



Jimmie Wayne Long

August 31, 1940 - April 12, 2021

Jimmie Wayne Long Sr. passed away Monday, April 12, 2021 at the age of 80. He died peacefully at his home in Brady, TX with his wife, JoAnn and their children by his side.

He was born in Breckenridge, Texas to Herman and Rosalie (Turner) Long on August 31, 1940. He married JoAnn Long (Dorgan) June 3, 1958. They had 4 children, 10 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. They lived most of their married life in San Antonio, but have many more friends in northern California, Lampasas, Seguin, Odessa and Brady. He was a much beloved minister of Jehovah's Witnesses.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years JoAnn, daughter Samuel Rosalie (Sissy) and husband Darrell, son Jimmie Jr and wife Carla Rose, son Michael and fiancé Valerie, son Thomas (Bubba) and wife Carla Elaine. He is also survived by his sister, Suzanne and brother Samuel David.

Jimmie was blessed to have many good friends and family. He was always making jokes, making people smile and was known for his love of music, (especially Elvis), cooking and computers. He was also known for his touching public talks at the Kingdom Hall.

His family takes much comfort knowing he is resting safe in Jehovah's memory, awaiting a future resurrection in paradise earth.

Funeral arrangement is entrusted to Heritage Funeral Home of Brady.

Tribute Wall

MV

“ We love and miss Jimmy so much and can't wait to see him in paradise!!!!



Megan Rose Vasquez - April 19, 2021 at 07:44 PM

AR

“ Love you Jimmy Joann 💜🙏🌴
Can not wait to see you again 🧑🔬
Al Juanny Mo' Reno
Canyon Lake🌴
Satttler Cong.
Numbers 6:24:26

Alamo and Juanny Mo' Reno - April 18, 2021 at 05:00 PM

JW

“ John & Mary Wilcox
So sorry to hear about Jimmie we have so many fond memories of all the QB we worked on together and the times at the Assembly hall.
He was always a joy to be around will love forward to seeing him in the resurrection.

John Wilcox - April 17, 2021 at 04:04 PM

VI

“ We will always remember brother Long as a fun and loving person. He could always make us smile while working hard at a hall build or at the assembly hall. We will fondly remember him (and his yellow ruler suspenders). Our condolences to the family. With love, Marcus & Pearl Villanueva

Villanueva - April 17, 2021 at 12:17 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Jimmie Wayne Long.



April 16, 2021 at 12:37 PM

WR

“ Sorry to hear about Jimmie , we have known him and his family for a long time, He will be missed, we look forward to seeing him again in paradise. Our sympathy goes out to the family. Willard an Beth Rippen

Willard & Beth Rippen - April 16, 2021 at 12:20 PM

CA

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Carla - April 15, 2021 at 09:36 AM

EB

beautiful and loyal couple

Erick J Buitron - April 16, 2021 at 12:21 PM

WR

"Beautiful couple of Jimmie and Joann"

Willard & Beth Rippen - April 16, 2021 at 12:24 PM

DS

We look forward to seeing Jimmy in paradise

David and Larinda Storm - April 17, 2021 at 03:33 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jimmie Wayne Long.*



April 14, 2021 at 10:14 PM

CL

“ *My father-in-law, Jimmie was not in good health the past few years. We brought Jimmie and JoAnn to Brady so we could take care of them better. I try to remember him when he was strong and busy with the congregation, service and the hall builds in San Antonio. I try to remember him cooking in his kitchen, barbequing, or even printing recipes on his computer. I try to remember him telling silly jokes, corny jokes, and bad jokes. That's how I'll always cherish him.*

Carla Long - April 14, 2021 at 03:48 PM

JJ

My father was a wonderful man I am Jimmy Jr and I am guilty of the same silly sometimes stupid jokes I am just like him a literal chip off the block guy even look like him and I'm proud of that

Jimmy Wayne Long Jr - April 14, 2021 at 03:54 PM

ER

Edd Rials here. I remember Jim as Big Jim. Through my entire childhood I spent many of times with the Long family. Sweetie Pie was my sitter as our parents would take off on motorcycle get aways Big Jim would call me slick, and then whatever we would talk about was slicker than snot on a glass door knob.

When the family moved to Texas, my family missed them a lot. I did get to go down and spend a couple weeks with Jim and Joann. And I will always cherish that time.

I look forward to sitting around a campfire one day drinking margaritas, because now I'm old enough, eating hotlinks and cheese, because we can.

Jim raised a good family. Of course every family has its ups and downs. But he was definitely a highlight in my life.

Edd Rials - April 14, 2021 at 04:02 PM

SL

Jimmie always called me Baby Brother which was right since I was 15 years his junior. My earliest memories of him were of him married to my beautiful sister-in-law JoAnn who still reminds me she used to change my diapers to which I'd say "you might get to do that again later" I really hope not. If ever anyone wonders what Jimmie looked like they can see me since everyone tells me I look exactly like him.

Whenever he would get a hobby he would learn everything about it from photography to auto mechanics to fish tanks to computers and I mean he could teach a class on whatever he was into. He had a gift of making really complicated things seem simple.

I'll miss him.


Samuel D. Long - April 14, 2021 at 04:31 PM

FB

Fran Breckinridge

How do you say good by to such a dear and loving friend. You don't you say see you soon Jimmy along with my Curt who considers you his life long best friend. Curtis and I were mentored by Jimmy and Joann as we were making the truth our own and showed us how not take ourselves to seriously but still love our spiritual family as our own flesh. Thank you Jimmy and Joann for teaching and caring about my family all these years. I'm not letting you go Joann least wise until we are in the new order with our husbands in tow or is that the other way around. Love you and your family forever

Fran. Breckinridge - April 14, 2021 at 05:20 PM


Nicole
Colquitt

Our hearts are broken, lost our honorary dad. Jimmie was always affectionate and funny. I will miss him until we can welcome both our dads back. Can't wait to see them both together laughing and joking. Love to the Long family.

Nicole Colquitt - April 14, 2021 at 08:29 PM

EG

When I attended my first meeting in 1992 at Central Park Congregation Jimmie Long approached me after the meeting introduced himself then started talking about Elvis and making jokes. I will never forget how he and Joanne welcome my family to the congregation and his smile was just contagious. He was just a wonderful person and added joy to many lives mine included mine.

Emma Gaither

Emma Gaither - April 14, 2021 at 09:33 PM

JC

Jimmy was one of a kind. Him and Joann watched me as a baby which I was told was not easy. Jimmy being big on music bought us as kids the album of Willie Wonka and chocolate factory. We listened to it over and over. He was a wonderful cook his brisket was off the charts. My childhood dream for my wedding was to have jimmy to be the minister at my wedding which was such a memorable moment. We are going to miss him and can't wait to see him again. Love you all ,wish I was there.

Jenifer Compton - April 14, 2021 at 10:01 PM

DD

*I have a lot of memories of Jimmie...
I think I was a year ahead of Jimmie at Edison High School and we were both attending the Kingdom Hall at Lullwood and Brad but in different congregations part of the time. Jimmy worked in the family meat markets one on West Avenue and one on Hildebrand. As to kid stuff we had a speed contest or two. Jimmie had a white 57 Chevrolet and I had a 56 Studebaker Golden Hawk. In addition to our association at the K.H. I remember spending time with Jimmie and friends at the Pig Stand Near the Woodlawn theatre at Fredericksburg Rd and West Ave. I have many nice memories of Jimmie and I am saddened with his passing. Condolences to JoAnn, Bubba, Suzanne and all others feeling an acute loss. Donald Douglas*

Donald Douglas - April 14, 2021 at 10:37 PM