



Don Richard Carson

January 29, 1949 - August 27, 2015

Don Richard Carson of Menard passed away Thursday August 27, 2015. A Celebration of Life service will be held Wednesday September 2, 2015 at 2p.m. at the Heritage Funeral Home Chapel.

Don was born January 29, 1949 to Howard and Esther Carson in Merkel, Texas. He was a member of the Merkel First Baptist Church. On June 21, 1989, he married the love of his life Janet Brotherton in Del Rio, Texas.

Keyboard player Don Carson was fun loving and never met a stranger. He performed with many local musicians here in Menard and played for Menard Manor, Jim Bowie Days, jam sessions at the American Legion and Chicken on the Porch and many many times at London Hall. He was involved in the music that was performed in the Song of Silver, composing the music for the Fire Dancers. He also played the keyboard for Southern Image, Wagon Aces, Song Dogs and many other bands. His love for music was evident in the way his fingers would glide over the keyboard with ease and confidence doing something he loved, playing his music all over the western United States. His musical talents and love of life will be missed by all.

Survivors include his wife Janet of Menard, two sisters, Ann Payne of Merkel and Cathy Kelley and husband Mark of Potosi, one brother in law Dusty Brotherton and wife Bonnie of Brackettville, Tx. He is also survived by

numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

Following the service a visitation celebration will be held at the Menard Country Club, Hwy 190W.

Memorials may be made to the charity of your choice.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Lot of good memories growing up with Don. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.* ”

Gary Smith - August 30, 2015 at 12:26 AM