. We will all miss your endless energy and your ability to put a smile on anyones face, at any time.

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**Nabors 703 Gang** - September 16, 2013 at 07:18 PM

DM

“ Wes was a great man to work for he truly cared about the men that worked for him, and we cared for him. I am gonna miss him and the stories he loved to tell he always could make us laugh. My condolences to his family prayers to them

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**donnie moore** - September 16, 2013 at 07:15 PM

JC

“ I would like to express my condolences to all the family and friends of wess. all of the crew here will miss him. I am a tool pusher on the project and have asked if any of his personnel belongings. Need to be carried back to tx. I will be leaving png on the 19 and would be more than happy to bring those items back to his family as I am from tx. and will be in that area when I am home

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**justin coleman** - September 16, 2013 at 07:06 PM

JW

“ Praying for you and your family during this time. Please let us know if we can do anything.

*Jeremy & Denise Winston  
Joshua, Codey, Brogan, Christian & Rylen*

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**Jeremy & Denise Winston** - September 16, 2013 at 04:35 PM

L.

“ MY CONDOLENCES AND PRAYERS. I KNOW HOW IT FEELS TO LOSE A SON. I LOST LARRY IN 2011. L.A.

L.A.PARKS,JR - September 06, 2013 at 11:03 AM

SD

“ Hunter & Family:  
I can not begin to express my sympathy for the loss your family is experiencing, nor could it ever compare to the depth of feelings you and your loved ones are going through at the moment. I believe as long as we live on in the hearts and memories of those we leave behind, we never truly die. My thoughts, prayers, compassion and tears are for the love you all share and loss of your loved one. -  
Agape, Shannon Daniel (Richards HS)

Shannon Daniel - September 06, 2013 at 08:02 AM

CM

“ Leona,  
Please now that there are people that you have touched that are sadden by this news. \* here is a hug from me to you\*

Carlo Brian Monticelli - September 06, 2013 at 12:45 AM

LM

“ RIP Wes! You were such a cool dude! Was a pleasure to have known you. Love you BUNCHES Aunt Lona!!! Be expecting flowers. Let me know when you get them. Hope the services are as beautiful as you!!! LOVE ALWAYS AND FOREVER.

Lisa, Monty & Lacy

Lisa & Monty - September 05, 2013 at 10:03 PM

LA

“ Aunt Lona I love you and really wish I could be there in your time of need. You have always been there for me and i love you so much. If I had a way down there I would be there!!!! Maybe I can come spend some time with you very soon. If you need to talk I'm here. Wes will be missed very much. Mom is so tore up that she cant be there for you. I LOVE YOU AND HUNTER!!!!

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**Lacy** - September 05, 2013 at 09:12 PM

LI

“ Leona I am so very sorry we can't be there. I love you dearly and you can come to oklahoma to get away ANY time you need to. I LOVE YOU!!!! You are a strong woman and you will never forget Wes. He will always be in your heart and soul. If there is ANYTHING I can do please call me. Please tell Hunter I said hello and stay strong. We love you guys so very much. You are the only family that still lives in Texas that I claim! lol Love you bunches.

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**Lisa** - September 05, 2013 at 06:48 PM

ZA

“ RIP Wes, you will be missed. Sorry we had lost touch, hanging out was always fun, it had been way to long. My condolences to Leah and the rest of his family.

*Zack Levitt*

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**Zack** - September 05, 2013 at 02:31 PM

KK

“ *Leona, Jason, Jamie and Hunter,*

*We watched Wes grow up through the years to a man that loved his work, his family and all of his friends. He loved life and lived it to the fullest. He will be missed by all of us.*

*My thoughts and prayers are with all of you as you go through this sad time.*

*Kathey*

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**Kathey K King** - September 05, 2013 at 08:16 AM

DA

“ *You will truly be missed my brother.*

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**Dan Avila** - September 04, 2013 at 05:28 PM