



## Melvin Gene Cazalas

February 23, 1960 - March 22, 2021

Funeral services for Melvin Gene Cazalas, 61, of Gilmer, will be held at 10:00 am, Saturday, March 27, 2021 in the chapel of McWhorter Funeral Home with Bro. Craig Evers and Bro. Jeremy Mills officiating. The family will receive friends 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm, Friday, March 26, 2021 at the funeral home.

Melvin was born February 23, 1960, in Phoenix, Arizona, to Johnny Murdock and Judith Arlene Summers Cazalas and passed from this life March 22, 2021, in Plano, Texas.

Melvin married Juanita Gayle Nunley, June 24, 1978, at Shady Grove Church in Hawkins, Texas. He worked at Lone Star Steel as a Press Operator until his retirement.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife, Gayle Cazalas; son, Melton Cazalas (Amy); daughter, Geni Jackson (Adam); mother, Judy Cazalas; his mom and dad Patricia and W.H. “Jr.” Nunley, grandchildren, BreAnna “Pearl” Jackson; Makenzie Gayle Jackson, Corban Gene Cazalas, Coltan Gene Cazalas, Bristal Maree Jackson, Abigail Michelle Cazalas, and Jacob Melton Cazalas, brothers and sisters, Donald Wayne Cazalas, Jimmy Cazalas, Richard Cazalas, Corrie Stephenson, Beth Jones, Dale & Joe Gallegos, Kay Neal, Kelly Cazalas, and Donna Kee.

He is preceded in death by his father, J. M. Cazalas; grandchild; Lucas Adam Jackson; sisters, Becky Little and Peggy Sue Kinnison; and by his brother, J. B. Cazalas.

Pallbearers are Adam Jackson, Melton Cazalas, Corban Cazalas, Dustyn

Watkins, Duane Flowers, Bobby Lee Clawson, Bobby Isenburg and Jeremy Mills.

Honorary pallbearers are Coltan Cazalas, Jacob Cazalas, Roger Watkins, Bobby Livingston and Joe Duncan.

Please visit Melvin's on-line registration book at [www.mcwhorterfh.com](http://www.mcwhorterfh.com) to leave a memory for the family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **26**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

McWhorter Funeral Home  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *McWhorter Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Melvin Gene Cazalas*



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**McWhorter Funeral Home** - March 26, 2021 at 01:11 PM

KB

“ *Gayle, you are such an inspiration to everyone. Melvin was a great man with a wonderful sense of humor. Please know that we are praying that God's amazing grace will abound with all the family. Kenneth and Charlotte Bowden*

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**kenneth Bowden** - March 26, 2021 at 08:35 PM

RD

“ *Gayle, if it was just any woman I would worry, but you are strong. You have God and family and a strong back bone. Melvin was a wonderful man and still is in all our hearts. He showed us how to laugh thru it all. Love ya Rita Dickerson*



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**Rita Dickerson** - March 26, 2021 at 05:48 PM

JT

“ *Gayle, I am so sorry to hear about Melvin. Keeping you and your family in my thoughts and prayers.*  
*Jacki Taylor*

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**Jacki Taylor** - March 26, 2021 at 01:05 PM

JW

“ *Sending prayers for the entire family. You made Jim so happy when you came to visit us years ago here in the Black Hills. May you have peace surrounded by God's love.*

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**Jan Wolle-Walton** - March 25, 2021 at 08:48 PM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Melvin Gene Cazalas.*



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March 25, 2021 at 08:21 PM

LS

“ *Gayle, I am so sorry for your loss. I am praying that all your memories will comfort you in the days ahead. Praying for your grandchildren and your children as well.*

*Lisa Sims*

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**Lisa Sims** - March 25, 2021 at 02:26 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Melvin Gene Cazalas.*



March 24, 2021 at 10:33 AM



“ *Yellow & White Large Sympathy Vase Arrangement was purchased for the family of Melvin Gene Cazalas.*



March 24, 2021 at 09:13 AM



“ *Poncy and Mike Holly purchased the Plants-A-Plant for the family of Melvin Gene Cazalas.*



**Poncy and Mike Holly** - March 24, 2021 at 06:07 AM



“ *I know that you and Melvin had many years of wonderful memories, they will surprise you everyday and the best ways.*

*Love, The Sisters*

**Cheryl Napper** - March 24, 2021 at 05:22 AM

PM

“ So sorry to hear about Melvin’s death. Praying for strength and comfort for the family comfort.

*Peggy Moughon*

Peggy Moughon - March 23, 2021 at 11:43 PM

MS

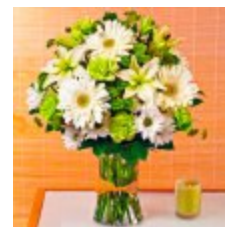
“ One of the best brother In laws I had well x brother in law we had some good times in our younger day my heart goes out to Gayle and family he will be missed



Mike Shipley - March 23, 2021 at 11:33 PM



“ Serene Green™ Bouquet For Sympathy was purchased for the family of Melvin Gene Cazalas.



March 23, 2021 at 09:28 PM

AG

“ Sending prayers for comfort from a Cazalas family member in Mobile, Alabama. So sorry for your loss.

Anne Swinson Godwin - March 23, 2021 at 09:21 PM

DF

“ Gayle, my thoughts and prayers are with you and the kids during this time. I will always remember our time at Sand Hill with a smile.  
*Detra Dunaway Foster*

Detra Foster - March 23, 2021 at 05:56 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White was purchased for the family of Melvin Gene Cazalas.*



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March 23, 2021 at 05:34 PM