



Larry Wayne Davidson

October 31, 1943 - May 12, 2026

Graveside services for Larry Wayne Davidson, 82, of Gilmer, Texas, will be held at 10:00 am, Thursday, May 14, 2026, at Sunset Memorial Park with Brother Charles Johnson officiating. The family will receive friends 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm, Wednesday at McWhorter Funeral Home.

Larry was born on October 31, 1943, in Gilmer, Texas, to Sam Houston Davidson and Juanita Cowley Davidson and passed from this life on May 12, 2026.

Larry worked as a maintenance mechanic at Texas Eastman for 32 years before his retirement.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife, Paula Davidson; children, Brian Davidson (Candice), Tina Kennimer, and Lorie Davidson; brother, Billy Jack Davidson (Verna); grandchildren, Brennan Thompson, Jessica Hilton, Colton Shipp, Zachary Davidson, and Lexie Covington; great-grandchildren, Emory Shipp, Adlee Jo Hilton, Jay Thompson, Jack Thompson, and Annie Lou Thompson; and his fishing buddy, Thomas Youngblood.

He is preceded in death by his parents; and his brother, Tommy Davidson.

Pallbearers will be Don Davidson, Luke Davidson, Dustin Davidson, Jake

Davidson, Zachary Davidson, and Colton Shipp.

Honorary pallbearers will be the Gilmer High School Class of 1962.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Shriners Children's, c/o Office of Philanthropy, 2900 N. Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, FL 33607, or donate.shrinerschildrens.org

Please visit Larry's online registration book at www.mcwhorterfh.com to leave a memory for the family.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Park

1582 US Hwy 271 S
Gilmer, TX 75645

Upcoming Events

Visitation

MAY 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

McWhorter Funeral Home
1074 St. Hwy 300
Gilmer, TX 75645
(903) 734-7070
info@mcwhorterfh.com
<https://www.mcwhorterfh.com>

Graveside Service

MAY 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

Sunset Memorial Park
1582 US Hwy 271 S
Gilmer, TX 75645

Tribute Wall



“ I worked with Larry for many years. What a guy e was. Back in the 60's he always had an old pickup truck for sale.Larry what would you take for that old truck, his answer would always be oh, about two bills.He had a great personality.Jerry Woods and Larry could always put a smile on your face. God bless the family.

Tom Moore - 27 minutes ago



“ I work worked with Larry for md

Tom Moore - 36 minutes ago



“ So sorry to hear of Larry's passing. He was like family to ours. He and daddy rode back-and-forth to Eastman every day together. Daddy always loved Larry. We all loved him! After I bought my first car, anytime I needed a mechanic, I called Larry. He was funny, he would say, you again? Paula altered my wedding dress and of course I would have to deal with Larry too. He gave me a hard time about getting married. :) we're all gonna miss Larry and his fun personality! Prayers to Paula, and all the kids, grandkids, and Great grandkids! Love y'all!

Ronna "Beanie" Caskey - 2 hours ago



Paula, so sorry to hear this! Prayers for you and the kids!

Terry & Jeannine Howard - 2 hours ago



*To all of the family, I'm so sorry for your loss!! He was a good man!
Lifting prayers for all!!*



Patti Palmer - 1 hour ago