



Kenneth Carl Haggard

March 30, 1940 - March 16, 2023

Kenneth Carl Haggard, born March 30, 1940 in Wichita Falls, Texas to parents Eugene and Jewel (Kinney) Haggard, passed away in Dawson, Texas on March 16, 2023 at age 82.

Kenneth was a graduate of Iredell High School class of 1958, and was known by many nicknames to his family and friends: Daddy, Pops, Paw Paw, Hag, Haggard, Kenny Baby. He loved piddling around, taking care of cows, listening to classic country music, fishing, and telling stories...he was the best storyteller ever!

Kenneth was preceded in death by his father, Eugene Haggard; mother and stepfather, Jewel Bullard and Lloyd Bullard; son, Travis Haggard; sister, Norma Bullard Pogue and brother, Gene Haggard.

Surviving Kenneth are his wife, Barbara Haggard of Dawson, Texas; children, Kenneth Lloyd Haggard, Shawn Haggard, Carrie Campbell, and Ashley Clark; sister, Kathy Haggard King; 11 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

Graveside Service 1pm, Saturday, April 8, 2023 at Hico Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Hico Cemetery

Hico, TX 76457

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR 8. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

BM

“ *Merry Christmas Hagg.
We miss your presence & kind spirit,
Especially the get together at Susan & Ritch's.*

Beverly Mitchell - December 25, 2025 at 06:07 PM

SO

“ *My heart is broken as I have to say goodbye to one of my favorite people on earth. I have had the pleasure of knowing you and the honor of having you as my Brother for so long, it feels as if I have known you my entire life. When my Sister brought you into our family, we were thrilled -- I know you loved us all just as we all loved you. With so many memories, it is both a curse and a blessing - Sad that our memory making days together are gone, but glad that I have so many to recall, even though they are so painful today: Fishing in Red River, birthdays, Bass Hall and steak tartar, dancing to CCR ("barefoot girls dancin in the moonlight"), eating sand in St. Martin (what fools we were and how Rich laughed), Christmas's, patio stories and your wonderful laugh, fish fry's, Washington DC and the wheelchair, your pontoon boat, getting stuck on the elevator while at sea, drinking and partying too much at TMS and on and on and on.*

You have traded your broken, old body that had so many limitations to a new set of wings. You are now free from pain and able to fly. Soar high with the Angels my dear Brother and save a dance for me. Until we meet again, I miss you and will love you forever.

Susan ONeil - April 06, 2023 at 04:56 PM

CM

“ PawPaw when I think of you so many memories come to mind. I'll miss being the only ones awake in the early morning hours waking up to you already at the table drinking your morning coffee and doing crosswords. Getting that quiet one on one time with you won't be forgotten. Summers on the lake in your barge. You in your cutoff pearl snaps and blue Jean shorts fishing, drinking, & soaking up the sun. Your dorky dance moves after a long day of drinks and fun. Watching you clean and fry catfish on a warm summer's night. The look on your face that time you just couldn't bring your self to give me a whopping because I caught you off guard and made you laugh way to hard to even be mad. The sound and smell of your zippo lighter being whipped open with a flip of your wrist. You flexing your muscles and telling me you got them from eating mustard. Watching you play dominoes. Your cousin Jimmy coming to town and watching you enjoy him tell childhood stories in a way different than your own. That time a dog chased me and Ashley up a tree and she didn't have the nerve to run to the porch but I did. Me you and Barbara stood on the porch belly laughing at her until he left and she could get down. The look you'd give when we we're dancing on your last nerve and had better cut it out QUICK. They just don't make them like you anymore PawPaw. I'll always miss your tough but tender, short tempered with a soft spot for me kind of love. I'll always love you and carry you in my heart.



Courtney Mcilvain - April 06, 2023 at 12:12 PM



“ *Shawn Haggard lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Carl Haggard*



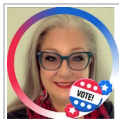
Shawn Haggard - April 03, 2023 at 02:56 PM

AC

“ *my daddy ❤️ the one who taught me that dirt roads might take a little longer but the view is worth it, that country music has been and always will be the best kind of music, the one who taught me to drive even tho he hated every minute of it, the one who would let me help feed the cows and ride along his tractor, the one who was hard on me but because I needed and the one who will always be the roughest toughest cowboy 🤠 I love you daddy. love always, Ashley.*



ashley clark - April 02, 2023 at 06:07 PM



Aww! Cute pic. These last few days have been hard. I miss him.

Shawn Haggard - April 04, 2023 at 10:28 AM

AC

“ my daddy...the one that taught me dirt roads might take longer but the view is always worth it, that country music has and always will be the best kind of music, the one that always gave me a hard time but always because it was in my best interest, the one that always had the best stories to tell, the one that taught me to drive even tho he hated every minute of it. The hardest working, smartest, roughest and toughest cowboy I ever met. I love you always daddy.

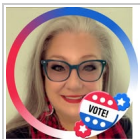
ashley clark - April 02, 2023 at 04:25 PM

KK

“ My heart is sadden and breaks for our loss as well as yours. I treasure every minute Ken and I got to have together even back to our youth when we got to visit. Bud (Gene) and I had dubbed him our "James Dean". And I think he did his part to fulfil it. I'll have him close in my heart always. Love you all.



Kathy Haggard King - March 21, 2023 at 11:44 AM



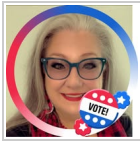
“ My sweet, funny, storytelling, hard-working, honest, one-of-a-kind Daddy, I'm gonna miss you! Thank you for all of the love, guidance, support and patience you've shown to me throughout my life. I know your free from pain and rejoicing right now. You will always be the man that could do anything, fix anything and knew everything to me. Love always, Shawn

Shawn Haggard - March 20, 2023 at 02:36 PM

EC

“ Kenneth was friends with my oldest brother, Don L Howard. I remember Kenneth with his jeans, white tee shirt, cigs rolled up on the sleeve and that gorgeous black perfect hair! He would have fit right in with the movie Grease. He will be missed. Sending my sincere sympathy. Hugs!

Ernestine Crawford - March 20, 2023 at 02:29 PM



“ Shawn Haggard lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Carl Haggard



Shawn Haggard - March 20, 2023 at 12:38 PM

DB

“ Kenneth was one of a kind. We had many happy times with him and Judy. Playing dominoes and eating good food and laughing about it all. Prayers for the family.

dolores beezley - March 19, 2023 at 05:08 PM



I remember them well. Thank you.

Shawn Haggard - March 20, 2023 at 12:29 PM

JE

Kenneth was Kinky to me. First cousins who lived under the same roof for a period of time. We loved each other as children growing up. He was a good man. Wish I could be there at his service. Praying for the family...Jerry

Jerry Etheredge - March 21, 2023 at 01:41 PM